



## Betty J. Williams

January 26, 1940 - January 28, 2022

Betty J. Williams, age 82, of Forrest City, died Friday, January 28, 2022, at the Unity Health Medical Center in Searcy, Arkansas. She had been in poor health for the past month.

Mrs. Williams was born January 26, 1940, in Trumann, Arkansas, and was the daughter of Virgil Richardson and Elzadie Lowery Richardson. She lived in St. Francis County most all of her life, was a nurse, and was a member of the Haynes Baptist Church.

Mrs. Williams married Marion Franklin 'Frank' Williams in 1960, and he survives her along with three sons; Kenneth Mark Williams and Greg Williams, and wife, Kristal, all of Forrest City, and Douglas G. Williams, and wife, Kim, of Haynes, five brothers; Ray Richardson, Terry Richardson, and David Richardson, all of Trumann, Jimmy Richardson of North Carolina, and Larry Richardson of Bismarck, Arkansas, four sisters; Joann Williams, Glenda Kaufman, Kathy Schmidt, and Sandra Beard, all of Trumann, six grandchildren; Misty, Scottie, Zackery, Karissa, Trent, and Zadio, and five great-grandchildren. She had one son, Franklin Dejuan Williams, one brother, Danny Richardson, and one great-grandchild, Astin Beale, who preceded her in death.

Services for Mrs. Williams will be held at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel,

11:00 A.M. Tuesday. Visitation will be Monday, 6:00 till 8:00 P.M., at Stevens Funeral Home. Burial will follow at the Nettleton Cemetery in Jonesboro, 2:00 P.M. Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the online registry.

# Cemetery Details

## Nettleton Cemetery

Jonesboro, AR

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 31. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Stevens Funeral Home  
220 North Washington  
Forrest City, AR 72335  
(870) 633-5400  
info@stevensfuneralhome.net  
<https://www.stevensfuneralhome.net/>

## Funeral Service

FEB 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

Stevens Funeral Home  
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## Interment

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FEB 1. 2:00 PM.

Nettleton Cemetery  
Jonesboro, AR

# Tribute Wall

CP

“ *Bettye worked with my mother in law, Deloris Henshaw. Deloris said she was a fine person and a fine nurse. I worked with Frank's, Bettye's husband, at Warwick and have remained a family friend through the years. Please, keep her family in your prayers for the Lord's comfort in the difficult days ahead. May She Rest in Peace* ”

Chris Perry - February 01, 2022 at 05:30 PM

SK

*Thank you*

skotty - February 10, 2022 at 01:56 AM

CP

*You are welcome  
I have known Franklin since 1971*

CHRISTOPHER Carson Perry - May 18 at 07:39 PM

PA

“ *Our Thoughts&prayers go out to each one of you during this time may U find some comfort in knowing that Mrs. Betty'll be watching down over you&that U will see her again one day soon. Sincerely, Renee&Branden Adams,& Ms. Terry Smith&family* ”



Paula Renee Adams - January 31, 2022 at 06:26 PM

SK

*Thank you*

skotty - February 10, 2022 at 01:56 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty J. Williams.*



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January 31, 2022 at 04:18 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Betty J. Williams.*



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January 31, 2022 at 01:28 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Betty J. Williams.*



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January 31, 2022 at 07:33 AM



“ *Betty was a wonderful sweet caring lady, nurse and friend. We were neighbors in Caldwell for years. I used to babysit for her boys and used to cut their hair. My brother Guy Duffel grew up with her 4 boys and was best friends with her son Dejuan. Sad to say I've only seen her once in the last several years due to my moving out of state. My condolences to the family during this difficult time.*

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**Terri Duffel** - January 30, 2022 at 07:44 PM

ST

“ Williams's, family sorry for your loss. late Dejuan, Mark, Doug, and Greg were my former students many years ago. They attended Caldwell Elementary school. I taught them, when they were second grade. Sending prayers to your family.



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**Shirley Williams Thorn** - January 30, 2022 at 04:23 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Betty J. Williams.



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January 30, 2022 at 12:13 PM

LS

“ I always liked Betty & enjoyed working with her. Homer & I enjoyed being with Betty & Frank at their gospel jam sessions at Haynes Baptist Church. She will be missed by her family, her church family, & her many co-workers that she has worked without her long nursing career.

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**Linda Smith** - January 30, 2022 at 10:44 AM

PS

“ Betty is a cousin she's 10 years older than me. Loved her so much and miss her so much when we moved to Missouri. Will always remember how wonderful how wonderful Betty was. Love to all my cousins. Peggy Siler and her husband Bud

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**Peggy Siler** - January 29, 2022 at 07:25 PM

TB

“ Troy & Yvonne Boswell purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Betty J. Williams.



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**Troy & Yvonne Boswell** - January 29, 2022 at 06:31 PM

NS

“ I worded with her at Forrest View Medical Center many years ago- she was a great nurse and caring person. My thoughts and prayers are with her entire family.



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**Needra Sisson** - January 29, 2022 at 12:22 PM

TG

So sorry for the loss of your Mom. I worked with Betty at Forrest View Clinic in the mid 1970's. She was a wonderful person and friend. Thoughts, love and prayers are with you all. ❤️

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**Terry and Debbie Gilliam-Franklin** - January 30, 2022 at 10:54 AM