



## June Watson Bechtel

June 6, 1937 - July 27, 2021

June Watson Bechtel, 84 of Herrick, Illinois died Tuesday, July 27, 2021 at 7:13 PM at her residence in Herrick. Funeral Services will be Friday, July 30, 2021 at 12:00 Noon at Herrick Baptist Church in Herrick with Pastor Jay Huddleston officiating. Visitation will also be Friday, July 30, 2021 at Herrick Baptist Church beginning at 10:00AM until the 12:00 Noon Service. Burial will be in Myers Cemetery, Herrick Township, Shelby County, Illinois. Memorials may be made to family wishes.

June Watson Bechtel was born Sunday, June 6, 1937 in Herrick, Illinois the daughter of Edward Harley and Deloras Elizabeth (maiden name Smart) Hart. She was raised in Herrick attending Herrick schools. June married Arthur William "Bud" Watson on January 10, 1953, and he died October 12, 1989. She was employed for 20 years with P.R. Mallory in Pana until their closing, 20 years with Crest Container, Shelbyville, and was last employed for Herrick Fast Stop. June was a member of Herrick Baptist Church.

June Watson Bechtel was survived by Daughter: Melinda Wehrle (Spouse Henry Endris) of Robinson, Illinois; Sons: Eddy Watson (Pamela) of Beecher City, Illinois and Kenny Watson of Cowden, Illinois; Grandsons: Josh Wehrle (Crystal) of Beecher City, Illinois and Scott Wehrle (Jackie) of Mode, Illinois; Granddaughters: Heidi Wright (Andy) of Robinson, Illinois; Tosha McGlathery (John) of Springfield, Illinois; and Nicole Kirk (James) of Taylorville, Illinois; eleven Great-Grandchildren; one Great-Great-Grandson; Brother: Jack Hart (Friend Jo Ann England) and Sister: Jolene Finley, both of Herrick, Illinois.

June is preceded in death by her Parents, First Husband: Arthur Watson, Second Husband: Wally Bechtel, who died in February 16, 2021, Daughter: Penny; and Daughter: Melody who died in infancy, Grandson: Jason Watson, and Sister: Jerilyn Cole and Brother: Warren who died in infancy. The family would also like to acknowledge Crissy Rauch, who was June's special caregiver.

# Cemetery Details

## Myers Cemetery

125 N County Road 850E  
Herrick Township Shelby County, IL 62431

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 30. 10:00 AM (CT)

Herrick Baptist Church  
200 Broadway  
Herrick, IL

## Funeral Service

JUL 30. 12:00 PM (CT)

Herrick Baptist Church  
200 Broadway  
Herrick, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors PC created a Tribute Video in memory of June Watson Bechtel



Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors, P.C. - July 29, 2021 at 10:25 PM

DA

“ I would like to offer my sincere condolences to all of you. Those we hold dear never truly leave us. They live on in the kindness they showed, the comfort they shared and the love they brought into our lives. May the healing touch of time ease the sorrow you bear now and the memories that you all cherish give you comfort, courage, peace and the strength to move on as you all return to life's routine. May you all continue to feel comforted by the love and support of family and friends.



*DEATH leaves a heartache no one can heal.... LOVE leaves a memory no one can steal.*

Don Ard - September 24, 2021 at 08:45 PM

LH

“ *Linda Helton lit a candle in memory of June Watson Bechtel*



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Linda Helton - July 31, 2021 at 04:22 PM

CH

“ *So sorry for your loss.*

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Charlie and Linda Harris - July 29, 2021 at 07:27 PM

TM

“ *Toni McKee lit a candle in memory of June Watson Bechtel*



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Toni McKee - July 29, 2021 at 02:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of June Watson Bechtel.*



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July 29, 2021 at 09:34 AM

JH

“ *Jim Harbert lit a candle in memory of June Watson Bechtel*



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**Jim Harbert** - July 29, 2021 at 08:50 AM

BS

“ *So sorry for your loss*



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**Butch and Beverly Smart** - July 29, 2021 at 08:44 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of June Watson Bechtel.*



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July 29, 2021 at 08:30 AM

RH

“ *Randall Henderson lit a candle in memory of June Watson Bechtel*



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**Randall Henderson** - July 29, 2021 at 08:27 AM



“ 28 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors, P.C.** - July 29, 2021 at 01:53 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *June Watson Bechtel*.



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July 29, 2021 at 01:44 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of *June Watson Bechtel*.



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July 29, 2021 at 12:19 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of June Watson Bechtel.*



July 28, 2021 at 11:33 PM



“ *52 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors, P.C.** - July 28, 2021 at 10:55 PM



“ *Mary Leach & Carolyn Leach Herbord & family*



**Carolyn R Leach Herbord** - July 28, 2021 at 08:34 PM

BC

“ *Bob & Sue Chamberlain lit a candle in memory of June Watson Bechtel*



**Bob & Sue Chamberlain** - July 28, 2021 at 08:15 PM

CC

“ *Cheryl Cleveland lit a candle in memory of June Watson Bechtel*



**Cheryl Cleveland** - July 28, 2021 at 07:08 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of June Watson Bechtel.*



July 28, 2021 at 06:58 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of June Watson Bechtel.*



July 28, 2021 at 06:51 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of June Watson Bechtel.* ”



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July 28, 2021 at 06:00 PM