

Mildred R Beggs
May 14, 1926 - March 6, 2022

Mildred Roberta Bess was born May 14, 1926, near Idabel, Oklahoma, to Jasper Wesley Bess and Lola Mae (Willis) Bess. Known to everyone as "Millie", she attended a three-room schoolhouse until she transferred to Wright City High School. She graduated in 1944 and went straight to work for the sawmill where she saved money to attend college, which was her dream. There, she met Mary (Beggs) Toliver who introduced Millie to her brother, Calvin Leslie Beggs, through correspondence while he was stationed in the South Pacific during WWII. He came home and they were married on November 17, 1945. Millie and Calvin were married 63 years before his passing in 2009. They lived in Oklahoma, California, Arizona, Colorado, Washington, and Oregon, moving frequently for Calvin's work in the "log woods". In 2015, Millie sold the family farm near Turner, Oregon, where they had lived more than 30 years and moved to McMinnville, Oregon, to be near her children who live in the surrounding area.

They were blessed with nine children: Larry (Kerstin), Judy (Kenny), Arnold, Carolyn (Leon), Tammy (Raymond), Shane (Gina), Mark (Priscilla), Teresa (Jack), and Kirk (Becky).

Millie wore many hats throughout her life, but her favorite was being a homemaker. She loved her family, cooking, quilting, and gardening. She had an amazing green thumb. Millie said in the brief memoirs she worked on with her daughter Carolyn: *"The times in my life I was the happiest was when each of my children were born. I felt like my life had purpose. Another time I was the happiest when Calvin was saved in 1972. My idea of perfect happiness is when there is no confusion, and everyone is happy and on their way to heaven. It seems like my life has gone by too fast."*

Millie loved her church in Aumsville, Oregon, where she attended several years before leaving the farm but found a new church home in McMinnville, Pacific Baptist Church, when she relocated. Millie lived her life according to the Bible and her strong faith in her Savior, sharing her faith with family and others throughout her lifetime.

Millie passed into the arms of Jesus on March 6, 2022, in Newberg, Oregon, two months before her ninety-sixth birthday. She is survived by her sister, June Osborn, of Wright City, Oklahoma, and brother Ronnie (Pam) Bess of Big Cedar, Oklahoma; 6 children, 31 grandchildren, 65 great-grandchildren, and 24 great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, Jasper and Lola; sisters Wanda and Delores; brothers Don, Ray, and Earl; and three of her beloved children: Larry, Shane, and Teresa.



IN LOVING Memory



Millie Beggs

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SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 2022
NEW HOPE CHURCH



Whoever dwells in the shelter
of the Most High
will rest

IN THE SHADOW OF THE ALMIGHTY.

I will say of the LORD,
"He is my refuge and my fortress,
MY GOD, IN WHOM I TRUST."

Surely he will save you from the fowler's snare
and from the deadly pestilence.
HE WILL COVER YOU WITH HIS FEATHERS,
and under his wings you will find refuge;
HIS FAITHFULNESS WILL BE YOUR

shield and rampart.

You will not fear the terror of night,
nor the arrow that flies by day,
nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness,
nor the plague that destroys at midday.

A thousand may fall at your side,
ten thousand at your right hand,
but it will not come near you.

You will only observe with your eyes
and see the punishment of the wicked.

If you say, "*The Lord is my refuge,*" and you make the
Most High your dwelling,

NO HARM WILL OVERTAKE YOU,
NO DISASTER WILL COME NEAR YOUR TENT.
For he will command his angels concerning you to
guard you in all your ways;

they will lift you up in their hands,
so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.

You will tread on the lion and the cobra;
you will trample the great lion and the serpent.

"Because he loves me," says the LORD,
"I WILL RESCUE HIM; I will protect him,
for he acknowledges my name.

He will call on me, and I will answer him;
I WILL BE WITH HIM IN TROUBLE,
I WILL DELIVER HIM AND HONOR HIM.

With long life I will satisfy him
and show him my

salvation.

Psalm 91

In Loving Memory of



Millie Beggs

BORN

May 14, 1926
Idabel, Oklahoma

ENTERED INTO REST

March 6, 2022
Newberg, Oregon

FUNERAL SERVICE

Saturday, March 19, 2022 at 1:00 PM
New Hope Church
Lebanon, Oregon

OFFICIANT

Pastor Lewis Wardrip

CONGREGATIONAL SONG

"Amazing Grace"

CASKET BEARERS

Mark Beggs, Kirk Beggs, Larry Beggs, Jr.
Sam Beggs, Cameron Holsclaw, Calvin Beggs

COMMITTAL

Mountain Home Cemetery
Lebanon, Oregon



Everyone is invited to a reception at the New Hope Church
fellowship hall after the interment.