



Betty C. Tully

October 5, 1937 - January 16, 2026

Betty C. Tully age 88 of Dixon died Friday January 16, 2026 at Morning Side of Sterling. She was born Oct. 5, 1937 in Hazel Crest, IL the daughter of Ervin and Adeline (Peters) Boese. Betty worked with her husband, doing the books, at Joe Tully's Auto Repair and was a deputy treasurer at the Lee County Treasurer's office for 25 years prior to retirement. In retirement Betty worked part time at the Loveland Community Building in Dixon. She had also served as a Dixon Township Commissioner. Betty was a member of St Patrick Catholic Church, she had volunteered with Loaves and Fishes, Meals on Wheels and was a safety technician at SODA Auto Racing events. Betty enjoyed snow skiing and was a member of a ski club that allowed her to travel to Europe to ski.

Betty married Joseph Tully January 5, 1957 in Dixon, he preceded her in death January 20, 1989. She was also preceded in death by one sister Byrle "Catherine" Spendal and one brother Bradley Curtis Boese.

Betty is survived by her children, Peggy Squires of St Charles, MO, David Tully of Browns Valley, CA, Susan (James) Pratt of Dixon, Janet Tully of Milton, WI, four grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

Mass of Christian Burial will be on Thursday February 5, 2026 at 2:00 PM at St Patrick Catholic Church in Dixon with Rev. John Evans officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery in Dixon. Visitation will be on Thursday February 5, from 1:00 to 2:00 PM at St Patrick Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers a memorial has been established to Loaves and Fishes at St Patrick Church.

Arrangements by the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave
Dixon, IL 61021

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 5. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church in Dixon
612 S. Highland Ave.
Dixon, IL 61021
(815) 284-7719
office@stpatrickdixon.comcastbiz.net
<http://www.stpatrickdixon.org>

Service

FEB 5. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

GT

“ *Gina and Jim Cole/Mike and Peggy Tully purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Betty C. Tully.*



Gina and Jim Cole/Mike and Peggy Tully - February 04 at 08:32 AM

BC

“ *Bill, Beth and the Gateway Ski Club purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Betty C. Tully.*



Bill, Beth and the Gateway Ski Club - February 03 at 09:16 AM

MM

“ *Monica M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty C. Tully.*

Monica M. - February 02 at 05:33 PM

BB

“ *Brian Breedlove purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Betty C. Tully.*



Brian Breedlove - January 26 at 11:18 AM

BB

“ Brian Breedlove planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty C. Tully.

Brian Breedlove - January 26 at 11:18 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Betty C. Tully.



January 25 at 09:21 PM

CP

“ Connie A Pratt planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty C. Tully.

Connie A Pratt - January 25 at 09:21 PM

DF

“ Dan and Dee Floto lit a candle in memory of Betty Tully



Dan and Dee Floto - January 23 at 11:01 AM