



Patricia Joy Betts

February 16, 2015

Obituary of Patricia Betts

Patricia Joy Betts, 80, of Lady Lake, FL passed away Monday February 16, 2015 in The Villages, FL. She was born in Elgin, IL and was a winter resident of Lady Lake for the past 24 years. She was of the Methodist Faith. Mrs. Betts was a retired teacher, teaching various grade levels and became a children's librarian at the end of her working career. She also taught swimming and lifesaving classes. Her love was collecting children's books and distributing them to others so that her love of reading was shared. She enjoyed outdoors, swimming, hiking, canoeing, and camping being outdoors as much as possible and loved traveling taking all the back roads enjoying all the gifts of nature. She is survived by her husband: John P. Betts, Lady Lake, FL, Sons: David Betts, Lombard, IL, Steven Betts, Phoenix, AZ, Sister: Pam Ames, Chicago, IL and 3 Grandchildren. She was predeceased by her son Michael Allen Betts. A Celebration of Life will be held at her lake home in Indiana in the Spring.

Tribute Wall

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“ Steve and Dave, I always loved going to your house. Your mom made it a great place to be. Sorry to hear about Mikey. Give your dad my best. Karen and I will pray for you and your families. Chuck

Chuck Smullen - February 19, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ I want to express my condolences to you and your family from mine. Your mom was so great to be around. "Joy" was a very appropriate middle name. She was kind, sweet and gentle. She was a great teacher; very patient, yet didn't allow her students to just skate by. They had to work at the best of their abilities at all times. Again, my heart goes out to you, Donna, Leo, Lucas, Steve and your dad. Your mom will always be loved. Sam

Sam Russo - February 19, 2015 at 12:00 AM