



## Betty Christensen

July 12, 1936 - October 14, 2012

Born in Millbrea, California to Homer and Ann Lockwood

Betty moved to Inglewood, California with her family during her early childhood where her sister Dorothy and brother John were born.

Later Betty would attend and graduate from Inglewood High School. She enjoyed sailing the California coast and visiting Mexico with her family.

Betty met and married Dr. James M. Christensen September 12, 1959 and were blessed with four children: Christine & husband Donald Carlson, La Canada, Calif. Karlyne & husband Gary Van Daele, Granbury, Texas. Jeffrey Christensen & wife Laura, Oceanside, Calif. Mark Christensen & wife Valeria, Temple City, Calif.

Besides her gardening, flowers, and painting Betty was a master quilter. She formed a quilting group near Alpine which brought joy to many people who needed help.

Betty often traveled with Jim whose career caused him to visit foreign countries and much of the USA. Aside from Betty's full life was her love and care for people. Her sweet way of bringing help to people who needed it was beyond description. She will be missed by many of us, and especially by Jim and "Gabby" her cat who gave her much love.

Betty will be laid to rest at Bellfountain Cemetery. A memorial service is set for 10:00 am, Saturday October 20th at Bellfountain Church.