



Betty L Comer

December 5, 1932 - September 6, 2024

We are deeply saddened to announce the passing of our beloved mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and great-great grandmother. Betty L. Comer (91) of Zillah passed away on September 6, 2024, in Toppenish. Betty was born on December 5, 1932, to Vern and Lea Sparks. She was raised and educated in Toppenish graduating in 1951. On August 18, 1956, she married Bruce Comer. Betty was a homemaker and worked seasonally at Barbee Orchards for many years.

Betty was devoted and cherished by all her family and friends. She was known for her kind heart, beautiful smile, and unwavering strength. She touched the lives of everyone she met with her warmth and compassion. Her memory will live on in the hearts of those who knew her. Her selflessness and dedication to her loved ones knew no limits. She always put her family's needs above her own.

In Betty's free time she loved to cook and bake. She is well known for her delicious sugar cookies, all her Christmas treats, and her amazing dinners many have experienced. She loved all arts, crafts, and bazaars. She volunteered for many things around the area, including Mrs. Claus for so many years. She was two-time Woman of the Year in Toppenish. She loved playing cards with the girls, regularly. She loved traveling with the family on many summer trips. She rarely missed any of the kids' sporting events. Her passion for life and zest for adventure inspired all around her. She was a long-time member of the United Methodist Church and most recently the Grace

Brethren Church.

Betty is survived by two children, Connie (Steve) Gadley of Hawaii and Ben Comer of Zillah; three grandchildren, David (Diana) Gadley of Kentucky, Keith Comer, and Kent (Janelle) Comer of Zillah; eight great-grandchildren V.J., Terrance, Andrew, Kaiden, Hunter, Ridge, Kaylee, and Kenna, and six great-great grandchildren with two on the way.

She is preceded in death by her spouse, Bruce Comer in 1989 and a granddaughter, Kristi Jones in 2024.

Visitation will be Friday, September 13, 2024, from 1-4 PM at Colonial Funeral Home. A celebration of life will be at a later date.

A Celebration of Life will be held on October 6, 2024 from 1-4 PM at Pernham Hall at the Old Warehouse in Zillah. There will be a Chardonnay with ice toast (if you know, you know) around 3 PM, but feel free to stop by at any time! We are excited to see everyone!

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **13**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (PT)

Colonial Funeral Home
228 S. Alder
Toppenish, WA

Tribute Wall

JD

“ *Jeni Doolin lit a candle in memory of Betty L Comer*



Jeni Doolin - September 19, 2024 at 11:51 AM

JD

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Betty's passing, she is was such a sweet lady. Rest easy* ❤️❤️

Jeni Doolin - September 19, 2024 at 11:50 AM

CA

“ *I have many fond memories of Betty thru the years. She was always very kind and thoughtful to others.
Condolences Are With Betty's family at this time.
With Love and Prayers Cheryl Affholter and Family*

Cheryl Affholter - September 14, 2024 at 02:15 PM

MH

“ *So for your loss.*

Terry Merck

monte heggie - September 13, 2024 at 04:40 PM

KL

“ Betty Comer was a sweet and caring lady. She loved her immediate family: Bruce (her husband who taught math. in the Toppenish School District), her daughter (Connie) and her son, (Ben). She was devoted in her care of each member. Later came grandchildren and great-grandchildren whom she undoubtedly loved as well! Betty visited the pharmacy in Toppenish from time to time. It was there that I had the pleasure of visiting with her. I especially liked her “forever” smile and “sweet” personality. In addition , Betty volunteered time with the Toppenish Mural Society and frequently attended the Toppenish Ranch Party . She was well liked and will be missed by many Toppenish friends and residents. Thank you for your loving service. Prayers and blessings,
Karen Lommers



Karen Lommers - September 11, 2024 at 09:51 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Betty L Comer.



September 11, 2024 at 06:22 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty L Comer.



September 11, 2024 at 04:36 PM

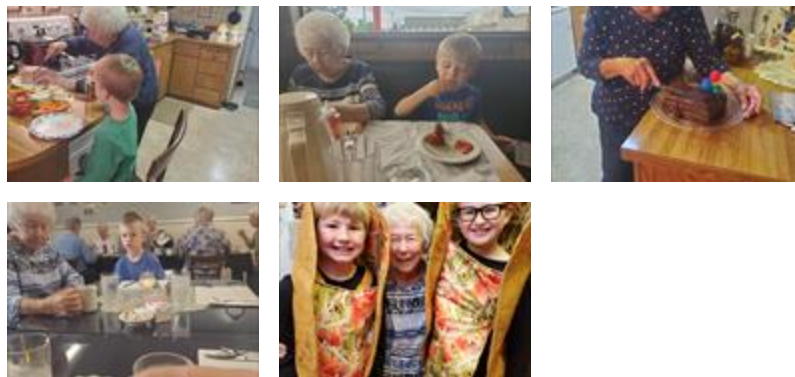
SB

“ *My sincere condolences to Betty’s family.
She was a sweet lady. I was so happy that I got to know her through
church.
Truly will be missed. Rest in peace Betty. ❤️*

Susan Bounds - September 11, 2024 at 02:33 PM

KC

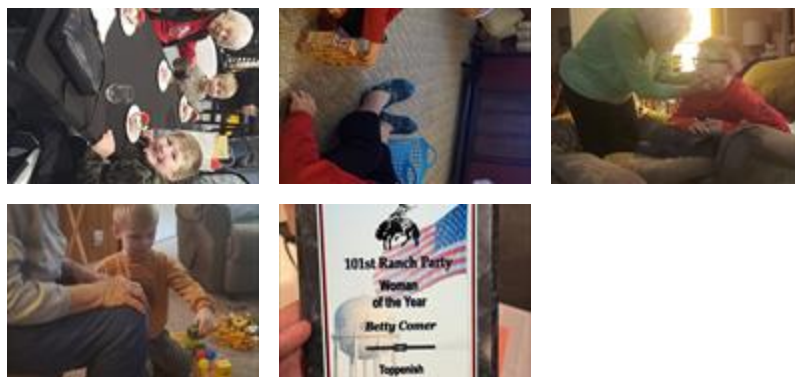
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Keith comer - September 11, 2024 at 01:46 PM

KC

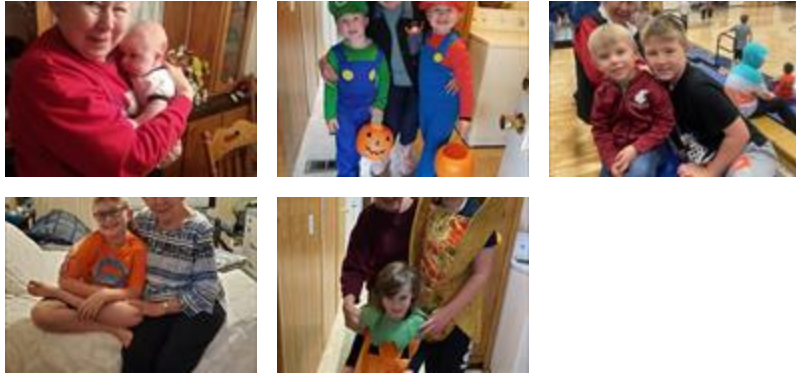
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Keith comer - September 11, 2024 at 01:42 PM

KC

“ 10 files added to the tribute wall



Keith comer - September 11, 2024 at 01:40 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Keith comer - September 11, 2024 at 01:39 PM

KL

*Adorable pictures, Keith. Thanks for sharing them.
Karen Lommers*

Karen Lommers - September 11, 2024 at 10:38 PM

LN

Beautiful pictures Keith. She was a very sweet lady and neighbor. She will be missed for sure. I remember the margaritas drink with her grandson Dave. And her awesome cinnamon rolls she made and share with us neighbors with coffee. Betty , we miss you.

Linda Kulhavy - neighbor. - September 12, 2024 at 12:14 PM

TB

Growing up Betty & Connie lived in my neighborhood, we were back fence neighbors. She was like a 2nd mom to me & Mr&Mrs. Sparks were like grandparents to me. She was so sweet she will be missed

terri Balner-Saxlund - September 13, 2024 at 10:07 PM

CA

I have many fond memories of Betty thru the years. She was always very kind and thoughtful of others.

With Love and Prayers, Cheryl Affholter and family

Cheryl Affholter - September 14, 2024 at 02:18 PM

CJ

We became acquainted with Betty and her family when Ben and Darrin started kindergarten. Wonderful fun and memories include shopping, which she loved, just her and I and lunch at the Bon Marche, and with the boys for school. Wasn't exactly Darrin's idea of a Saturday, but Ben was a trooper.

Christmas baking, lots of school volunteer projects, also included Arlene and Joyce, and the boys sports.

Betty loved family, friends, and she was one, and socializing , and life to the fullest.

We are blessed for the time she was here and the memories she has left us with. Some with laughter, some just being there for her, some to cherish always.

May her love of you, her family and who she was, help you in the days ahead.

Rest in peace and love dear friend,

Jerry ,Carol, and family

Marvina and Bryan

Carol Johnson - September 21, 2024 at 02:05 AM