



Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock

June 20, 1923 - October 21, 2022

Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock, 99, of South Waverly, PA formerly of Monroeton, PA passed away Friday, October 21, 2022 at the Elderwood at Waverly Skilled Nursing Facility in Waverly, NY. "Betty" as she was known by her family and friends was born June 20, 1923, in the Town of Jerusalem, (near Penn Yan) Yates County, NY, the daughter of Forrest Wager and Charlotte Olive Clark Wager. She was a graduate of Penn Yan High School and the Rochester Business Institute. On September 30, 1950, Betty married Russell Francis Babcock. She was employed as office manager for the Boy Scouts Council in North Towanda, PA for 17 years. In earlier years, Betty was an active member of the Towanda United Methodist Church, the Methodist Women's group, and served as a volunteer for Hospice, and TACO. Betty enjoyed bowling, square dancing, and was a member of the Penny Promenaders Square Dance group.

She is survived by her children, Victor L. (Shawn) Babcock of Grove City, PA, Daniel F. (Kelly) Babcock of Irvine, CA, Charlotte J. Babcock Podolinski of South Waverly, PA, grandchildren, Leslie (Michael) Youngo, Jordan Babcock, Jessie (James) Liberty, Christine Babcock, Molly Babcock, Matthew (Kristine) Podolinski, Andrew (Claire) Podolinski, 7 great grandchildren, her sister, Loretta Tesch of Texas, as well as several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Betty was predeceased by her husband of nearly 40 years, Russell Francis Babcock on August 12, 1990, son-in-law, James Michael Podolinski on January 12, 2014, brothers, Robert, Charles, and

Harold Wager. The family will receive friends Thursday, October 27, 2022 from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. followed by a funeral service at 11:00 a.m. at the Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home 314 Desmond St. Sayre, PA.

Interment will be in Tioga Point Cemetery, Athens, PA. The family suggests that contributions may be directed to a charity or organization of one's choice in memory of Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock.

Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Tioga Point Cemetery

803 North Main Street
Athens, PA 18810

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home
314 Desmond Street
Sayre, PA 18840
(570) 888-2113
info@bowenfuneralhomes.com

Service

OCT 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ Sorry to read of your Mother's passing. I have many memories of her through the Methodist Church and socially through the years. She was a lovely woman in all ways. Sending my sincerest condolences.

Jill Ginter - November 07, 2022 at 10:10 AM

MS

“ Charlotte and family. My deepest sympathy in hearing of your Mom's passing. Take time for yourself to remember the good times.

Michele Strohl - November 02, 2022 at 08:33 AM

VA

“ What a lovely lady who will be missed by all who knew her. Sending my love and condolences to the family.

With Deepest Sympathy,
Valerie Gordon-Morningstar

Val - October 26, 2022 at 07:47 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock.



October 26, 2022 at 12:50 PM

KB

“ Most of my best recipes are from Gram, my perfect mother-in-law. She taught me many cooking/baking tips in the kitchen!!!

kelly babcock - October 26, 2022 at 11:44 AM

BT

“ Aunt Betty made the best turkey cookies this world has ever known.

Bruce Tesch - October 25, 2022 at 08:30 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock.*



October 25, 2022 at 06:11 PM



“ *Sorry to hear of Betty's passing. She will be missed by her family and friends. We have many memories of Betty and Russ from our years at First UM Church in Towanda. May she Rest In Peace.*
Bill and Margaret Dell

Billy snd Margaret Dell - October 25, 2022 at 04:15 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock.*



October 25, 2022 at 12:56 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock.*



October 24, 2022 at 03:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Wager Babcock.



October 24, 2022 at 03:02 PM