



## Betty Jane Horton

March 22, 1930 - July 19, 2013

Betty J. Horton

age 83

of Bangor

passed away in a motor vehicle accident Friday, July 19, 2013. Betty was born March 22, 1930 in Arlington Township, the daughter of Tharold and Zella (Page) Hogmire and has lived all of her life in the Bangor area. She was a historian, legal secretary, and was on the Van Buren District Library Board in Decatur for over 30 years. She enjoyed quilting, sewing and genealogy. Surviving are her 2 children, Richard (Gail) Horton of Bangor, Laura (Randy) Darr of Paw Paw; 4 grandchildren, Stacy (Wes) Frisbie of Parchment, Lynn Brink of Paw Paw, Kenneth Horton of Bangor, Dustin Horton of Bangor; 3 great grandchildren, Ethan Frisbie, Randy Frisbie, Adriana Brink; 2 brothers, Tharold Hogmire, Jr., Henry Hogmire; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Richard Horton. The family will meet friends 10 - 12 noon Wednesday, July 24, 2013 at the Bangor Chapel, D. L. Miller Funeral Home where the funeral service will be 12:00 Noon. Interment will follow in Arlington Hill Cemetery, Bangor, MI.

# Cemetery Details

## Arlington Hill Cemetery

56838 - 28th Avenue  
Bangor, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 24. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bangor Chapel  
258 West Monroe Street  
Bangor, MI

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Stacy Frisbie lit a candle in memory of Betty Jane Horton



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**Stacy Frisbie** - July 31, 2013 at 07:57 PM



*Love and Miss you Gram! We all do: Wes, Ethan, Randy and Myself...I know that you are Randy's Guardian Angel and always will be! I could go on and on of everything I will miss about you...I will miss my dinner buddy..you loved old country barfet ( that's what you called it), King Wok Buffet, you were always there when anyone needed you, day or night...you helped me more than you know with the kids.  
Love You and Always Will,  
Your Grand daughter,  
Stacy*

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**Stacy Frisbie** - July 31, 2013 at 08:06 PM

CH

“ Chris lit a candle in memory of Betty Jane Horton



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**Chris** - July 26, 2013 at 10:50 PM

SG

“ I can't even put into words the sadness that i feel for the loss of such a great woman. I feel like she was a part of my family along with Lynn, Stacy, Laura and Randy. I grew up with Lynn. I remember going to her grams house with her, hiding from her crazy cat or going out to eat. Betty was an amazing woman. She was loud and funny, always spoke her mind, had an opinion about everything, and above all else she loved her family and would do anything for them. You may be gone physically, but your spirit will always be here, we'll all miss you!!!

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**Sara Gray-Wolfe** - July 23, 2013 at 08:45 PM

TB

“ My cousins Richard and Laura....I cannot say words that will comfort you in your loss. I always enjoyed Aunt Betty...we could talk about law and our mutual liberal to left wing political views without acrimony. We are both of strong progressive opinion. I remember so well the time in our childhoods when Uncle Ken and Aunt Betty drove out to California to visit with us when we lived in La Puente. Great to get to know our cousins from way up north....at that time in my life I had never seen snow. In 1962 we returned to Bangor in the middle of a harsh winter. We shared meals with your family....the adults always telling stories that were not quite "fit" for our ears....Aunt Betty laughing raucously. How I will miss that laugh. Both your parents live on through you and your children and those well beyond today's vision.

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**thomas e betz** - July 23, 2013 at 04:46 PM

LD

*Thank you tom it was great to see you at the class reunion.*

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**Llaura Darr** - July 29, 2013 at 05:22 AM



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**Stacy Frisbie** - July 23, 2013 at 04:29 PM

BK

“ *Richard & Lara, your mother was a guiding light as we were growing up, never letting us stray too far. That my be why we always headed for the farm and to play outdoors. A lot of memories and I know she will be missed. Take care, everyone.*

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**Bill Krohn** - July 23, 2013 at 08:49 AM

LD

*Thank you bill*

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**Laura Darr** - July 29, 2013 at 05:24 AM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Jane Horton.*



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July 23, 2013 at 07:58 AM

EH

“ I remember the first time I saw a hummingbird was with Aunt Betty:) And she used to let me & my sister (Amber Adkins) bang on the piano like the crazy girls we were!! And when we said we were hungry, she would dig around in the fridge like a "Mary Poppins" bag, and produce a lot of tin foil wrappers and we would all just dig in!!!!:) And best of all.....she would let me sneak into Great Gram's room and get funky with the perfume! Hahaaa!!:D Miss you Aunt Betty.....been missing you. Love you!!!:)

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**Erin Hogmire** - July 22, 2013 at 02:57 PM

LD

Love you Erin. You two girls have always been special in my book.  
Laura

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**Laura Darr** - July 29, 2013 at 05:26 AM

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**Erin Hogmire** - July 22, 2013 at 02:57 PM

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Chris - July 22, 2013 at 02:50 PM

CH

*Betty during a visit with cousin Baroathy Pickett in South Haven 11/8/2010*

Chris - July 22, 2013 at 02:51 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Jane Horton.*



July 22, 2013 at 08:33 AM

 Amber Adkins

“ *Amber Adkins lit a candle in memory of Betty Jane Horton*



Amber Adkins - July 21, 2013 at 04:00 PM

 Amber Adkins

*I LOVE YOU AUNT BETTY!! I MISS YOU, AND THE FAMILY SO VERY MUCH! I HAVE MANY GREAT MEMORIES OF YOU & I. I LOVE YOU...*

Amber Adkins - July 21, 2013 at 04:01 PM

JR

“ *Judy Rainey lit a candle in memory of Betty Jane Horton*



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**Judy Rainey** - July 21, 2013 at 09:52 AM

LD

*Thank you judy*

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**Laura Darr** - July 29, 2013 at 05:29 AM