



**Patty L. Becker**, age 87, of Beaver City, Nebraska passed away on Thursday, October 26, 2017 at Beaver City Manor at Beaver City, Nebraska. She was born on January 22, 1930 at Beaver City, Nebraska to Wesley R. & Gladys P. (Thulin) Hardin.

She grew up in Beaver City and graduated from Beaver City High School with the Class of 1947. She attended Teachers College at Kearney, NE and taught in the rural schools in the Beaver City area. Patty married William (Bill) Becker in 1950. They were blessed with 5 sons over the next 8 years and in 1967 they were blessed with their only daughter. Except for 2 years in Holdrege, they spent their entire lives in the Beaver City area, farming and raising their family.

Patty worked various jobs until 1981 when she attended LPN school in Kearney and graduated in 1982. She then worked at the Beaver City Manor until her retirement some 20 years later. In her spare time, Patty loved to sew and found time to be a Cub Scout Den Mother. She served on the School Board two terms at which time the new elementary school was built. Six active children kept her busy attending school events for many years. She was a member of the United Methodist Church most of her life and later joined the Faith Community Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Bill, her brother Rodney and his wife Phyliss (Weir) Hardin, sister-in-law Joan (Teeter) Hardin and an infant son.

She is survived by her children, Nick, Jack, Jon, Chris, Kenneth and Joanna, their spouses, 18 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and her brother Tom Hardin. She will be missed by all and by many more friends and relatives.

Condolences or personal reflections may be left at [wenburgfuneralhome.com](http://wenburgfuneralhome.com)

There will be no viewing or visitation as cremation was chosen. Funeral services will be Saturday, November 4, 2017 at 10:30 AM at Faith Community Church, in Beaver City, Nebraska with Pastor Daryl Kats, officiating. Inurnment will be at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Beaver City, Nebraska. Memorials will be designated at a later date. Wenburg Funeral Home of Beaver City, Nebraska is in charge of the arrangements.