



Betty Sue Heavner

October 5, 1941 - January 30, 2023

Betty S. Heavner, age 81, of Buckhannon, died Monday, January 30, 2023, after a lengthy illness, with her loving family by her side. She was born October 5, 1941, at Alexander, WV, a daughter of the late Loyal Creed and Maureen Delta Snyder Reger. On October 2, 1959, she was united in marriage to the Rev. Robert F. Heavner, who survives. Also surviving are one son Dr. Randy Heavner (fiancée Nichole) of Parkersburg, WV; two daughters: Michelle (Darrell) Linger and Debbie (Brent) Cutright, both of Buckhannon; five grandchildren: Christopher R. Heavner of Parkersburg, Patrick D. (Saran) Heavner of Tyler, TX, Dr. Nathaniel S. (Lorilyn) Linger of Buckhannon, Kayla B. Linger of Cranberry Township, PA, and Nicholas T. (April) Cutright of Buckhannon; four great grandchildren: Alexia R., Gatlin E., and Derek T. Heavner and Evelyn O. “Evie” Linger; one brother Neil (Cheryl) Reger of Buckhannon; one sister Rosalea McKisic of Buckhannon; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by one great grandson Riley D. Heavner.

Betty was a Methodist by faith and member of the French Creek United Methodist Church; but had attended the many churches Bob was pastoring over the years. She was employed as a teller and later in the loan department of Adrian-Buckhannon Bank and retired from the loan department of United National Bank in Weston in 1998. Following her retirement from banking, she assisted her daughter and son-in-law at Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel. She was an excellent cook and loved to bake cookies, cakes, and pies for her friends, family, and especially her grandchildren. Her fiercely competitive spirit shone through whether she was on the golf course, where she made her first hole-in-one in her 70s, playing games with the family (especially Rook and Bridge), or never missing a WVU football or basketball game and the chance to cheer her Mountaineers to a victory. Some of her fondest memories were made at Myrtle Beach—a “second home” she dearly loved visiting. She was an avid shopper who could “out-shop” all of the younger members of her family. In the summer months, she could often be found working in her flower or vegetable gardens and growing beautiful flowers and produce from seed to fruition. Most of all though, she loved caring for and preparing a table full of food for her family and will leave an empty chair at the table that can never be filled.

The family sincerely appreciates the care of Miranda Ford and WVU Hospice.

Private services will be held for the family with the Rev. Gary McGrew officiating and private interment will be made in the Rocky Ford Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Upshur Cooperative Parish House, 68 College Avenue, Buckhannon, WV 26201 or the Buckhannon Christian Academy, PO Box 844, Buckhannon, WV 26201. The Cutright family of the Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel will conduct the services for their dear mother and grandmother.

Tribute Wall



“ 14 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel and Cremation Services - December 21, 2023 at 03:53 PM



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Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel and Cremation Services - May 30, 2023 at 10:08 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *LifeTributes*



Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel and Cremation Services - March 20, 2023 at 09:22 AM

TF

“ Betty was a beautiful soul who will be greatly missed by her family, friends and community.



Tillie & Ron Fowler - March 15, 2023 at 02:18 PM

JM

“ To Bob and family, remembering you in these days of sorrow. I know the memories you treasure and the love and peace of the Lord will bless you with joy and confidence in the days to come. Love and blessings, Jim McCune

Jim McCune - February 10, 2023 at 05:17 AM

PC

“ Bob, Debbie, Michelle, Randy and families, We were saddened to learn of Betty's passing. It is with fond memories we share of a wedding (almost 39 years now, Bob), wonderful school events (fun times, Michelle), and a beach vacation (really enjoyed by my mom with yours, Debbie and Michelle). It was always a special treat when my Dad brought home vegetables from Betty's bountiful garden in the summers. What great neighbors you all were to our family. I hope it helps to know we share in your sorrow. Thinking of you with sympathy.

The McGowan, Currence, Rollins, and Kelley families

Pat Currence - February 02, 2023 at 04:40 PM

CW

“ Bob, Debbie and your families, I'm sorry to learn of Betty's death. Sending sympathy to all of you as you face the days ahead.

Carol Jean Walton - February 02, 2023 at 12:29 PM

CL

“ *Bob and Family*

Our thoughts and prayers are with your family with the passing of Betty. Betty was such a sweet person who loved her family, friends, her community and the churches Bob pastored. Bob and Betty were a blessing with our Tennerton Community Council and she always made folks comfortable as she met them with a smile. Betty will never be forgotten by those she knew and supported. How proud you must be to have had such a lovely Wife, Mother, Grandmother and Great-Grandmother. Betty was a blessing to all who knew her. May God be with you at this time of loss.

Carol Long and Family

Carol Long - February 02, 2023 at 11:29 AM

DM

“ *Darlene Marsh lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner*



Darlene Marsh - February 01, 2023 at 06:33 PM

BM

“ *Bob and family:*

Our sincere condolences for your loss. It is often hard to find the right words at a time like this. May the family find peace, comfort, and all the love you need in the days to come.

Bill & Jill Marsh

Bill and Jill Marsh - February 01, 2023 at 12:10 PM

ML

“ *Bob, Randy, Michelle and Debbie, you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Marsha Lee - February 01, 2023 at 10:40 AM

PL

“ *Peggy Lamb lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner*



Peggy Lamb - February 01, 2023 at 02:37 AM

LC

“ *Linda & Joe Coffman lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner*



Linda & Joe Coffman - January 31, 2023 at 08:08 PM

FJ

“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Felicia Burger Westfall Johnston*

Felicia Burger Westfall Johnston - January 31, 2023 at 08:07 PM

NS

“ *Nancy Jones Schroeder lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner*



Nancy Jones Schroeder - January 31, 2023 at 07:42 PM

ST

“ *Stanley & Lorietta Tenney lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner*



Stanley & Lorietta Tenney - January 31, 2023 at 07:02 PM

VW

“ *Bob and family,
So sorry to hear of Betty's passing but know she is walking the streets of gold and not suffering anymore. Prayers for all the family at this time.*



Vickie Walton - January 31, 2023 at 05:35 PM

SH

“ *I'm very sorry to hear of Betty's passing. She was a wonderful lady. Prayers for you and your family.*

Sandra Hill - January 31, 2023 at 03:28 PM

LM

“ Bob and family,

We are shocked and saddened by the news of Betty's passing. Having known you both for nearly 60 years, you and she are two of the finest people we've ever known. We especially enjoyed the times when you served as interim pastor at FUPC - your messages and the fellowship with Betty and you are fixed in our memories. I can honestly say that everyone there (and elsewhere as well) had the greatest respect and highest regards for you two. God continue to be with you and yours, knowing how valued Betty was to so many and that she will be long remembered.

Our condolences, prayers and kindest regards,

Larry and Patti McCartney

Larry & Patti McCartney - January 31, 2023 at 11:46 AM

DC

“ Please accept our deepest condolences. We have many warm memories of Betty and Bob and your family. Prayers for a lovely lady and her family. John and Diane Collins

Diane Collins - January 31, 2023 at 11:27 AM

RB

“ Rick & Gina Ball lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner



Rick & Gina Ball - January 31, 2023 at 11:03 AM

SV

“ Bob, Randy, Michelle, Debbie, and family,
We send our sincere sympathy to you. Bob, we have so many wonderful memories of you and Betty during the time you were pastor at French Creek UM Church, and we will cherish those memories forever. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with your entire family.
May God comfort and bless you now and in the days to come.

Bill and Shelia Vanscoy

Shelia Vanscoy - January 31, 2023 at 09:28 AM

CP

“ We are so sorry to hear about Betty. She was always so kind and had a beautiful smile for everyone! Sending all of your family hugs!

Connie & Bill Painter - January 31, 2023 at 09:05 AM

KB

“ Kenny And Cathy Bonner lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner



Kenny and Cathy Bonner - January 31, 2023 at 07:17 AM

NS

“ Bob and family, We are so very sorry to hear of Betty's passing. She was a wonderful, caring lady. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.



Nelson and Rhonda Harlow Suder - January 31, 2023 at 01:00 AM

CN

“ My deepest sympathy to Bob and the family. Betty was such a sweet lady.

Cheryl Nethken - January 30, 2023 at 10:42 PM

CF

“ Carolyn Flory lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner



Carolyn Flory - January 30, 2023 at 10:12 PM

LS

“ Bob and Family,
We are so sorry to hear of Betty's passing. She was a wonderful lady, that always had a smile and kind word.
Please accept our sincere condolences for your loss.
Rodney and LuAnn Strader

LuAnn Strader - January 30, 2023 at 10:01 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Sue Heavner.*



January 30, 2023 at 09:49 PM

DH

“ *Sorry for loss.*

Dave Hines - January 30, 2023 at 09:19 PM

MH

“ *Our prayers are with Bob and the family. Betty will be greatly missed. May the Lord be with you all.*

Mike, Natalie and Leanna Hinkle

Michael E Hinkle - January 30, 2023 at 08:29 PM

RM

“ *Bob, Debbie and ALL the family...
I have known Betty, her Sister Rosalea, her Brother Neil and her Mother and Dad all my life... We all grew up in the Bethlehem Community... Betty and the whole family were well respected in that community... She was always so nice and I remember she hired me to hand letter the big window over the front door of the bank where she worked in Weston, many years ago... Occasionally I would see her and talk to her at the Riverwalk..
It is always so hard to come up with words at a time like this. We want you to know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Betty is resting in peace now.
We just want to express our condolences to ALL the family at this time of sorrow.*

Roger & Lois Marsh - January 30, 2023 at 08:26 PM

JG

“ *I am so very sorry for your families loss, you are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

Jill Goss - January 30, 2023 at 07:37 PM

JS

“ *Janice Shaffer lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner*



janice shaffer - January 30, 2023 at 07:32 PM

JS

Many uplifting prayers for Bob and family. Betty was such a sweet and kind soul. Heaven surely gained a beautiful angel

janice shaffer - January 30, 2023 at 07:34 PM

TR

“ *I am very sorry for your loss.. Betty was a lovely lady.. Prayers for your family..*

Terry Rice - January 30, 2023 at 07:01 PM

TR

“ *Terry Rice lit a candle in memory of Betty Sue Heavner*



Terry Rice - January 30, 2023 at 06:58 PM

WS

“ *Debbie and Family,
So sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. May you find comfort in the happy memories that you share.
Love and Prayers,
Wilma (Bennett) Small*

Wilma (Bennett) Small - January 30, 2023 at 06:25 PM

JF

“ *Bob, Randy, Michelle and Debbie and families, as I read this obit my heart was breaking for you all. Please accept our sympathies from the Fisher family. Betty was such a lovely and wonderful and caring person. She will be truly missed. We are sending hugs and prayers for comfort and strength. May God envelope you all in his loving arms of love and protection.*

Jewel Fisher - January 30, 2023 at 04:50 PM

RA

“ To the Heavner family,
Roger and I are sorry for your loss. May you get through
this difficult time through prayers and the comfort of friends.
Roger and Libby Abel



Roger Abel - January 30, 2023 at 04:31 PM

KC

“ I always thought what a beautiful Lady she was. Our prayers go out to Bob,
Family and Friends.
Fly High With The Angels and sing loud in Gods Choir

Karen and Orville Collins - January 30, 2023 at 04:12 PM

FL

“ Bob and family. I know Betty will be missed by so many. Enjoyed working with her
and her friendship meant a lot. Prayers of peace.

Frances Lockhart - January 30, 2023 at 04:09 PM

DB

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family



Diane Bender - January 30, 2023 at 04:07 PM

PG

“ So sorry for your loss hugs and prayers



Patty Gregory - January 30, 2023 at 03:43 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Betty Sue Heavner.*



January 30, 2023 at 03:40 PM

RR

“ *Betty was always so kind and sweet. Prayers for Bob and Family*

Randy Reger - January 30, 2023 at 03:23 PM

CP

“ *Dear Dr. Linger and family, Clay and I send our condolences, prayers and love during this difficult time. We ask for God to hold you all so close that you can feel His heartbeat and the comfort offered to you by the Holy Spirit. May you rest in your precious memories now and in the coming days; sending all our love.*

Clay and Karen Persinger - January 30, 2023 at 03:19 PM

PT

“ *Very sorry. I was lucky to see her last summer at the Jerry Run Summer Theater, where her grandson was performing. I worked with her at the Adrian Buckhannon Bank for a couple of years. My sympathy to her family.*
Tricia Tolliver

Patricia Tolliver - January 30, 2023 at 02:35 PM

JM

“ *So sorry for loss Debbie and family God gained another angel John McDaniels road the school bus with her Albert Johnson drive the bus they had a good time on number 6A Fly High Beautiful Lady till we met again Love John and Sheila McDaniels*

John and Sheila McDaniels - January 30, 2023 at 02:23 PM

DC

Dearest Precious Bob, Debbie and Family:: My love, thoughts and prayers to you all...hugs to everyone..Dixie LeAnna (McDaniels) Corbett

Dixie L. Corbett - January 30, 2023 at 03:18 PM

MB

Rev. Heavner and Family,

Please accept my deepest sympathy. Betty was a lovely lady and together you and Betty and your precious family have touched the lives and hearts of so many in this and surrounding communities with love, and prayers. May you now feel the same comfort and support as it is being sent to you.

God Bless and hold you close now and in the days ahead. Millie McGee Beer

Millie McGee Beer - January 30, 2023 at 04:37 PM

JP

My condolences to the Bob and the family

Joyce Brooks Posey - January 30, 2023 at 05:05 PM

LM

Bob, Debbie and family, Sorry to hear of Betty's passing, very kind and wonderful lady, May God give you peace and understanding and hold all of you close to him, Speak the word Lord and your servant will know, God Bless Larry Marsh family

Larry & Kathy Marsh - January 30, 2023 at 06:33 PM

SP

Bob, Debbie Nick and the rest of your family accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your Wife, Mother and Grandmother. May God give all of you peace. Blessing, Samanna Peck

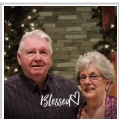
Samanna Peck - January 30, 2023 at 07:07 PM

CF

So sorry for your loss. She was a very nice lady. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of you during this difficult time.

Carolyn Sites Flory and Joy Loudin

Carolyn Flory - January 30, 2023 at 10:10 PM



*Bob, Randy, Michelle and Debbie,
We are so sorry to hear of Betty's passing ! Loved the times we could fellowship together and Betty will certainly be missed. You are in our prayers !*

Eileen Dean - January 31, 2023 at 12:01 PM

RS

Bob, and the family, I'm sure she will be very much missed. She was a wonderful lady. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.

Rachel Smith - January 31, 2023 at 04:57 PM

CP

So sorry for your loss. Prayers for comfort.

Carol Perry - January 31, 2023 at 05:49 PM



Saddened, and yet confident of her salvation. She and Bob were both exceptional people. Condolences to Bob, Nick, and the rest of the family. 🙏

Steve & Carolyn Hornbeck. - February 01, 2023 at 06:41 PM