



Melba Emily Morgan Beames

October 30, 1939 - February 24, 2025

Melba Emily Morgan Beames, a vibrant and loving matriarch, passed away on February 24, 2025, at the age of 85. Born in Layton, Utah, to Alfred Ellis Morgan and Merle Evelyn Timms on October 30, 1939, Melba lived a life filled with love, laughter, and adventure.

She married her beloved husband, Lynn Daniel Beames, on March 30, 1956, and together they shared 65 wonderful years, raising four children and creating a legacy of love and memories. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, always putting the needs of her family first.

In addition to her family, Mom had a passion for creativity and nature. She was a talented painter, capturing the beauty of the world around her on canvas. She also enjoyed camping, fishing, and water skiing, and was an excellent cook. Her garden was her sanctuary, where she found peace and solace.

Our mother's quick wit, infectious laugh, and generous heart inspired countless people throughout her life. Her sassy sense of humor and sharp tongue kept everyone in line and laughing. Her love, support, and guidance inspired her loved ones to be their best selves.

She is survived by her sister, Doris Holindrake; her children, Scott (Georgenia) Beames, Julia Stout, Lisa (Andy) Chadburn, and Brenda (Robert) Kent; 12

grandchildren; and 37 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Lynn D. Beames; brothers Don, Richard, and Dan Morgan; son-in-law Kelly A. Stout; grandson Joshua Maynard; great-grandson Braxton Turner; and great-granddaughter Alexis Parry.

The family would like to express their deep gratitude to Kami, Jillian, and Averi of Summit Hospice and the Coral Desert Rehabilitation and Care staff for their dedicated and loving care.

A viewing will be held on Friday, March 7th, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Heritage Town Square, 114 Mill Street, Virgin, UT. A graveside service will follow at the Virgin Pioneer City Cemetery, 200 North 150 West Virgin, UT. A light luncheon will be provided afterward at 215 North 470 West La Verkin, UT.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR 7 (MT)

Virgin City Cemetery
150 West Street
Virgin, UT 84779

Viewing

OCT 7. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Heritage Town Square
114 Mill Street
Virgin, UT

Tribute Wall

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“ I was a good friend of Melba's. We were in Real Estate together and I remember the many fun times we had at meetings. She will be deeply missed! Our thoughts & prayers are with the family!!!!

Paula Pitcher - March 11, 2025 at 05:11 PM

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“ Doris, Cindy, Colette, Kyle, Gina purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Melba Emily Morgan Beames.



Doris, Cindy, Colette, Kyle, Gina - February 28, 2025 at 07:34 PM

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“ The Cornelius, Stout, Matsler, Lake Clan. purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Melba Emily Morgan Beames.



The Cornelius, Stout, Matsler, Lake Clan. - February 27, 2025 at 07:50 PM

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“ The Cornelius, Stout, Matsler, Lake Clan. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melba Emily Morgan Beames.

The Cornelius, Stout, Matsler, Lake Clan. - February 27, 2025 at 07:50 PM