



Veola Barnard Roark

February 3, 1927 - October 23, 2023

Veola Barnard Roark, 96, of 1317 Lola Avenue, Altavista died Monday, October 23, 2023 at Autumn Care of Altavista. She was the wife of the late Amos Sidney Roark.

She was born February 3, 1927 in Campbell County, a daughter of the late Charles Henry Barnard and Ollie Hewitt Parrish Barnard. She was a member of Penuel Baptist Church and a retired employee of Burlington Industries where she worked for 42 years. Veola was also a member of Woodmen of the World and she enjoyed reading in her free time.

She is survived by two sons, Robert Wayne Roark, Sr. and his significant other, Vicky Creasy of Altavista and Hugh B. Bragg and his wife, Shirley of Lynchburg; three grandchildren, Peggy Sue Goodman and her husband, John, Tammy Bragg Cox and her husband, Tony and Jonathan Bragg and his wife, Aerial; twelve great grandchildren; three great great grandchildren plus one on the way; and a special friend, Linda Carter.

The family would like to thank the Autumn Care staff for their loving care during Veola's time there.

She was preceded in death by a grandson, Robert Wayne Roark, Jr.; a granddaughter, Beth Bragg Jones; a sister, Barbara Catron; and two brothers,

Charles and Russell Lawrence Barnard.

A memorial service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Friday, October 27, 2023 at Finch & Finch Chapel, Altavista by the Rev. Carlton Gunter.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 until 1:45 p.m., Friday at Finch & Finch Funeral and Cremation Service.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider Altavista Fire Company, P.O. Box 208, Altavista, VA 24517.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **27**. 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

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

Memorial Service

OCT **27**. 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 Veola Barnard Roark*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - October 25, 2023 at 01:34 PM



“ *Eric Scruggs lit a candle in memory of Veola Roark*



Eric Scruggs - October 27, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *26 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - October 26, 2023 at 12:14 PM

BH

“ *Bob Kathy (Barnard) Harris lit a candle in memory of Veola Roark*



Bob & Kathy (Barnard) Harris - October 26, 2023 at 11:55 AM

JM

“ *So sorry for your loss. Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

JoAnn Martin - October 26, 2023 at 07:51 AM

SO

“ *So sorry to hear of her passing.*

Shirley Orrell - October 25, 2023 at 06:41 PM

JW

“ *Wayne & Family,
So sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. My greatest memories is us growing up on Tanyard Road me, you, Gwen, Al and Mike many young years ago. We were all good friends and played together so much. You had the most sweetest Mama and please know you all are in our thoughts and prayers.*



Jo Ann & Mike Weeks - October 25, 2023 at 04:23 PM

BC

“ *Went to church most of my life such a sweet lady always had a smile Rest in peace love you*

Bonnie cox - October 25, 2023 at 03:44 PM

VC

“ *Rest in Peace Veola.
She was such a Christian woman. I know God
has welcomed her with open arms.
May God give the family strength during this
difficult time. She will be forever loved.*



Vicky Creasy - October 25, 2023 at 03:36 PM

GR

“ *Geneieve Rowland lit a candle in memory of
Veola Barnard Roark*



Geneieve Rowland - October 25, 2023 at 02:31 PM

ME

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



Mary Edmonds - October 25, 2023 at 02:17 PM

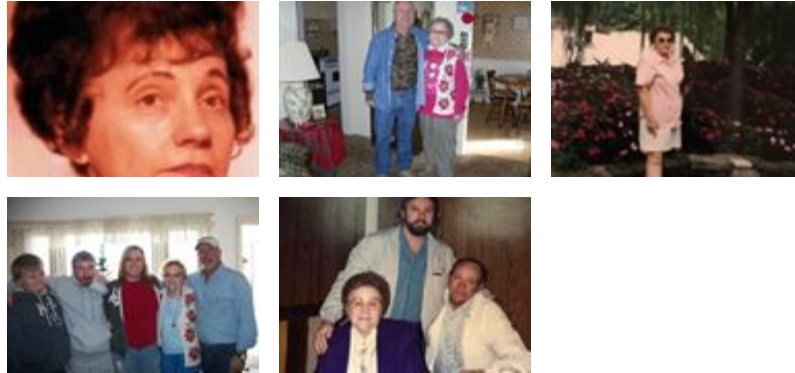
JC

“ *So sad for Veola's family. Veola was a wonderful woman. I have
known her for many years. Such a caring person. Veola will be in
peace with her husband and so happy to be with her Lord and
Savior. God is so good 🙏🙏❤️*

Jane Chapman - October 25, 2023 at 01:35 PM



“ 34 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - October 25, 2023 at 01:34 PM

TK

“ Tommy Melinda Kirby lit a candle in memory of Veola Roark



Tommy and Melinda Kirby - October 25, 2023 at 01:21 PM

MS

“ Marilyn Shelton lit a candle in memory of Veola Roark



Marilyn Shelton - October 25, 2023 at 12:46 PM

BB

“ Veola was a coworker and family friend . May she rest in peace.

Bud Brown - October 25, 2023 at 12:00 PM

CH

“ *Connie Hall lit a candle in memory of Veola Roark*



Connie Payne Hall - October 25, 2023 at 11:55 AM

CH

“ *Peggy, I'm truly sorry for your loss. Please give me sympathy to the family.*

Christopher hines - October 25, 2023 at 11:24 AM

RC

“ *Wayne, Hugh and family we're so sorry for your loss. Veola was such a caring friend and lady. When we were neighbors we shared many talks and laughter and she always spoke of her children and grandchildren she loved each of you so much. I have known Veola all my life and I was so proud to call her my friend. Our thoughts and prayers for peace and strength in the days to come.*



Ray and Kay Caldwell - October 25, 2023 at 10:34 AM