



## Emma Lee Norwitz

July 10, 1941 - April 20, 2022

Emma Lee Norwitz, 80, of 511 8th Street, Altavista died Wednesday, April 20, 2022, at Lynchburg General Hospital. She was the wife of the late Edward Norwitz, Jr.

She was born on July 10, 1941, in West Virginia, a daughter of the late John Pete Puckett and Gladys Puckett. She worked as a teacher for many years at Gallaudet University, in Washington, D.C. She later went on to become the matriarch of her family and stayed home to raise her grandchildren.

She is survived by a son, John Carey; a daughter, Dana Snow; two sisters, Mary Moore, and Yvonne Puckett; five grandchildren, Dylan Snow, Amy Coffaro (Zach), Trevor Carey, Victoria Carey and John Carey; six great-grandchildren, Blake Coffaro, Riley Coffaro, Aleena Carey, Sophia Carey, Trevor Carey, Jr. and Abel Carey.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by a brother, Carl Puckett.

A funeral service will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Monday, April 25, 2022, at Finch & Finch Chapel, Altavista by the Rev. Edwardo Soto with interment to follow in Green Hill Cemetery.

The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.



# Cemetery Details

## Green Hill Cemetery

300 Westwood Drive  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **25**. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

APR **25**. 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 Emma Lee Norwitz*



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**Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service** - April 25, 2022 at 09:45 AM



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



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**Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service** - April 23, 2022 at 02:43 PM

JS

“ *I knew Emma in Owings, Md. When she lived adjacent from me. Then when Eddie passed I flew to Cape Coral to be with her and a couple of years later Bud and I moved to Cape Coral. We had a lot of good times together and I will miss my friend Emma. She can say hello to Bud, Wade, Jr and Patrick in heaven.*

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**Jenny Shelton** - October 10, 2022 at 01:44 AM

MM

“ *aww just found out today that she had passed away, I use to live in altavista at the apartments below her, she was such a sweet heart*



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**Michelle Miller** - May 12, 2022 at 07:55 PM

MA

“ *Marian lit a candle in memory of Emma Lee Norwitz*



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**Marian** - May 10, 2022 at 10:51 AM

LM

“ *Miss Emma was our neighbor. When she introduced herself, she told me she was the "neighborhood watch" ! She gave me her contact information and asked for mine! Each time we spoke it was always an adventure. She always said what she thought and I loved that about her. She was a very interesting lady. She loved her family and talked about one a lot. She was full of love! I wish I had spent more time with her. I know she will be missed by all who knew her! Rest in peace Miss Emma!!!  
Linda & Glenn*

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**Linda Miller** - April 25, 2022 at 12:47 PM



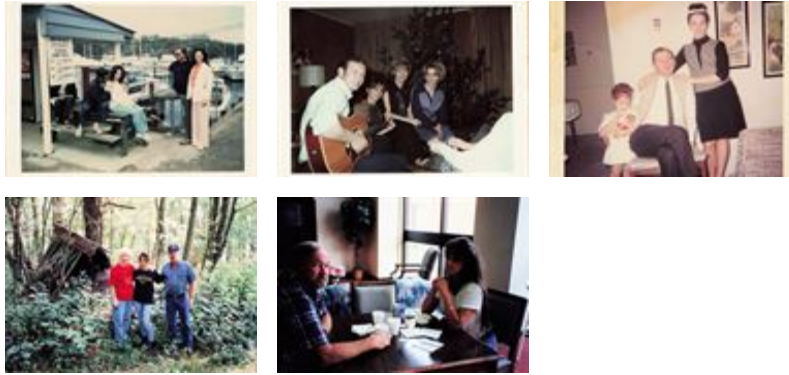
“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Emma Lee Norwitz.*



April 24, 2022 at 09:17 PM



“ *91 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - April 23, 2022 at 02:39 PM



*Katie Jenny and I loved you so much and had planned on visiting you this summer. I go by your High School at Richlands , Va every day and I saw your homeplace at Bandy, Va. Will miss our talks and have enjoyed the past five years talking to you. Fly high Emma and we will never forget you! Love you so much!*

Judy Payne - April 24, 2022 at 08:55 PM

RF

“ I will miss Emma as my friend. We laughed, fussed, cried, and tried to solve the problems of the world when we were together. Now she is no longer grasping for breath with asthma and can breathe. She and I had a special bond because she was such a good caregiver for my Daddy years ago. Will see you in heaven one day! Prayers for her kids, grandkids and great grandchildren.

Ruth Ferrell - April 22, 2022 at 06:38 PM

MM

“ Emma was my youngest sister and her heart was filled with joy for her family and friends. She knew kindness and happiness for those around her. Always ready to offer her support when needed. Rest in peace dear sister until we meet again in heaven. Love you, Mary Lou

Mary Lou moore - April 22, 2022 at 05:30 PM



Love you Mary Lou wish I could be there with you and family!

Judy Payne - April 24, 2022 at 08:57 PM

VC

“ Thoughts and Prayers to the Norwitz family. May God give you strength during this difficult time. Emma was so very good to my Dad. I will always remember that.



Vicky Creasy - April 22, 2022 at 02:24 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Emma Lee Norwitz.*



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April 22, 2022 at 02:06 PM