



Elizabeth Ann Cheatham

October 22, 1950 - June 1, 2026

Elizabeth "Betsy" Ann Cheatham, 75, of Lynchburg died Monday, June 1, 2026, at Centra Lynchburg General Hospital.

Betsy was born October 22, 1950, in Lynchburg and raised in Gladys Virginia, a daughter of the late Melvin Jones Cheatham, Sr., and Barbara Ann Clay Cheatham. She was a member of Mount Zion United Methodist Church and a retired Administrative Assistant at the Virginia Department of Transportation. She enjoyed music, NASCAR racing and loving her family and many nieces and nephews. She was a legal secretary for many years and completed her bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Bluefield University.

She is survived by one brother, Melvin J. Cheathan, Jr. (Mickey) and his wife, Donna of Gladys; two sisters, Sarah Isaacs and her husband, Kevin of Gladys, and Susan Steadman and her husband, Donny of Gladys; nieces and nephews, Rachel, Benjamin (Madeline), and Daniel Isaacs; Amy White (Zach), Taylor Steadman (Kendall McCormick), Nick (Rikki) and Justin (Kelly Jo) Cheatham; and great nieces and nephews, Maggie & Henry Isaacs; Theodore White, Kailey, Indie, and Dani Jo Cheatham, and one on the way.

She was preceded in death by her great nephew, Blake Cheatham.

A graveside service will be conducted at 11:00 A.M., Wednesday, June 10,

2026 at Mount Zion United Methodist Church Cemetery, Rustburg by the Rev. Shelton Miles.

The family will receive friends at the home of Sarah and Kevin Isaacs, in Gladys, Virginia on the days prior to the service.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider Mount Zion United Methodist Church, 5662 Red House Rd., Rustburg VA 24588, or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105

The family wishes to extend a special thank you to the administration and staff of Willow Ridge Senior Living Community for all the care, love and compassion shown to Betsy during her time living there.

Finch & Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Gladys is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Mount Zion United Methodist Church Cemetery

5662 Red House Rd.
(Church Address)
Rustburg, VA 24588

Upcoming Events

Graveside Service

JUN 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

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