



Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal

January 25, 1940 - October 25, 2021

Beryl "Bootz" Jean Titus Westphal 81, of New Brighton died October 25th, 2021, after living several years with dementia. She was born to Durward and Estelle (Jackson) Titus on January 25th, 1940. She had a happy childhood in Carlos, Minnesota and graduated from Alexandria High School. She attended Fairview Hospital School of Nursing in Minneapolis. She met the love of her life Bruce Westphal while at Fairview/Augsburg College. They married in 1961. In 1976, Beryl was certified through the University of Minnesota School of Public Health as a pioneering nurse practitioner. She worked at Hennepin County Medical Center for 25 years in the Neurology department. Her dual profession was The Pastor's Wife in Austin, MN, Northeast Minneapolis, South Minneapolis, Bali Indonesia and St. Louis Park. Beryl is survived by her husband of 60 years, Bruce. She was the best mother in the world to and is survived by children Dan, SueAnn, Scott and Jill (Ben). She was a loving grandmother to and adored by Hayley (Jesse), Graham (Teresa), Liam, Olivia, Annika, Peter, great grandchildren Zelda & Ivy and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents Durward & Estelle, sisters Willa & Ina and niece Debra. Services will be held on Monday, November 1st at 2:00 pm with visitation one hour prior at Christ The King Lutheran Church 1900 7th St. NW, New Brighton, MN. Memorials preferred to the Beryl Titus Westphal Endowed Scholarship at Augsburg University.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Christ the King Lutheran Church
1900 7th Street Northwest
New Brighton, MN 55112

Memorial Service

NOV 1. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal.



November 01, 2021 at 09:56 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal.



October 30, 2021 at 03:46 PM



“ *The Rorem-Christofferson Families* purchased the *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* for the family of Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal.



The Rorem-Christofferson Families - October 30, 2021 at 01:15 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal.



October 29, 2021 at 10:19 AM

HC

“ *Hanger Clinic purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal.*



Hanger Clinic - October 29, 2021 at 10:00 AM

AE

“ *Beryl was the best sister-in-law a person could ever have and she was that for me. She was a great listener, empathetic, honest, fun-loving, such a good person to know and be around. I have always loved my relationship with her, with Bruce and her children. The last years have been tough but that does not blank all the good memories I have in knowing her and her family. My wife, Ina who died in 2020, loved her sister Beryl so much. They were good for each other.*

Al Erickson - October 28, 2021 at 03:50 PM

ES

“ *Eric and Kim Sturlaugson purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal.*



Eric and Kim Sturlaugson - October 28, 2021 at 11:09 AM

TE

“ Todd & Ellen purchased the 72 Nibblers Sympathy Gift Basket for the family of Beryl "Bootz" Jean Westphal.



Todd & Ellen - October 27, 2021 at 04:27 PM

TP

“ I'm so glad we all were able to be with Aunt Bootz less than two months ago at our "First Cousins' Reunion". That group picture we took that day is even more precious now, which included Uncle Bruce and Uncle Morrie, too. It was so nice to all be together for a happy occasion. My memories of Bootz go all the way back to when she was Bruce's girlfriend from college. Their wedding in 1961 was the first wedding I had ever experienced, and I still remember it well, even though I wasn't quite ten years old at the time. Happy memories of dear Aunt Bootz and her awesome family will sustain me, but she will be greatly missed.

With love,
Todd Peterson
West Chester, PA

Todd Peterson - October 27, 2021 at 04:07 PM

JF

“ 46 files added to the album Memories Album



Jill Fisher - October 27, 2021 at 08:49 AM

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Jill Fisher - October 26, 2021 at 06:45 PM

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Jill Fisher - October 26, 2021 at 06:38 PM