



## Betty Jean Saunders

September 17, 1929 - July 22, 2019

Betty Saunders passed away early Monday morning, July 22, 2019. She was born Betty Jean Brown in Circleville, Ohio, to Guilford and Dora Ellen (Hart) Brown. Orphaned at an early age, Betty overcame a rough start to life by developing the superpowers of steely perseverance combined with an unmatched work ethic and made a nice life for herself and her family. Betty loved her children and their spouses, her grandchildren and their spouses, and her great grandchildren -- and not necessarily in that order. She enjoyed walks at Schiller Park, aerobics and tai-chi classes, tending to her flowers, and sharing her faith at Buckeye Christian Church. Betty was preceded in death by her parents, her brothers Carl, Harold and William, her sisters Margaret, Florence and Kathleen, husbands Paul Greenwood and Howard Saunders, and long-missed daughter Paula (Greenwood) Silcott. Betty is survived by daughter Kathryn (David) Waugh; sons Stephen (Sandy) Greenwood; Eddie (Kim) Saunders; John (Julie) Saunders, and Jeffrey Saunders; son-in-law Ed (Kathy) Silcott; grandchildren (and their spouses) Heather, Erin (Brian), Eric (Tara), Shaun (Cathy), Dave (Darica), Jennifer (Aaron), Sara (Sarah), Kristopher, and Julie (Terry); great grandchildren, Avery, Cameron, Molly, Porter, Elliot, Ethan, Adalee, Jude, Riley, Watson, Alexander, James, Jordan, and Jerad. A gathering to celebrate

Betty's life will be Friday, August 2 between 6-8 p.m. at Buckeye Christian Church. A private interment will follow at a later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made in Betty's name to: Kenneth Williams, c/o Ganthers Place Park for All People, 562 Reinhard Ave, Cols, Ohio 43206.

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“ I met Mrs. Saunders while filming a video for Ganthers Place to promote one of their garden tours. Her upbeat personality, her smile and her knowledge of Ganthers Place's history made her the first person I would go anytime I had questions about Ganthers Place or the history of the Southside. I am truly sorry for your lost. Mrs. Saunders had the type of personal that made you at ease and made you want to come back and visit again. She will be missed.



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