



## Betty Jean Adams

November 5, 1936 - August 12, 2021

Betty Jean Adams, 84 of Carthage, Missouri, passed away peacefully in her home on Thursday, August 12, 2021. Betty was born on November 5, 1936 to Cecil Burk and Edna “Abbott” Burk in Webb City, Missouri. She was a Webb City High School Graduate from the class of 1954 and after moved to Carthage. Betty was a member of the Retreads Motorcycle Club out of Joplin. She worked at Elders Manufacturing for a while before starting at Schreiber Foods. She dedicated 30 years to Schreiber’s before retiring from there. Betty was joined in marriage by Roger R. Adams of Carthage, Missouri; he preceded her in death on December 16, 2019.

Betty is survived by one son, Butch Adams and his wife Jan; two daughters Pam Livingston and husband Tim, and Becky Adams Ogle and husband Scott; one brother Bill Burk; eight grandchildren, 13 great- grandchildren; and her trusty sidekick and therapy dog Sheldon Cooper.

She is preceded in death by her husband Roger R. Adams; one son, Russel Adams; and her parents Cecil and Edna Burk.

A graveside service has been scheduled for Betty at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 21, 2021 at Curtis Cemetery in Carthage, Missouri.

Online condolences may be made at [www.ulmerfh.com](http://www.ulmerfh.com).

Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Curtis Cemetery

West of Carthage. Go west on Fairview to the end & jog. Continue west; cemetery is on the right.

# Previous Events

AUG **21**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ We are so sorry to hear of Betty’s passing. Even though our paths haven’t crossed that often in recent years. I had the privilege to work with your Mother many years at Schreiber Foods. But my fondest memory was your Mom and Dad and you kids were some of our first neighbors after Mary Jane and I got married and lived in a mobile home down the street next to the Rosenthal’s. I also remember your parents motorcycling. Your Mom was so sweet to us, and I can still see her little smile. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. Be strong.

*John and Mary Jane Stevens*

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**John and Mary Jane Stevens** - August 17, 2021 at 01:59 PM

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“ Sorry to hear about the loss of my Aunt Betty, condolences to her family and friends.  
*Terry Weil*



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**Terry Weil** - August 16, 2021 at 05:35 PM