



## Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert

September 7, 1939 - July 31, 2014

Elizabeth "Lizabeth" "Betty" Lou Rupert, of Willcox was born to Clyde and Clara Alger of South Dayton, New York on September 7, 1939 and was set free on July 31, 2014. Welcoming her home was her 10 year old sister Shirley. She had four children; Brian Rupert (Dolores), Gabrielle Rupert, Kelly Rupert Hamilton (Michael Longmire) and Mark Rupert (DeAnn). Betty had 17 grandchildren Ronald Rupert, Dustin Mikiska, Jared Hamilton, Colleen Rupert, Wesley Mikiska (Haley), Shane Hamilton (Katie), Jennifer Mikiska, Stoney Hamilton, Seth Rupert, Moe Rupert, Kelsey Rupert, Lucy Rupert, K.C. Rupert, Kodie Rupert, Kyan Rupert , Gabe Cancio and Vanessa Cancio Cooper. She had 10 great grandchildren. Her spirit will live in our hearts forever, she was beautiful, bold, strong spirited, daughter, sister, wife, mother and friend. Her critters as she called her pets will miss her immensely. Farewell to our mom and Nana. A Celebration of life will be held 11:00 A.M. Saturday, August 9, 2014 at Kelly's home 2841 N. McAleb Ave for celebration and lunch, family and friends please come to celebrate her life. No flowers there will be plenty. Please make a donation to the Charles Wm Leighton Jr. Hospice, P.O. Box 115, Willcox, Arizona 85644 or [www.charleswmleightonjr Hospice.com](http://www.charleswmleightonjr Hospice.com) we will never be able to thank them enough. She was preceded in death by Ronald Matthew Rupert (Husband), Ronald Matthew Rupert ( Grandson), Kelsey Marie Rupert (Granddaughter) and Gabrielle Ann Rupert (Daughter). Condolences may be extended to the family at [www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com](http://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com) Arrangements entrusted to Westlawn Chapel, Mortuary and Crematory of

Willcox, Arizona

# Cemetery Details

## Westlawn Crematory

105 S. Arizona Ave.  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

AUG 9. 11:00 AM (MT)

Kelly Hamilton Home  
2841 N. McAleb Ave  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert*

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *Kathleen Dobson-Hunt sent a virtual gift in memory of Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert*



**Kathleen Dobson-Hunt** - October 23, 2014 at 12:26 PM



“ *It was very shocking to hear that Betty had passed away. My thoughts have been with all of you since I heard & I pray that you're able to find some peace in this difficult time. I love your Mom a lot & wished that I'd gone to her house a second time then I was in Willcox when we lost my Mom. I stopped by to see her & got no answer at the door. I will always regret not going back again. Much love & heartfelt condolences to you all. She will be remembered for so many things that she contributed to my life for so long. God is being entertained by her now as we all have been. Love & positive thoughts to you all!*

**Vicki Motes** - August 27, 2014 at 04:42 PM



“ *prayers going out to the family! Mark, Kelly, Brian and familys... may god keep you in his arms and give you peace at this time.*

**Trudi Wright** - August 27, 2014 at 03:31 PM

MM

“ Kelly, Brian, Mark & Families...  
I am SO shocked to hear that Betty passed!! I swear she had gotten younger the past 15 or so yrs!! She was looking better than ever the last time I had seen her!!! I am SO SORRY I will miss her wit & charm!!! Please feel free to reach me, if I can help or do in any way!!! Kelly u were my second mom for so many yrs of my life!!! And for a few of them u really seemed like my first one!! I love u all & may peace be with u during this difficult time!!! Much love to all!!!  
With Love,  
Magan Motes

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**Magan Motes** - August 11, 2014 at 04:33 AM

KC

“ I always knew her as "Mrs. Rupert" - a teacher many years ago at the preschool my son attended - Wesleyan. She always had a smile on her face and a twinkle in her eye. 20 years after my son graduated from preschool she would ask about him. It always made me happy to run into her - at the store, at the movies, etc. My deepest sympathy to the family. I'm glad I knew her. Kathy Carter

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**Kathy Carter** - August 09, 2014 at 09:03 PM

BO

“ I just heard of your passing and you will be missed. You were always so fun to be around, you made everyone laugh, I saw you just a few weeks ago and we talk for over an hour in Dollar General. Life goes too fast, we need to make time to spend with those who are our friends. RIP and enjoy being with your granddaughter

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**bonnie** - August 09, 2014 at 07:17 PM

K\*

“ Kathleen Dobson-Hunt \*Kate lit a candle in memory of Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert



Kathleen Dobson-Hunt \*Kate - August 09, 2014 at 02:45 PM

K\*

*RIP Lizabeth, my Friend, my Sister. It will be hard not having you near to talk to, to share our life's stories, to travel out of town, to spend time with you and all your critters, you loved it when I brought you figs from our tree. The gifts we shared with each other, sharing with each other what we knew the other would love to have. Memories that I will have throughout time, knowing what a Wonderful Friend you were to me. I will Miss our chats, I will Miss seeing your Smiling face. Our Prayers to Your Family during this difficult time. Dobson-Hunt Family  
Kathleen \*Kate Tom, Eric, Ingrid, Thomas*

Kathleen Dobson-Hunt \*Kate - August 09, 2014 at 03:00 PM



“ Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert.



August 08, 2014 at 11:43 AM



“ Kelly, Mike and family - You are in our family's thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Lizabeth was always so fun to be around, our hearts ache for your loss of such a loving and passionate mother and Nana. With love, Ben, Michele, Hannah, Samantha and Delilah Judd.

Michele Judd - August 06, 2014 at 07:55 PM

JW

“ You were always such a positive inspiration to everyone you met!  
I will miss you! RIP. Our thoughts are with your loving children!

jennifer wortman - August 06, 2014 at 04:28 PM

SS

“ Betty you will be missed!!! :( she always  
made Thursdays interesting at the auction!!  
Never a dull moment with her around!! Love  
you ms Betty!!!



Sherrie Sohl - August 05, 2014 at 10:03 PM

AT

“ Anselmo & Bertha Torres lit a candle in  
memory of Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert



Anselmo & Bertha Torres - August 05, 2014 at 07:51 PM

AN

Our condolences Kelly and family for the loss of your sweet mother.

Anselmo - August 05, 2014 at 07:53 PM

CS

“ Cathe Shelton lit a candle in memory of  
Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert



Cathe Shelton - August 05, 2014 at 05:11 PM

VH

“ Vicki Mercer Hardy lit a candle in memory of  
Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert



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**Vicki Mercer Hardy** - August 04, 2014 at 08:28 AM

VH

*Oh Betty, us Mercer girls will miss you dearly, we have so many great memories with you, living next to you growing up was always so much fun...Dearest Kelly, Mark and Brian and your families, you all are in our prayers...*

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**Vicki Mercer Hardy** - August 04, 2014 at 08:30 AM

OB

“ *There was only one Betty! She will be missed so much. I loved running into her in town. We would catch up and talk for a good 30 minutes. You always new where you stood with Betty. She never beat around the bush. When I went into Safeway Today I took a moment and thought about her. As I write this tears are running down my face. Yes, she will be greatly missed. Oliver and Sheri Baker*

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**Oliver and Sheri Baker** - August 04, 2014 at 12:05 AM

MC

“ I think back to when I lived with the Rupert's and I immediately laugh when I think of all the banter that went on. Gaby, Kelly, Betty, all going at each other with that quick wit and dry humor! Dead snakes in the fridge, picking on Mark, the hits never stopped coming! Kelly, you KNOW you are in my prayers and can call for anything you need. Mark, Brian, you are also in my prayers. She is with Gaby and your Dad, and I, personally, find comfort in that. Fly high with the Angels, Betty, catch a cloud with Gaby and give her a big smooch! I love you guys!  
Mindy Curtis



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**Mindy Curtis** - August 03, 2014 at 04:34 PM



“ Patsy And Pete McCanne lit a candle in memory of Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert



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**Patsy and Pete McCanne** - August 01, 2014 at 02:20 PM

RF

“ Kevin & I are praying for you, Kelly & family. Love ya, Kevin & Ruthann Fewell

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**Ruthann Fewell** - August 01, 2014 at 12:15 AM



“ *Camping trips, drives out to the ranch , babysitting her grandkids for Kelly and Gabby . I got to know this one of a kind woman well. She was honest, blunt, strong, kind but tough . The most real person I ever knew. Many talks about my struggles growing up and my family. She always listened. I appreciated those moments now I treasure these memories. Forever in my heart you'll be, now fly with the Angels and tell Ron I said hey and Gab too. Brian , Mark, Kelly and Family God Bless you all .xoxo Robin and Hannah (Clark) Herreras.*

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**RobinandBill Desmarais** - July 31, 2014 at 04:11 PM



“ *Kathy Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert*



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**Kathy Hamilton** - July 31, 2014 at 03:06 PM



*keeping you in my thoughts and prayers, peace and comfort for all of you. love, Kathy*

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**Kathy Hamilton** - July 31, 2014 at 03:07 PM



“ *Donnis Black lit a candle in memory of Lizabeth "Betty" Rupert*



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**Donnis Black** - July 31, 2014 at 03:04 PM