



## Bettye Heiney

August 28, 1927 - March 21, 2018

Services honoring the life of Bettye Nell Heiney will be 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 27, 2018 at Hayhurst Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Floral Haven Memorial Gardens. Friends may visit the funeral home on Monday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. with family there to receive visitors from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Bettye was born on Sunday, August 28, 1927 in Tuscola, Illinois to Lee Roy and Mable (Leonard) Bensken. Bettye passed away on Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at the age of 90.

Bettye was the youngest of four children. She was a graduate of Tuscola High School.

Soon after, she met the love of her life, Herb Heiney Sr. They were blessed with three children and a wonderful life. Her career brought them from living in Chicago, Illinois to Tulsa, Oklahoma. She opened the unit control at Sears in Woodland Hills Mall and eventually retired.

Bettye and Herb enjoyed a membership at Woodlake Assembly of God. They loved to travel together and enjoyed visits with their children and grandchildren. Later in life, she loved seeing her great-grandchildren. She always had a special place in her heart for her dogs. She was a tiny person with a big heart. Bettye would always say, "I'm not old, I'm young!". She was a friend to everyone and loved to visit-especially over coffee.

Her last few years at the Broken Arrow Nursing Home allowed her the social time she so greatly enjoyed. Bettye welcomed people with a wave of her hand and a flash of her famous grin. She had a bright smile and a lot of love to give.

Memorials may be made in Bettye's name to Broken Arrow Nursing Home, 424 N. Date Ave. Broken Arrow, OK 74012.

Bettye is survived by,

Children, Deborah Miller and husband Ben, Brandon, FL

Rev. Herb Heiney, Jr. and wife Cindy, Broken Arrow, OK

Robin Heiney and wife Maxine, Denver, CO

Grandchildren, Season and Ethan, Ben, Jennifer and Aaron, Nicki and Rob,

Christy and Erik, Lisa, Herby III, Chris and Carrie

Great Grandchildren, Anna Bella, LillyLee, Violet, Jackson

Sister, Jane Compton, Sullivan, IL

Bettye was preceded in death by her parents, husband, sister Helen, brother Leonard and Daughter in law, Deborah.

# Cemetery Details

## Floral Haven Memorial Gardens

6500 S. 129th E. Ave.  
Tulsa, OK 74012  
(918) 252-2518

# Previous Events

## Viewing

**MAR 26.** 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home  
1660 South Elm Place  
Broken Arrow, OK 74012  
(918) 258-9623  
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## Visitation

**MAR 26.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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MAR 27. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Bettye Heiney*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *Sweet Bettye, I will miss our early morning chats while I did your hair. You were one of the most encouraging, happy souls that I have ever had the pleasure to know. A light to those around you. A lot of class with just enough sass 😊 I will see that smile again someday in Heaven ❤️*



**Noel Calhoun** - March 27, 2018 at 02:00 PM



“ *Oh, how I loved Bettye. My mom was in the nursing home and that is how I became acquainted with her. I began teaching a Bible study on Tuesday afternoons and Bettye came most of the time. I visited with her briefly last Tuesday, noticing how she was having some difficulty, and told her we would be praying for her. She was a treasure!*

*Linda Lofton*

**Linda Lofton** - March 25, 2018 at 10:58 PM



“ *Betty was a light in a place where you needed one...even through thing she was going through health wise she was always smiling I love bettye...i will miss you love missy*

**Melissa sequichie turner** - March 25, 2018 at 11:15 AM

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*“ Betty was the sweetest neighbor to us for the past 40 years. She and Herb Sr. were always there for us as our family grew over the years. Betty, we know you are home now and keeping company with Jesus and Herb again. What a welcome you are receiving! We will miss your smiling face but are celebrating your life today! We will all be together again soon dear friend.*

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**Kathy Ary** - March 22, 2018 at 01:29 PM

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*“ It is our honor and privilege to serve the Heiney family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Bettye.*



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**Hayhurst Funeral Home** - March 22, 2018 at 07:11 AM