



## Mozelle Farmer Bruce

April 15, 1923 - March 1, 2018

Mozelle Farmer Bruce, 94, of 2701 Grit Road, Hurt passed away peacefully on Thursday, March 1, 2018 at her home with her family by her side. She was the beloved wife of the late Harry Melvin Bruce for over seventy-one years.

She was born April 15, 1923 in Pittsylvania County, a daughter of the late Luther Daniel Farmer and Virginia Shumate Farmer. She was a member of St. John Pentecostal Holiness Church and the lifetime caretaker for her son, Tommy.

She is survived by a son, Melvin Rogers Bruce and his fiancée, Karen George of Hurt; a daughter, Nancye Bruce Pritchard and her husband, Harold of Hurt; one brother, Danny Farmer of Motley; one sister, Dora Farmer Pickeral of Motley; seven grandchildren, Wally Bruce (Kim), Chris Bruce (Lara), Tony Moon (Stephanie), Kim McFaden (Chris), Matthew Pritchard (Carrington), Meghan Durrett (Austin) and Nikole Cole (Ricky); seventeen great grandchildren; three great great grandchildren; and a former daughter in law, Wendy Bruce of Hurt.

She was preceded in death by a son, Robert Thomas "Tommy" Bruce; two brothers, four sisters, and two great grandchildren.

A funeral service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, March 4, 2018 at

Finch and Finch Chapel, Altavista by the Rev. Tim Lane and the Rev. Steve Morris with interment to follow in the Bruce Family Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m., Saturday at Finch and Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider Special Olympics, Piedmont Region, 104A Northwynd Circle, Lynchburg, VA 24502.

The family wishes to extend a special thank you to Lisa of Centra Hospice, Tracy Arthur of Team Nurse for her devotion the last five years, Hannah, Melody, Bertha, Breanna and the staff of Team Nurse for their loving care of Mrs. Bruce.

Please visit the online tribute at [www.finchandfinchfuneralservice.com](http://www.finchandfinchfuneralservice.com) to share a memory or send a condolence to the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Bruce Family Cemetery

560 Rowland Dr.  
Hurt, VA 24563

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

MAR 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service** - March 03, 2018 at 03:27 PM

JS

“ *Judith Shelton lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Judith Shelton** - June 18, 2018 at 01:05 PM

JS

*I was so sorry to hear about the loss of your Mama. She was a sweet and precious lady and I know you will all miss her. God be with you all during the days ahead. Love and Blessings, Judith and Kenneth Shelton*

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**Judith Shelton** - June 18, 2018 at 01:09 PM

RL

“ *Robbie & Jackie Lacks lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Robbie & Jackie Lacks** - March 26, 2018 at 05:43 PM

BL

“ *The Bruce family, So sorry to learn of the loss of your Mom. Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Buddy, Sandra Lee & Family*



**Buddy & Sandra Lee** - March 04, 2018 at 08:08 PM

GG

“ *So sorry to hear of Mozelle's death..she was a good of my Mom's for a lot of years.*



**Gwen Dawson Goggin** - March 04, 2018 at 07:20 PM

JH

“ *Jamie & Kim Hodges lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



**Jamie & Kim Hodges** - March 04, 2018 at 03:23 PM

LR

“ *LARRY ROACH lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



**LARRY ROACH** - March 04, 2018 at 10:21 AM

LR

*Great Lady went to church with her when I was a kid full of life. Prayers for family . Larry Roach*

**LARRY ROACH** - March 04, 2018 at 10:24 AM

BD

“ *Prayers to Melvin & Family. We are so very sorry for your loss. May your memories bring you comfort in your time of sorrow.*



**Brandi Minton & Todd Dawson** - March 03, 2018 at 10:59 PM

JM

“ *So sorry for your family's loss! Each of you are in my thoughts and prayers.*



**JoAnn Martin** - March 03, 2018 at 10:48 PM

SF

“ *Sandra Farris lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



**Sandra Farris** - March 03, 2018 at 09:52 PM

BM

“ *Bud And Dean Moon lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Bud and Dean Moon** - March 03, 2018 at 09:13 PM

PA

“ *Mrs. Bruce was one fine lady. She always had a smile for you. I suppose that's where Nancy learned that. I know you will miss her! This is heaven's gain.*

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**Paulette Adkins** - March 03, 2018 at 04:15 PM

MS

“ *Martha Shelton lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Martha Shelton** - March 03, 2018 at 02:41 PM

BG

“ *Barbara C. Gregory lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Barbara C. Gregory** - March 03, 2018 at 12:25 PM

PO

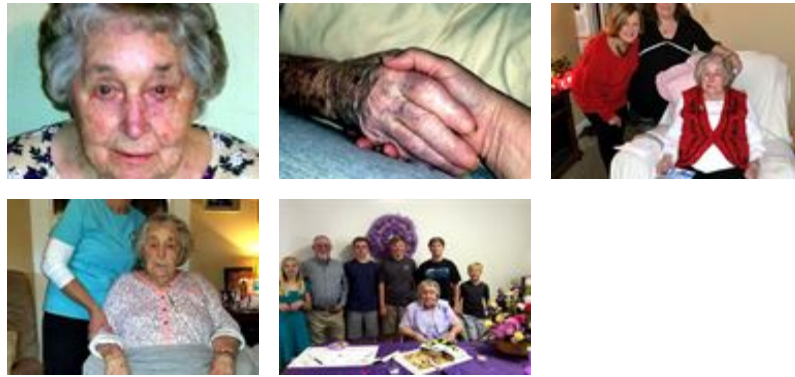
“ Penny Owens lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce



Penny Owens - March 03, 2018 at 12:04 PM



“ 53 files added to the album Life Tributes



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - March 03, 2018 at 11:16 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mozelle Farmer Bruce.



March 03, 2018 at 11:00 AM

HH

“ Lois and I remember with fondness our memories of our times of fellowship with Mozelle. She will always be a caring, loving person in our hearts. May God comfort you with happy memories. our prayers for your consolation through the Holy Spirit.

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**Hugh Hoyle** - March 03, 2018 at 10:51 AM

AM

“ Anne And Jimmy Marr lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce



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**anne and jimmy marr** - March 03, 2018 at 10:46 AM

JF

“ JOYCE D FISHER lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce



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**JOYCE D FISHER** - March 03, 2018 at 10:22 AM

MA

“ Marian lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce



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**Marian** - March 03, 2018 at 08:58 AM

MW

“ *Myra & Tommy Walker lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Myra & Tommy Walker** - March 03, 2018 at 08:44 AM

PD

“ *Phyllis & Glenn Dalton lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Phyllis & Glenn Dalton** - March 03, 2018 at 08:13 AM

KG

“ *My deepest condolences to the Bruce Family. Ms Mozelle was a truly wonderful lady.*



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**Kim Gibson** - March 03, 2018 at 02:37 AM

TA

“ *Team Nurse, Altavista purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mozelle Farmer Bruce.*



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**Team Nurse, Altavista** - March 02, 2018 at 10:54 PM

KH

“ *KENNETH HUDSON lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



**KENNETH HUDSON** - March 02, 2018 at 10:17 PM

NR

“ *NANCY DAWSON ROLFE lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



**NANCY DAWSON ROLFE** - March 02, 2018 at 09:41 PM

MT

“ *Michelle, Mike & the Valley Industrial Piping team purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Mozelle Farmer Bruce.*



**Michelle, Mike & the Valley Industrial Piping team** - March 02, 2018 at 08:49 PM

SR

“ *Sandra Robertson lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



**Sandra Robertson** - March 02, 2018 at 07:51 PM

SC

“ Nancy and family, please know that y'all are in my thoughts and prayers. Mama sends her condolences also.



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**Sara and Nancy Crews** - March 02, 2018 at 07:16 PM

SB

“ Nancye, Kim & family,

*I am so sorry for the loss of your mother and grandmother. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Love,  
Sue Blackstock*



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**Susan M. Blackstock** - March 02, 2018 at 06:20 PM

DM

“ Dot[rorer] Mitchell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce



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**dot[rorer] mitchell** - March 02, 2018 at 04:59 PM

LD

“ I have known Mozelle all my life. We went to the same church. She was a fine lady. She was so funny and made everyone laugh. Prayers to the family.

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**Linda Lewis Dalton/Carlton** - March 02, 2018 at 04:53 PM

SF

“ *Mozelle was a pleasant person always laughing and lifting everyone 's spirits. Prayers*

*for the family. Rest in peace Mozelle.*



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**Shirley Forloines** - March 02, 2018 at 04:35 PM

BD

“ *Billy & Diane Davis lit a candle in memory of Mozelle Farmer Bruce*



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**Billy & Diane Davis** - March 02, 2018 at 04:27 PM