



Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland

July 28, 1939 - February 5, 2025

Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland, 85, of 125 Ivy Cliff Road, Hurt passed away Wednesday, February 5, 2025 at her residence. She was the wife of the late Marvin Coleman Rowland.

She was born July 28, 1939 in Lynchburg, a daughter of the late Adah Edward Arthur and Eva Mason Arthur. She was a member of Bethel Cornerstone Church and a retired employee for T.R. Arrington State Farm Insurance of Altavista.

She is survived by two daughters, Cheryl D. Rowland of Hurt and Madelyn R. Meadows and her husband, Tim of Gretna; two grandchildren, Courtney M. Hancock and her husband, Zach of Hurt and Coleman B. Meadows of Fairfax; three great-granddaughters, Eden B. Hancock, Everly B. Hancock and Emerie B. Hancock of Hurt; one sister-in-law, Geneieve T. Rowland of Hurt; three nieces, Donna S. Dalton of Gretna, Janet S. Thacker of Altavista and Suzanne R. Johnson of Lynchburg; and one nephew, Bryan L. Rowland of Richmond.

She was preceded in death by her sister, Delma A. Scruggs; and two brothers-in-law, Larry L. Scruggs and Edward L. Rowland.

A funeral service will be conducted at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, February 8, 2025

at Bethel Cornerstone Church by Pastor Stan Mulford and Rev. R.G. Rowland, Jr. with interment to follow in Altavista Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends from 7:00 until 8:30 p.m., Friday at Finch & Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider Bethel Cornerstone Church, in care of Kay Scruggs, 3185 Grit Road, Hurt, VA 24563; St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-9956; or a Charity of Your Choice.

Cemetery Details

Altavista Memorial Park

642 Wards Road
Altavista, VA 24517

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

FEB 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

Bethel Cornerstone Church
7061 Dews Road
Hurt, VA 24563

Tribute Wall



“ *Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - February 10, 2025 at 08:37 AM

KM

“ *Kenneth R Martin lit a candle in memory of Doris Rowland*



Kenneth R Martin - February 13, 2025 at 12:58 AM

CB

“ *Cheryl B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland.*

Cheryl B. - February 12, 2025 at 12:35 PM

PV

“ *Paul R VanKerckhove lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Paul R VanKerckhove - February 11, 2025 at 10:03 AM



“ 3 files added to the album *Funeral Service*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - February 09, 2025 at 12:18 PM

JR

“ *Jodi Robertson lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Jodi Robertson - February 08, 2025 at 06:07 PM

KB

“ *There will another be another Mrs. Doris.*
Kim Barbour

Kim Barbour - February 08, 2025 at 12:13 PM

KB

“ *Kim Barbour lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Kim Barbour - February 08, 2025 at 12:11 PM

PD

“ *Phyllis Dalton lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Phyllis Dalton - February 08, 2025 at 11:25 AM

TH

“ *Tammie J. Hodges lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Tammie J. Hodges - February 07, 2025 at 08:55 PM

RJ

“ *Ronald And Linda Johnston lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Ronald and Linda Johnston - February 07, 2025 at 07:58 PM

JS

“ *Sending love and deepest sympathy to Doris's family with her passing. Doris was a sweet, loving neighbor and will be missed by many.*

jeannie Smith - February 07, 2025 at 02:40 PM

RN

“ RiverStreet Networks purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland.



RiverStreet Networks - February 07, 2025 at 10:53 AM

RN

“ RiverStreet Networks planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland.

RiverStreet Networks - February 07, 2025 at 10:53 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland.



February 07, 2025 at 10:15 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland.

February 07, 2025 at 10:15 AM

KW

“ *Kathy Walker lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Kathy Walker - February 07, 2025 at 09:19 AM

WD

“ *I'm so sorry Cheryl and family for your loss," "My deepest condolences," "You are in my thoughts and prayers,"*



WENDY DALTON - February 07, 2025 at 08:34 AM

TB

“ *My condolences to Cheryl & Madeline as they begin this process & next chapter without "Mother Doris". Take comfort in knowing she is pain free now.*

Terri Bryant - February 06, 2025 at 11:20 PM

TB

“ *Terri Bryant lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Terri Bryant - February 06, 2025 at 11:16 PM

CR

Thank you.💕💕

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:21 PM

JW

“ Please know you all are in our thoughts and prayers. So enjoyed talking with Doris when she worked at State Farm and also loved her sister Delma I worked with her many years at Klopman. Doris was such a sweet and friendly lady.

Jo Ann & Mike Weeks - February 06, 2025 at 07:48 PM

CR

Thank you for your kind words.❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:22 PM

AT

“ Amanda, Sabrina, Brandi, & Tara purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland.



Amanda, Sabrina, Brandi, & Tara - February 06, 2025 at 04:51 PM

AT

“ Amanda, Sabrina, Brandi, & Tara planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland.

Amanda, Sabrina, Brandi, & Tara - February 06, 2025 at 04:51 PM

MO

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of your dear sweet Mom. May God shower you and the family with comfort peace and guidance. Our prayers are lifted for you Madeline Cheryl and all of her sweet family.

*In Christian Love,
Marshall and Laura Osborne*

Marshall and Laura Osborne - February 06, 2025 at 03:58 PM

PW

“ Patti Wolfe lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland



Patti Wolfe - February 06, 2025 at 02:29 PM

CR

Thank you. ❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:24 PM

DR

“ Dennis Robertson lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland



Dennis Robertson - February 06, 2025 at 01:19 PM

CR

Thank you. ❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:25 PM

PM

“ *Doris was always such a sweet person and always had a nice smile. I have known her all of my life and she will be missed. Praying for comfort for the family which only God can give. Don and Patti Morton*

Patti Morton - February 06, 2025 at 01:08 PM

CR

Thank you for your kind and thoughtful words. ❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:26 PM

CM

“ *Doris was a very sweet lady. Prayers to the family. God bless all.*

Charlene A Moore - February 06, 2025 at 01:04 PM

CR

Thank you for your loving message and the excellent care you provided for Mother. ❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:48 PM

CM

“ *Charlene A Moore lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Charlene A Moore - February 06, 2025 at 12:58 PM

AH

“ Arthur & Robyn Hall lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland



Arthur & Robyn Hall - February 06, 2025 at 12:16 PM

HR

“ Henry & Nancy Rowland lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland



Henry & Nancy Rowland - February 06, 2025 at 12:04 PM

SB

“ Love and prayers to the family. Doris was a wonderful and special lady loved by all.



Susan Blackstock - February 06, 2025 at 10:53 AM

JA

“ June & Bobby Arthur lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland



June & Bobby Arthur - February 06, 2025 at 10:38 AM

CR

Thank you. ❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:53 PM

RS

“ *Robin Scruggs lit a candle in memory of Doris Madeline Arthur Rowland*



Robin Scruggs - February 06, 2025 at 10:33 AM

CR

Thank you ❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 09, 2025 at 07:54 PM

BW

“ *So sorry to hear this. one of our neighbors growing up. Prayers to Cheryl and Madeline.*

bobby worley - February 06, 2025 at 09:13 AM

JB

“ *I knew Doris from our years in school. I will be in prayer as the family celebrates and grieves her passing.*
JW Burton

john w burton - February 06, 2025 at 08:20 AM

JW

“ *Doris was a sweet and kind lady. The world needs more people like her. Prayers going out to the family in this time of loss.* ”



Janet Wilson - February 06, 2025 at 07:50 AM



“ *Mrs. Rowland was a kind lady and I always enjoyed talking with her.. Prayers are with Cheryl, Madeline and all the family..* ”



Ralph Woods - February 05, 2025 at 11:37 PM

BB

“ *Doris was a Lady in the truest since . Marvin was a friend teammate and hunting buddy . May she rest in peace .* ”

Bud Brown - February 05, 2025 at 09:53 PM

BG

“ *A lot of fond memories of Doris as we worked together at the bank for quite a while. Thoughts and prayers to Cheryl and Madeline and families as you navigate this difficult time.* ”

Betty Gillespie - February 05, 2025 at 09:39 PM

BH

“ *Betty Hunley lit a candle in memory of Doris Rowland*



Betty Hunley - February 05, 2025 at 09:09 PM

PP

“ *So sorry to hear of Doris’s passing. Doris was a sweet lady and every time I saw her, she was always smiling. My thought and prayers go out to the family, in this time of sorrow.*



Pat Puckette - February 05, 2025 at 08:24 PM

ME

“ *So sorry for your loss. You all are in my thoughts & prayers at this time.*



Mary Edmonds - February 05, 2025 at 06:38 PM

ED

Mrs. Rowland was a sweet soft spoken lady with a beautiful smile. Mrs. Rowland was so bless to have two wonderful daughters that provided her with the best love and care. Family you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Evelyn Davis - February 06, 2025 at 03:15 PM

CR

Thank you. ❤️

Cheryl Rowland - February 19, 2025 at 05:11 PM