



## Betty Cox

June 30, 1925 - February 11, 2016

### Obituary of Betty Cox

Betty Cox, 90, died Thursday, February 11, 2016 in Webster, Florida. She was born on June 30, 1925 in Pembroke, NC, lived a number of years in Maine, and eventually retired to Lady Lake, Florida. She was a member of the Lumbee American Indian Tribe. Betty spent nearly thirty years as a hairdresser, including owning her own salon in South Portland, Maine. She was an avid gardener, feeding her family on home grown produce, while at the same time wowing her neighbors with extensive flower gardens. Betty dedicated her life to helping those who could not help themselves. She was a foster parent for many years and continued later in life as she opened her arms and home to both adults and children with disabilities. She volunteered throughout her life, including with the USO as a young adult and running a food pantry with her brother Dick later in life. She will be remembered as one who gave tirelessly of herself. She is survived by her three children: Arnold Wright of Colorado, Steven Landry of Kittery, Maine and Mary Rosenzweig of Anchorage, Alaska; three grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren; and four siblings: Sammy Cox, Emma Mae LaClaire, John Knox Cox, and Mildred Louise Platt. She was preceded in death by her parents, Josh and Mary Jane Jones Cox and three siblings: Roosevelt (Dick) Cox, Arthur Cox and Dorothy Mae Griffis.

## Visitation and Service

A service will be held on Monday, February 15th at 1:00 p.m. (with visitation prior to service from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m.) at Purcell Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will follow at Linden Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall

BK

“ Aunt Betty, I will miss seeing your smiling face. I know later in years you did not remember me but you always had a beautiful smile every time I saw you and you would always kiss my hand. I remember all good times we had together going to the beach and the last trip you and me made to North Carolina. I remember laughing all the way there, what a great time. I will remember all the love that you showed me and my family. I loved you like a mother. I will see you again one day. I Love You, Becky

Becky Knight - February 16, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ For the love of a grandmother, you will be sincerely missed but now you are with the Lord. Love Jennifer

JENNIFER COUNTS - February 13, 2016 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ You will be sorely missed. We will always keep you in our hearts. Eddie

Eddie Wright - February 13, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JC

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“ *Betty Cox*

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February 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Scooter and Elaine and the rest of your family, So sorry for your loss.*

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**Rob and Heidi McComiskey** - February 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM