



Betty Lou Vorhies

March 22, 1943 - September 16, 2025

Betty Lou Vorhies, 82, of Glendive, Montana, passed away peacefully at her home surrounded by her loving family on Tuesday, September 16, 2025. A graveside service will be held at Pleasant View Cemetery on Saturday, September 27, 2025, at 2 PM with Pastor Chuck Rushing officiating. A reception will follow at the family farm. Everyone is welcome. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Betty was born on March 22, 1943, in Devil's Lake, North Dakota, the daughter of Arthur and Florence (Jusola) Boehmer. She spent most of her childhood in Fargo, North Dakota, and graduated from high school in Dilworth, Minnesota.

On February 22, 1962, Betty married the love of her life, Delbert Vorhies, in Sunnyvale, California. Together they made their home on the family farm on Pleasant View Road west of Glendive, where they raised their two children, Shari and John. Betty embraced the life of a farmer's wife wholeheartedly—working alongside Delbert with the chores, keeping her family full with lovingly-cooked hot meals, and ensuring their home was always welcoming. She was rooted in her rural community, serving as an Eastern Star member and participating in the Pleasant View homemaker's club for many years.

Betty found great joy in the outdoors. She especially loved fishing and

camping with family and friends, making memories across the North Dakota border at Odland's Dam, Camels Hump Lake, and Lake Tschida, and, of course, along the nearby Yellowstone River and at Ft. Peck. She had a warm, nurturing spirit and loved nothing more than spending time with her family. One of her greatest joys was becoming a grandmother to Michael, with whom she shared countless hours while the family worked on the farm. Betty's steady love and quiet strength were the foundation of her family.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her beloved son, John Lee Vorhies; her brothers, Jack (Jeanette) and Richard Boehmer; her sister, Linda (Don) Severson; her parents-in-law, Dorothy and Presley Vorhies; her brothers-in-law, Eddie Vorhies and Eldon Baker; and her sister-in-law, Julieann (Richard) Nielsen.

Betty is survived by her devoted husband of 63 years, Delbert, of Glendive; her daughter, Shari (Chuck) Kinsey, of Glendive; her cherished grandson, Michael (Laura) Kinsey, of Glendive; her sister, Cheryl Baker, of Apple Valley, Minnesota; her sister-in-law, Cil Boehmer, of Texas, and numerous nieces and nephews who will remember her with love.

The Vorhies family would like to extend heartfelt thanks to the GMC Hospice staff for their kindness, compassion, and support during Betty's final days.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at www.SilhaFuneralHomes.com

Cemetery Details

Pleasant View Cemetery

Rd 244
Pleasant View Rd
Glendive, MT 59330

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 27. 2:00 PM (MT)

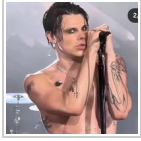
Pleasant View Cemetery
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Reception

SEP 27. 2:45 PM (MT)

Vorhies Family Farm
477 Road 244
Glendive, MT 59330

Tribute Wall



“ *Kymberley Allen lit a candle in memory of Betty Vorhies*



Kymberley Allen - September 23, 2025 at 05:04 PM

SS

“ *A good lady she was*



sue nentwig schwindt - September 21, 2025 at 06:13 PM

CK

“ *Clarence & Natalie, kids purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Betty Lou Vorhies.*



Clarence & Natalie, kids - September 20, 2025 at 11:47 PM

DE

“ *Don And Deb Evans lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Vorhies*



Don and Deb Evans - September 19, 2025 at 02:32 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Betty’s passing. Sending thoughts and prayers to our neighbors on Pleasantview. Cherish the memories!
Sherry and Arvid

Sherry Corneliusen - September 18, 2025 at 04:19 PM

CH

“ Carol Hanson sent a virtual gift in memory of Betty Vorhies



Carol Hanson - September 18, 2025 at 12:58 PM

KG

“ Delbert and all of Bettys families, sorry for your loss. She was always nice to us. Saw her while decorating graves a few years ago and had a nice conversation. She will be missed.
Ken and Mickey Gilbertson

Ken Gilbertson - September 18, 2025 at 11:36 AM

GR

“ Delbert, Sheri, Chuck and Mike sorry for your loss of Betty. Sending thoughts and hugs to all, memories will always be with you of the lives you shared. Blessing and love always.

Gary and Renee - September 17, 2025 at 09:54 PM

SS

“ *Shane Sanders lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Vorhies*



Shane Sanders - September 17, 2025 at 08:40 PM

BT

“ *Becky Tipton lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Vorhies*



Becky Tipton - September 17, 2025 at 06:42 PM

JB

“ *Jim And Alice Bachmeier lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Vorhies*



Jim and Alice Bachmeier - September 17, 2025 at 06:11 PM

SB

“ *Sharon Bain lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Vorhies*



Sharon Bain - September 17, 2025 at 05:12 PM

JD

“ Jodi And Bob Dobson sent a virtual gift in memory of Betty Lou Vorhies



Jodi and Bob Dobson - September 17, 2025 at 05:05 PM

AR

“ Andeen Raymond lit a candle in memory of Betty Lou Vorhies



Andeen Raymond - September 17, 2025 at 04:33 PM

LS

“ Lana (Mathison) Sanders lit a candle in memory of Betty Vorhies



Lana (Mathison) Sanders - September 17, 2025 at 04:03 PM

MB

“ Marie Barthel lit a candle in memory of Betty Vorhies



Marie Barthel - September 17, 2025 at 03:39 PM

LH

“ I remember going to their farm as a teenager and Betty Lou showed me how to milk a cow by hand! I even tried unpasteurized milk for the first time! She always had a smile on her face! She was that fun cousin with a smile on her face!

Laurel (Simonson) Hanson

Laurel Hanson - September 17, 2025 at 02:33 PM

LS

Among the many memories I have of Betty is when they were here in Bismarck just here a few weeks ago and we played her favorite game “Farkle”. I will always remember her smiles and giggles when she would beat Delbert and me. Rest in Peace my good friend. 🙏💕🙏

Lana (Mathison) Sanders - September 17, 2025 at 04:03 PM

LK

We spent so many weekends at the farm with Barb, Emmet ,and Tom. Always had lots of fun and laughs playing cards or whatever.sending prayers for you all during this time of sorrow.

Linda Young Knodel - September 17, 2025 at 05:20 PM

SS

When we were growing up we would get together every year with the Boehmer cousins. Through the years whenever we got together, we would bring out the silly in each other and laugh a lot. Betty Lou was a beautiful person with a fun personality, yet she had a deeply spiritual side to her as well. God bless her soul. 🙏📖💕

Sonia Star - September 17, 2025 at 07:29 PM

DZ

So sorry to hear. Don and I offer our sincere condolences to Betty's family! She will be missed. Hugs to all.

Don and Penny Z - September 17, 2025 at 10:45 PM

CB

I really miss my sister Betty, was there from Aug. 18th to Sept. 5, really loved being there for her. And now I'm the last one left from our family

Cheryl Baker - September 18, 2025 at 09:04 AM

KM

Betty was such a smiling , friendly lady! What a life they built together!

kevin McGovern - September 18, 2025 at 09:33 AM