



Betty Sue Davis

June 4, 1943 - April 14, 2026

Betty Sue Davis, 82, of Gilmer, Texas, was born on June 4, 1943, in Shreveport, Louisiana, to Wilburn Ellison and Ovie Jewell McCarver Ellison and passed from this life on April 14, 2026, in Little Rock, Arkansas, surrounded by her family.

Betty married Dell Davis on February 22, 1963. She taught vocational classes in Gilmer ISD for 30 years before her retirement. Betty was a faithful member of First Baptist Church.

Those left to cherish her memory are her children, Lori Houghtaling (Stewart), Rodney Davis, and Traci Cole (Bobby); brother, Bobby Ellison (Pat).

She was preceded in death by her parents; and her husband, Dell Davis.

A memorial visitation will be held from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm, Sunday, April 19, 2026, in the chapel of McWhorter Funeral Home.

Please visit Betty's online registration book at www.mcwhorterfh.com to leave a memory for the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **19**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

WW

“ I just found out about Mrs Betty's home going. Very sorry to hear this. She was a dear friend to my mother, and a very special person. Praying for the family during this time.

Wayne Whiteside - April 21 at 01:11 PM

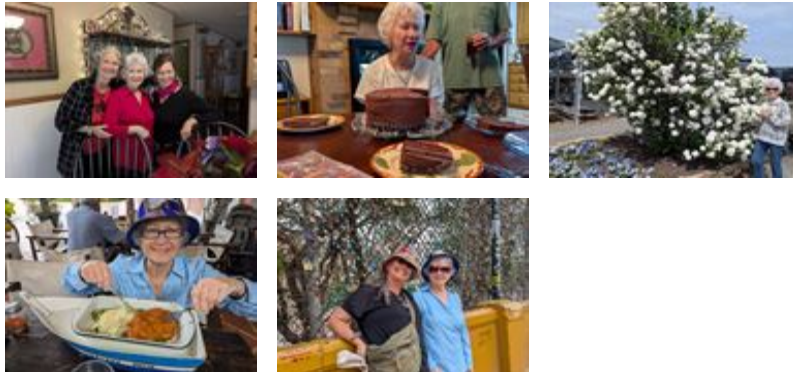
LC

“ met Betty only a few years ago through a mutual friend. She had such a young soul and was always so fun to be around. We will sure miss her.
To the family of our dear friend... you are in our thoughts and prayers. May you find peace and comfort during the loss of this special lady.

Liz Carter - April 19 at 04:58 PM



“ 103 files added to the album LifeTributes



McWhorter Funeral Home - April 18 at 06:05 PM

SF

“ Prayers and thoughts for all of you.
Condolences,
Stacey Fowler Nolen

Stacey Fowler - April 18 at 04:40 PM



“ 44 files added to the album Life Tributes



McWhorter Funeral Home - April 18 at 03:24 PM

NR

“ Betty and I were high school classmates and she was such a great friend. We have kept in touch all these years . My prayers for her sweet family that she loved so much.

Nancy Shiflet Rogers - April 18 at 12:24 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Betty Sue Davis.

April 17 at 09:14 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Sue Davis.*



April 17 at 09:14 PM



“ *My memory of Betty Sue is all of the stories that Janette use to tell me about her and their adventures. I felt like I knew her before I ever met her. The grief that we share with her family is beyond belief and our hearts and condolences go out to Lori, Tracy and Rodney for this loss. She was an exceptional woman who loved life as much as possible and loved you all tremendously. She never missed a chance to update us on each of you throughout the years we knew her. Know that our hearts and prayers go out to each of you for peace and understanding during this time of grief.*

Michael Allan Patterson - April 17 at 11:10 AM



“ *The Barthols purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphillum for the family of Betty Sue Davis.*



The Barthols - April 17 at 10:21 AM



“ *I love Ms Davis. She had more confidence in me than I had in myself. She challenged me. I am so thankful to have had her in my life*

Aaron Deason - April 16 at 11:22 PM

DB

My deepest condolences 🙏 and prayers to the family and friends 🙏 Ms Davis was a beautiful person inside and out. So glad we wher Facebook friends. I already miss her posting things. Take your rest In peace and in His Loving arms Ms Betty.

Donna Brooks - April 17 at 04:55 AM

EL

Have known Betty since my young teenage years. We attended church together at Coffeerville Baptist in our younger days. I have many wonderful memories of her and have prayed for the Lord to give her family comfort during these difficult days.

*Edwinna Poole Loftis
Memphis, TN*

Edwinna Poole Loftis - April 17 at 11:01 AM