



## Betty Jo Stover

July 21, 1925 - January 1, 2021

Betty Jo (Cooper) Stover passed away on Friday, January 1, 2021 in Madisonville, TX. She lived a full life of 95 years, 5 months and 11 days. A private graveside service is scheduled for 1:00 PM on Wednesday, January 6, 2021 at Madisonville Cemetery in Madisonville with Reverend Jim Jackson officiating.

Betty was born on July 21, 1925 in Madisonville to Joseph Louis and Louella (Burden) Cooper. She graduated from Madisonville High School, and attended Southern Methodist University and Sam Houston State University where she met her husband, L.B. Stover, Jr.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents, her loving husband, her sisters, Kat (Cooper) Sullivan and Jane (Cooper) Crouch, and her daughter-in-law, Shelly Stover.

Betty is survived by her children, Laura Henson and husband Dwayne, Susan Nix and husband Fred, and Craig Stover; her grandchildren, Randy Powers; Ragan Fox; Lanie (Nix) Lenhart and husband Jack, and their children, Lauren, Will and Elliott; Laurie (Nix) Dykoski and husband Teddy, and their children, Hudson, Drew and Anna Claire; Lee Nix and wife Kristen, and their children, Ryan, William and Hunter; Steven Stover and wife Liz and their children, Tyler, Tori, Lexi and Luke; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Our mother was affectionately known as Granny by her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Granny brightened any room she walked into with her beautiful blue eyes and warm genuine smile. She had that approachable

trusting nature, and when you met her, you immediately loved her. Granny was one of the most unassuming people you will ever meet. She never wanted to be in the limelight. Her life revolved around her family, and she embraced every opportunity to be with us. She taught us all what is really important in life – to love, support and care for friends and family. This was her legacy to pass down through generations.

Granny was the epitome of a lady – classy, kind, polite, gentle, and unselfish – the total package -- but she also had a light and funny side that we all remember so well. She delighted in playing games with her grandchildren and playing pranks like putting rubber mice and cockroaches on their plates to get their reaction. She was always full of life and was anything but a “granny.” It was a great privilege to be a part of her life, and we will miss this gentle giving soul with the easy smile for the rest of our days.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to Elke Guevara and Brenda Banks for their devoted care, love, and friendship over the years. If so desired, In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to The First United Methodist Church in Madisonville, TX, or to the charity of your choice.

# Cemetery Details

## **Madisonville Cemetery**

Madisonville, TX 77864

# Tribute Wall

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“ We are very Sorry for the loss of your Mother and Grandmother!  
She was a Beautiful lady .  
May God’s Blessings be with you all.  
Harold Gene and Pat Wells.

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**Harold and Pat Wells.** - January 09, 2021 at 09:30 AM

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“ The description within Aunt Betty’s obituary is absolutely fitting and perfect. She was a beautiful sweet soul that glowed from her heart. I’ve always thought of her and will remember her as so very kind and loving and gorgeous! Aunt Betty and Uncle Stover are together now, I’m sure. That makes me happy. Love to all of the family. You are in my prayers.



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**Kay Scroggins** - January 05, 2021 at 08:03 PM