



Betty Lou Braly Clanton Rynearson Brennand

July 29, 1929 - June 23, 2018

Betty Lou Braly Clanton Rynearson Brennand passed away Saturday, June 23, 2018, in Thomasville, GA. Born to Clifford Baily and Orrie Nichols Braly on July 29, 1929 in Athens, Alabama, she moved to Umatilla in 1961. Graduated from Athens College in Alabama with a Bachelors of Science, she received her Masters in Biology from George Peabody College for Teachers in Tennessee. Betty taught several years before moving to Umatilla where she was head of the Science Department at Umatilla High School for 26 years. She taught Biology, Marine Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Human Physiology and Limnology. She was extremely active in her students' lives and made many trips for a week at a time to the Marine Science Station in Crystal River with them and many field trips with the Symbiont Club. "Mama R" loved adventures.

Betty was predeceased by husbands Spencer R. Rynearson and Leon (Tommy) Brennand. She is survived by her children Daisy Clanton Millett of Umatilla, Katrina Clanton Richardson of Monticello, FL, John David Clanton of Jonesville, NC and step daughter Marybeth Brennand (Joseph) Sabourin of Umatilla; 6 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren. She is also survived by her many, many students whom she taught and loved.

Memorial services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 30, 2018 at the Umatilla High School auditorium with a light lunch and sharing of stories and

memories at Umatilla Presbyterian Church afterward. Beyers Funeral Home in Umatilla is in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to the Umatilla High School science department at 320 N. Trowell, Umatilla, FL 32784 to the Betty Rynearson Brennand memorial.

Tribute Wall

FG

“ I'am so sorry for the passing of Betty,my condolences to the Family. I too recently lost a loved one,and what brought me comfort was Gods promise for the future at Revelation 21:4- And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes,and death will be no more,neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore the former things have passed away.I hope this brings u comfort as well

Freeman Gainey - June 30, 2018 at 11:26 AM

LF

“ Mamma R will be greatly missed, she was a great lady. With our sincere sympathy.



Linda (Zellman) and Jerry Faircloth - June 28, 2018 at 08:42 AM

MP

“ So sorry to hear about Mama R. She was a wonderful teacher and I am blessed to have been one of her students.



Melinda Bates Perkins - June 27, 2018 at 06:21 PM

CC

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I am Brown Braly Jr. oldest daughter from Gallatin, Tn. George Jr. keeps in touch with us and he let us know about her passing. Love and prayers to you all.

Connie Braly Cook - June 26, 2018 at 09:20 PM

YM

“ *My deepest sympathies on your loss. May the words of Isaiah 25:8 give you some comfort during this difficult time. Soon our enemy death will be swallowed up forever.*

Y. McBeath - June 26, 2018 at 10:27 AM

DJ

“ *In loving memory.*



Dean and Andie Jerger - June 26, 2018 at 07:11 AM

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Dean and Andie Jerger - June 26, 2018 at 07:09 AM

JH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you cousin David, Katrina, Daisy, and families. "Aunt Boo" was one of a kind, she will be missed and cherished always.*
Love,
Joey and Michelle



Joey Holleman - June 26, 2018 at 06:41 AM

TS

“ *Heaven gained a beautiful angel. Her words,her laughter, her knowledge, will live on thru all of us who were lucky enough to have her in our lives. She was many many things to all of us a mother, friend, teacher ect. Thank you Mrs. Betty Lou Rynearson Brennand. We love you to the moon and back.*



Tynnia Staples - June 26, 2018 at 12:25 AM

LS

“ *Sending my love!*



Lynette Connell Sirmon - June 25, 2018 at 01:51 PM