



Betty Lou Heitzman

May 13, 1938 - July 1, 2025

Betty Lou Heitzman, 87, of Pilot Point, TX, passed away Tuesday, July 1, 2025 in Richardson, TX. Betty was born May 13, 1938 in Dorchester, TX to Francis and Grace (Kraft) Bridges. She married Charles Edward Heitzman in Pilot Point, TX on June 25, 1955.

Betty loved God, family, sewing, and, of course, her special ladies that she met with once a week. Betty lived many years on the Heitzman farm where they raised two kids, peanuts, hay, and cattle. She was always ready to listen to anybody that just needed to be heard. The holidays will not be the same without her, as she always made them so special.

Betty is survived by her son, Rusty Heitzman and wife Sharon of Pilot Point, TX; three grandchildren, Wesley Heitzman, Casey Fabela and husband Erick, and Bryan Laskowski; two great-grandchildren, Adilynn Fabela and Kaysn Fabela; son-in-law, David Laskowski; brother, Jim Bridges of Pilot Point, TX; sister, Pat Hall of Sanger, TX; several nieces and nephews; and several special lady friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Francis and Grace; husband, Charles; daughter, Valerie Laskowski; brother, Mack Bridges; and two sisters, Judy Daniels and Linda Chambers.

Rosary with a visitation following will be held 6:30PM-8:00PM, Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00AM, Wednesday, July 9, 2025, at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church in Pilot Point, TX with Fr. Jason Allan officiating. Interment will follow at St. Thomas Cemetery in Pilot Point, TX. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center.

Previous Events

Rosary with visitation following

JUL 8. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Slay Memorial Chapel of Aubrey
400 South Highway 377
Aubrey, TX 76227
info@slaymemorial.com
<http://www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church
400 St. Thomas Aquinas Avenue
Pilot Point, TX 76258
<http://www.stthomaspilotpoint.org>

Burial

JUL 9 (CT)

St. Thomas Cemetery
St. James St. and Washington St.
Pilot Point, TX 76258

Tribute Wall

GN

“ Betty was three grades ahead of me in school and always so nice to we lower classmates. I always thought she was so beautiful! Betty always worked the lunches after the Catholic Church funeral services. I moved away from Pilot Point many years ago but if she saw me at a lunch, she would always pull me aside to visit with me. RIP, beautiful Betty!!

Geraldine Schon Nuckels

Geraldine Schon Nuckels - July 04, 2025 at 08:45 PM

ER

“ Emma Riney lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Heitzman



Emma Riney - July 04, 2025 at 04:25 PM

DR

“ Betty was so sweet and always so supportive of me and my decisions! She made it a point to always try to see me at Christmas at my sister Sharon and brother-in-law Rusty (her son) house. I visited with her in December and she hugged me so tightly and said she missed me. I lost my sweet husband just a few days after that . She said she was so happy for me that i was married to such a sweet man. Now i have lost them both!

Debrah Rippeteau - July 03, 2025 at 07:55 PM

MP

Betty was always so supportive, and a mentor to me . She could tell the funniest stories.. One of her godly gifts was when someone was down she could lift them up with one of her stories . Loved Betty . The Tioga YaYa's will miss her at our luncheons .

Martha Pels Pierce - July 04, 2025 at 11:01 AM

KR

“ Betty’ was married to my cousin and I baby sat with her 2 kids. Then later down the road I worked with he at Boeing. She was a good and funny person. Will miss you Betty.



Kathy Riney - July 03, 2025 at 06:47 PM

BK

“ Brenda Kruger lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Heitzman



Brenda Kruger - July 03, 2025 at 05:48 PM