



## Betty Jean Moore Jernigan

January 17, 1928 - May 21, 2011

Betty Jean Moore Jernigan was born on January 17, 1928 in Lindsay, Oklahoma to Marion Moore and Lottie (Glass) Moore. She married Donald Lee Jernigan on October 13th, 1945 in Winfield, Kansas. Betty passed from this life into the hands of her Heavenly Father on Saturday, May 21st, 2011 in Lindsay, Oklahoma at the age of 83.

Betty returned to live in Lindsay around 1975 after her husband retired from Conoco in Ponca City. Her Mom and Dad moved at the same time. Betty was active in Professional Business Women's Club, holding the position of President at one time. She was a member of the Church of God, and was always active in her church.

Betty worked as a Bell Telephone operator, was owner of a Merle Norman Store in Newkirk, Oklahoma, and worked at the Ben Franklin's store in Lindsay for years. In later years, she sat with folks who were ill and terminal.

Betty loved to play the organ and piano. She also loved fishing with family at Lake Texoma. Betty, her husband, Donald, and her Mom and Dad shared a love of gardening and canning.

Mrs. Jernigan is survived by two sons, Darl Jernigan and DeJuan Jernigan, two grandchildren; Colby Jernigan and Melisa Persuad and two great-

grandchildren; Adrian Persuad and Darian Persuad.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Donald Lee Jernigan, her parents, Marion and Lottie Moore and one brother, Mancil Moore.

Funeral services for Mrs. Jernigan are set for two o'clock p.m. on Monday, May 23rd, 2011 at the Church of God in Erin Springs, Oklahoma located South of Lindsay on Highway 76 with Rev. Greg Hatchett officiating. Interment will follow at Green Hill Cemetery in Lindsay, Oklahoma. Services are under the direction of B.G. Boydston Funeral Home of Lindsay, Oklahoma. Condolences for the family may be made online at [www.boydstonfuneralhome.com](http://www.boydstonfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Betty was an angel. She took care of my Aunt Grace Sawyer. It was a blessing to have known her.*

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**Lisa Sawyer Smith** - May 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Betty Jernigan Family Family;<br><br>Sorry for your loss.We were distant relatives of Sam/Eve Harris's & Marion/Lottie Glass Moore Moore of Ponca City,Okla.*

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**Jack and Evelyn Gregory** - May 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *TO THE JERNIGAN FAMILY. DEJUAN I READ THIS POEM ONCE AND IT IS CALLED A NOTE FROM HEAVENAND GOES LIKE THIS. IF I COULD WRITE FROM HEAVEN THIS IS WHAT I WOULD SAY,PLEASE DON'T MISS ME TO MUCH I'M WITH YOU THROUGHOUT YOUR DAY YOU MAY NOT SEE OR HEAR ME, BUT IF YOU'RE QUIET AND STILL, YOU MAY JUST FEEL MY PRENCE; BECAUSE, IN HEAVEN, THERE IS FREE WILL, DON'T WORRY FOR THE DAY, IT WILL COME AND GO AS PLANNED, ENJOY EACH MOMENT YOU ARE GIVEN, KEEP WORRY FROM YOUR HAND. KEEP SORROW TO A MINIMUM; FOR IF HEAVEN YOU COULD SEE, YOU'D KNOW THAT I'M SAFE AND HAPPY, I DID NOT CEASE TO BE MOMENTS IN TIME ARE BRIEF, UNTIL WE'LL BE TOGETHER AGAIN, AS ETERNITY LAST FOREVER, OUR LIVES THEY HAVE NO END. I PRAY DURNING THIS DIFFICULT TIME THAT THE LORD COMFORT YOU AND YOU FAMILY WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY.*

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**RHONDA CROSBY** - May 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the Jernigan family: On behalf of my parents Hollis and Evelyn Thurmond, be assured that our family remembers you in this time. Our families have been friends for decades in Ponca City, attending church together and Don and Hollis working at Conoco. Your family was active (including the Marion and Lottie Moore)in the church, and I remember Don leading the singing. All have left a christian heritage with those who knew them. They are with God now, and He is also with you in spirit. His strength is available for you now. A blessing on your family.<br><br>Sincerely, Dwight Thurmond

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**Evelyn and Burton Thurmond** - May 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mrs Betty was a pleasure to take care of I will greatly miss her and my prayers go out to you all

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**Maria Conley Cna** - May 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM