



## Betty Bertoli

July 3, 1943 - November 9, 2020

Mrs. Betty Kilgore Bertoli, 77, passed away on November 9, 2020. A Funeral Mass will be Celebrated on Friday, at 10 AM in the Williams Funeral Chapel in Milledgeville. Entombment will follow in Heritage Memorial Park. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday from 9 AM until the service hour.

Mrs. Bertoli was a native and lifelong resident of Baldwin County. She was the daughter of the late Charlie Kilgore and Berta Mae Broadnax Kilgore and was preceded in death by her husband, Richard William Bertoli. Mrs. Bertoli was a Registered Nurse and had also received her Master's in Education. She worked at Central State Hospital and taught Nursing and Health Occupation. She was the Manager of the Hope House and a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

She is survived by her son, James Bray, Jr. of Milledgeville; daughters, Suzie Miller (Dan) of Maricopa, AZ, and Dr. Jeannie Bertoli of St. Petersburg, FL.; grandchildren, Cliff Bray(Stephanie), Britney Channell (Chris, Sr.), Ryan Bray, Drew Miller; Great Grandchildren, Austin Bray, Hunter Bray, Kaylee Bray, Braiden Chalker, Chris Channell, Jr.(Raven), Evan Channell, Olivia Channell; Great Great Grandchildren, Ava Hayden, Braxton Cameron, Case Channell; sisters, Rosa Dominy, and Berta Minor.



# Cemetery Details

## Heritage Memorial Park

371 Log Cabin Road  
Milledgeville, GA 31061  
(478) 452-2148  
staff@williamsfuneralhome.net  
<https://www.williamsfuneralhome.net>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 13. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville  
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## Funeral Mass

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# Tribute Wall



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Webcast will start approximately 10 minutes before the service in memory of Betty Bertoli



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**Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory** - November 13, 2020 at 09:21 AM

MN

“ Mrs. Bertoli ( which in the beginning we knew her as Mrs. Bray) was my health occupation teacher in high school. I remember when her and Mr. Bertoli first started dating the class including myself would pick on her about " dating". She was a wonderful lady whom i highly respected. I am so sorry to the family . GOD truly gained an angel

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**Michelle (Prather) Nixon** - November 21, 2020 at 11:05 AM



“ *Berta & family, it was with sadness that I learned of the passing of Betty. She was my supervisor in home health care in Macon, & I learned so much from her. Through the years, we were able to keep in touch. It is with deep regret that I wasn't able to see Betty before she died.*



*Whenever I must bid farewell to one I've treasured, I hold on to the fact that one day we'll reunite again. It's because of the promise of eternal life.*

*My thoughts & prayers are with you all.  
Alice Babb Hunnicutt,  
Cumming, GA*

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**Alice Hunnicutt** - November 18, 2020 at 01:25 AM

PB

“ *Paul And Bernichon lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli*



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**Paul and Bernichon** - November 14, 2020 at 03:47 PM

CL

“ *Berta & family, I am so sorry to hear about Betty. She was beautiful inside and out. Praying for you.  
Carolyn Leverette-Searcy*

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**Carolyn Leverette-Searcy** - November 13, 2020 at 03:59 PM

BB

“ *Bill Bertoli lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli*



Bill Bertoli - November 13, 2020 at 11:46 AM



“ 38 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - November 13, 2020 at 08:55 AM

DP

*We have happy memories of Betty's square dancing with us in the Oconee River Buskers. We all send our sympathy!*

Doug and Gail Pohl - November 15, 2020 at 04:59 PM

SP

“ *Shameka Parham lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli*



Shameka Parham - November 13, 2020 at 08:55 AM

SP

“ *Berta & Luther & Rosa & Philip, I am so sorry for your loss of Betty. She was such a good & loving & caring person. I know there are plenty of sweet memories to be shared. With love.*

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**Sandra J Prosser** - November 13, 2020 at 08:22 AM

CW

“ *So sorry for your loss!! I will keep you all in my prayers!! Love you Stephanie & Cliff.*

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**Cally Williams** - November 13, 2020 at 07:17 AM

SM

“ *Betty was a very special lady. We have known her almost 40 years! She was smart, caring, and considerate. She took wonderful care of Dad. We hope that she and Dad are enjoying a heavenly boat ride together. She will be missed!*

*Love,  
Suzie and Dan*

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**Suzie and Dan Miller** - November 13, 2020 at 12:06 AM

JF

“ *Sending my sympathy to the family.  
Janet Ferguson*

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**janet P Ferguson** - November 12, 2020 at 08:01 PM

TZ

“ *Our prayers for the Lord's peace and comfort for Betty's family. Such a sweet lady!  
Ted and Linda Zarkowsky*

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**Ted and Linda Zarkowsky** - November 12, 2020 at 07:50 PM

DC

“ *Denise Howell Collins lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli*



Denise Howell Collins - November 12, 2020 at 06:49 PM

JG

“ *Berta, Rosa and James, I am so sorry to hear about Betty. You all are in my prayers during this time. God bless you all.*  
*Joan and Jimmy Glover*

Joan Glover - November 12, 2020 at 04:52 PM

YP

“ *Yvonne Phelps lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli*



Yvonne Phelps - November 12, 2020 at 02:59 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss*

Teresa Knowles - November 12, 2020 at 02:02 PM

JS

“ *Berta, Rosa and family, sorry to hear of your loss. Leslie sent me a text otherwise I would not have known. My thoughts and prayers are sent to all of you. Paula and Judy*

Judy Scott - November 12, 2020 at 10:20 AM

AJ

“ James, your mother was so kind to me throughout the years. She had such a kind and giving heart. I will remember her always. God bless you and your family to help carry you this this time.

Amanda Jones - November 12, 2020 at 08:19 AM

AB

“ Angelia Pearce Burgamy lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli



Angelia Pearce Burgamy - November 12, 2020 at 08:06 AM

SB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Stephanie Bray - November 12, 2020 at 03:18 AM

RH

“ Richard Hartry lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli



Richard Hartry - November 12, 2020 at 12:13 AM

KB

“ I am in my 23rd year of nursing. It is a calling as they say, but the seed and love of the loving care of patients was planted by ,then Mrs. Bray, when I was a student at Baldwin High School and chose to take Health Occupations on a whim. That whim turned in a desire to make a difference for sick, injured and convalescent people. So, I guess you could say that Mrs. Bertoli made me what I am today and I know there are many others that she touched during her life that that same ambition was planted and grew to fruition. Thank you Mrs. Bertoli for making a difference in so many of our lives. You will truly be missed!

Kim Barnes Burgamy - November 11, 2020 at 10:42 PM

AB

“ So sorry to hear about Betty. She was such a sweet lady. We had so much fun when she was my Health Occupation teacher. We all called her Barbie because she looked like a Barbie Doll. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Rest in peace Mrs. Bertoli.



Angelia Pearce Burgamy - November 11, 2020 at 07:57 PM

VL

“ A wonderful woman that will be missed by all that knew her.

Van Land - November 11, 2020 at 07:19 PM

JT

“ So sorry to hear bout your mama James, had a lot of great memories growing up next door to yall on Snyder Rd. Thinking bout you and your Family, Jimmy Thigpen



Jimmy Thigpen - November 11, 2020 at 07:08 PM

SC

“ *Berta, Rosa and family Percy and I are saddened by the news of Betty's passing. We are praying for comfort for all of you during this sad time.*

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**Sarah Canon** - November 11, 2020 at 04:53 PM

JA

“ *Jane and I have happy memories of visiting Milledgeville in 1991, when our son Gordon was a GRSP student from England, and staying with Betty and Rich who were his host parents. We were made most welcome and introduced to many friends and family. A happy time. Betty will be much missed, May she rest in peace.*  
*Jane & Jim Anderson*

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**Jim Anderson** - November 11, 2020 at 01:04 PM



“ *Berta, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. We pray for comfort that only the Lord can provide.*

*Bobby & Nancy Brown*

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**Bobby Brown** - November 11, 2020 at 12:06 PM

JL

“ *JoAnn Lavender lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli*



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**joAnn Lavender** - November 11, 2020 at 11:11 AM

MJ

“ *Berta and Rosa, I am so sorry to learn of Betty's passing. I know she will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her. Please know you and her family will be in my prayers for the days ahead.*

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**Marsha Jones** - November 11, 2020 at 09:29 AM

BE

“ *So sorry for your loss..prayers to the family. I will miss Betty so much!!*

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**Barbara Edwards** - November 11, 2020 at 09:00 AM

VF

“ *Dear Berta, Rosa and family,*

*I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your precious sister. May God comfort you in the coming days.*

*Vicki Bauer Fletcher*

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**Vicki Fletcher** - November 11, 2020 at 07:58 AM

GA

“ Betty (and her late husband, Rich Bertoli) were my "host Mom & Dad" in 1990/91 when I studied at Georgia College as a young Georgia Rotary Student Program student from England. I have very fond memories of my time spent with Betty and Rich, who welcomed me into their home and gave me the support and the family-away-from-home that I needed. My parents visited with them during that year and also became family friends, keeping in touch every year since 1990. Over the years, I kept in touch with Betty and returned to Georgia on a couple of occasions to visit with her and Rich. I now live in California with my wife and my own children and, in December 2018, we were able to visit Milledgeville and spend some time with Betty and her sisters Rosa and Berta. It was so lovely to see her again, to share stories of our life in England and California and to reminisce over my many happy memories from my time with Betty and Rich when I lived in Milledgeville. I am truly thankful for that time I had with Betty in 2018. Sending warm thoughts and prayers to Betty's entire family at this time and remembering the warm, loving and caring person that Betty was. May she find eternal peace



*"My Journey's Just Begun"*

*Don't think of me as gone away  
My journey's just begun  
Life holds so many facets  
This earth is but one*

*Just think of me as resting  
From the sorrows and the tears  
In a place of warmth and comfort  
Where there are no days and years*

*Think of how I must be wishing  
That you could know today  
How nothing but your sadness*

*Can really go away*

*And think of me as living  
In the hearts of those I touched  
For nothing loved is ever lost  
And I know I was loved so much*

*(Ellen Brenneman)*

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**Gordon Anderson** - November 11, 2020 at 01:37 AM

CY

“ *Berta and Family, I am so sorry to hear about Betty. She and Rich were my customers when I worked at AT&T, and such a lovely couple. Please know that you all are in our thoughts and prayers during your time of grief. Love you all.*

*Casey & Judy Jackson Youngblood*



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**Casey & Judy Jackson Youngblood** - November 10, 2020 at 08:04 PM

RL

“ *James and family sending prayers to all she's with God now may God comfort all at this time*  
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**Ronny Loggins** - November 10, 2020 at 04:28 PM

RL

“ *Ronny Loggins lit a candle in memory of Betty Bertoli*



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**Ronny Loggins** - November 10, 2020 at 04:24 PM

PM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Mrs. Berta and family, my deepest sympathy*

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**Patricia Minor** - November 10, 2020 at 04:23 PM

MS

“ *Rosa and Berta I am so very sorry for your loss, praying for you and Betty's children and grandchildren.*



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**Margie Spear** - November 10, 2020 at 04:22 PM