



## Bettye Jo Thompson

July 19, 1930 - December 3, 2016

Age 86 of Goodlettsville passed away Saturday, December 3, 2016 at Brookdale Assisted Living in Goodlettsville. She was born July 19, 1930 in Springfield, TN to Connie Cecil and Beulah Simmons Baggett. She worked as a bookkeeper and homemaker. She served as choir director for Love's United Methodist Church in Nashville for many years. She had a beautiful voice and loved singing and music. She was a member of Cross Plains United Methodist Church. She was married to the late David Lee Thompson for 64 years, who was a retired Metro Police Department lieutenant and also a former deputy police chief with the Robertson County Sheriff's Department. The attached photo is the one he carried in his wallet since the 1950's.

She is preceded in death by parents, Connie & Beulah Baggett; husband, David Lee Thompson; sisters, Bonnie Lynn "Tootsie" Heard and Mrs. Tim "Poppy" Glidewell. She is survived by daughter, Emaly Thompson, Goodlettsville, TN. Funeral service is scheduled for Tuesday, December 6, 2016 at 1pm in the chapel of Austin & Bell Funeral Home in White House with Bro. Clay Burchett and Bro. Clint Jones officiating. Interment will follow in Cross Plains United Methodist Church Cemetery with Austin Jones, Joe Swann, Grady Perry, Allan B. Heard, Bryant "Tomato" Barry and Herb Lord serving as active pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers will be Bryan Barry, J.C. Broadrick, Chris Burchett and Andy Heard. Visitation is planned for Monday, December 5, 2016 3-6pm and Tuesday, December 6, 2016 12-1pm at the funeral home. REMAINS REST AT AUSTIN & BELL 533 Highway 76 White

House TN 37188 (615)672-5000 [www.austinandbell.com](http://www.austinandbell.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Cross Plains Cemetery

7830 Hwy. 21E  
Cross Plains, TN 37049

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 5. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home White House  
533 TN-76  
White House, TN 37188  
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## Visitation

DEC 6. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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DEC 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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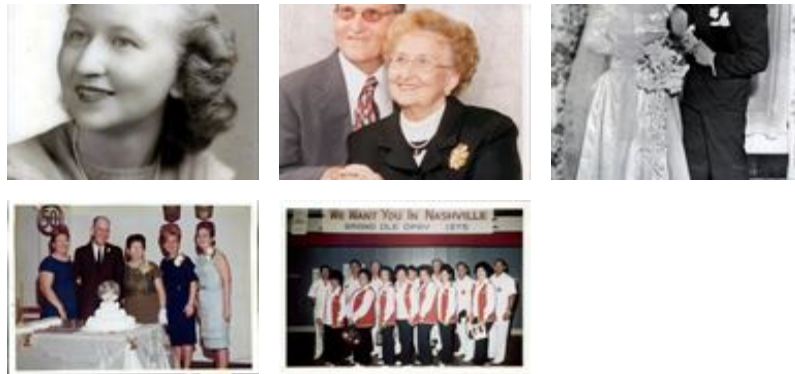
“ *Helen R Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Bettye Jo Thompson*



Helen R Kennedy - December 06, 2016 at 10:31 AM



“ *79 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Austin & Bell Funeral Home - December 05, 2016 at 01:24 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Bettye Jo Thompson.*



December 03, 2016 at 09:13 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Bettye Jo Thompson.*



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December 03, 2016 at 07:50 PM