



## Elizabeth "Betty" Green

December 16, 1926 - September 15, 2023

Elizabeth "Betty" Green, age 96, passed into her heavenly home, September 15, 2023 from her earthly home near Old Town, Florida.

She was born on December 16, 1926 to the late William and Hazel (Wood) Beagle in Holly, MI, but had lived in the Old Town area over 45 years after moving here from Michigan. Betty was one of the first women hired as a line worker by General Motors (Flint, Michigan) in the 1950's. She and Hogan retired in the 1970's and moved to Florida. She and Hogan travelled by Harley Davidson motorcycles all over the US. She was known for her ability to cook and bake. In retirement, she baked and decorated many cakes for weddings and other special engagements. She taught herself to play piano by ear and was the church piano player for decades, even substituting some months before her death. She played piano for 22 years at a local nursing home. Her church family, neighbors and most everyone she encountered formed a major support group. The family appreciates all for their special love and care. She was a member of McCrabb Baptist Church.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Hogan S. Green; seven sisters, Florence, Margaret, Beulah, Isabelle, Vera, Leona, Mildred, and five brothers, Melvin, Willard, Clarence, Lester, and Harold; daughter, Susan E. Getz, and granddaughter, Stephanie Dumond. She is survived by her son, Grant S. Sage (Lynnell), 6 grandchildren, Jaymie

Dumond, Matthew Sage, Levi Sage, Marty Knauff, Katherine Wynn (Joseph), and 8 (soon to be 9) great-grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Green will be held 11:00 AM Thursday, September 21, 2023 at the McCrabb Baptist Church in Old Town, Florida, with Rev. David Downing, Pastor Raymond Bideaux, Rev. Danny Rogers and Rev. Wayne Allen officiating. Interment will follow in New McCrabb Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the church one hour prior to the service. Memorial donations may be made to the McCrabb Baptist Church, 7391 NE Co Rd 349, Old Town, FL 32680 with a memo for either the Baptist Children's Home Fund or Haitian Children's Fund.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of the Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City Chapel, with locations in Cross City 352-498-5400 and Chiefland 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at [rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com](http://rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## McCrabb Cemetery

N Highway 349  
Old Town, FL 32680

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

McCrabb Baptist Church  
N Highway 349  
Old Town, FL 32680

## Service

SEP 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Rick Gooding Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Elizabeth "Betty" Green



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**Rick Gooding Funeral Homes** - September 22, 2023 at 03:36 PM



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Green

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October 08, 2023 at 10:03 PM

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“ Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. What an honor it has been to get to know Betty! Her love for the Lord was so very evident, even when she was grieving for Hogan and Susan. I know as she was held by Jesus on earth, she was gently carried to heaven where she has no more tears, no more weakness, no more longing...she can gaze at Jesus and worship Him at Hogan's side for eternity.

One of the most precious memories of Betty was her visit to Wisconsin, sitting on our porch and her telling me how wonderful Kate and Joseph's place was. Her simple heart loved it, and she was such an encouragement of their dreams. She saw beyond the beginning to the end of their dreams. She loved Zeb and Zeke and I'm so glad she could know them!

I loved the story she told last Christmas of a waitress with two young boys that would wait for her. Grandma Betty made friends with them and made sure they had gifts of Christmas, but more than anything, she wanted them to go to Sunday School and accept Jesus as their Savior. Surely she was a woman who was still bearing fruit in old age - 96 and still being used by God! After all, His glory is what she lived for!

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**Doug Patty Wynn** - September 21, 2023 at 11:29 AM

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“ What I clearly remember about Aunt Betty is her voice, her laughter, her smile, the love. We were closer as children visiting her and Uncle Hogan's house in Michigan often. I can hear that "Beagle" laughter. It was very unique and I loved to hear it. She never missed an event if she had a choice. She was a very strong woman, probably from being raised on a farm and having Jesus walk with her. Her memory will live on in my heart and mind. R.I.P. Aunt Red...from one of many many nieces... Love, Barb

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**Barb Schuller** - September 21, 2023 at 11:22 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Green.*



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September 20, 2023 at 11:05 AM