



## Buford Lee Austin

August 21, 1920 - July 27, 2017

Buford Lee Austin, 96, of 633 Bedford Highway, Lynch Station died Thursday, July 27, 2017 at Lynchburg General Hospital. He was the husband of the late Edna Witt Austin.

He was born August 21, 1920 in Huddleston, a son of the late Kirk Austin and Belle Wood Austin. He was a member of Mount Hermon United Methodist Church, a retired employee of Burlington Industries, and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. Buford enjoyed working in his vegetable garden and spending time telling stories with his grandchildren.

He is survived by two sons, B. Wakely Austin and his wife, Ann of Lynch Station and Wendell Lee Austin and his wife, Lucy of Roanoke Rapids, NC; two brothers-in-law, Jackie Cato of Clayton, NC and Louis Witt of Bedford; two sisters-in-law, Agnes Austin of Huddleston and Avis Cato of Clayton, NC; six grandchildren, Chris, Marty, Brian, Kathryn, Emily, Allison; and ten great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Elmer and Earl Austin; and a sister Betty Goode.

A funeral service will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Monday, July 31, 2017 at Finch and Finch Chapel, Altavista by the Rev. Dr. Dawn Compton with

interment to follow in Altavista Memorial Park with military honors by American Legion Altavista Memorial Post 36 and Gretna Post 232.

The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service and other times at the residence of Wakely and Ann Austin, 504 Windsong Dr., Lynch Station.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider National Autism Association, <https://donate.nationalautismassociation.org/checkout/donation> Mount Hermon United Methodist Church, 171 Mt. Hermon Rd., Lynch Station, VA 24571.

# Cemetery Details

## Altavista Memorial Park

642 Wards Road  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 31. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Altavista  
809 Main St.  
Altavista, VA 24517

## Funeral Service

JUL 31. 11:00 AM (ET)

Finch and Finch Chapel  
809 Main St.  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Tribute Wall



“ *Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Webcast in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service** - July 31, 2017 at 12:07 PM



“ *Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service** - July 30, 2017 at 08:56 AM



“ *David Walker lit a candle in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**David Walker** - August 01, 2017 at 02:57 AM

JK

“ *Wakley, was so sorry to hear about your Dad. No mater how old it is always hard to lose them. Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*



Jeannie Grau Kenney - July 30, 2017 at 12:43 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Buford Lee Austin .*



July 30, 2017 at 10:26 AM



“ *33 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - July 30, 2017 at 08:42 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Buford Lee Austin .



July 30, 2017 at 08:31 AM



“ mr. Austin will be missed at autumn care!



Joanne Brumsey - July 29, 2017 at 10:05 PM



“ Wendell, Wakely, and family so sorry for the loss of your Father. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time and in the coming days. Rest In Peace Mr. Austin.  
Faith Burgess Francis



Faith Francis - July 29, 2017 at 07:36 PM



“ Ray And Kay Caldwell lit a candle in memory of Buford Lee Austin



Ray and Kay Caldwell - July 29, 2017 at 01:50 PM

BH

“ *Brenda Hall lit a candle in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**Brenda Hall** - July 28, 2017 at 03:58 PM

DR

“ *Darlene & Billy Rpbertspm lit a candle in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**Darlene & Billy Rpbertspm** - July 28, 2017 at 03:03 PM

LB

“ *Lydia Jane Bragg lit a candle in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**Lydia Jane Bragg** - July 28, 2017 at 02:45 PM

LM

“ *Lucinda Mattox lit a candle in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**Lucinda Mattox** - July 28, 2017 at 01:56 PM

RC

“ *Rock Colbert lit a candle in memory of Buford Lee Austin*



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**Rock Colbert** - July 28, 2017 at 01:50 PM