



Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell

November 25, 1944 - February 23, 2026

Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell, of Jewell Valley, Virginia, went home to be with the Lord, on Monday, February 23, 2026, surrounded by the love of her family. She was a devoted child of God, a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend whose life was defined by faith, service, and love for others.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Ernest “Traveler” Lowe and Ina Hayes Lowe; her beloved husband, Edd Mitchell; her precious granddaughter, Hannah Bryant; her sister, Anna Ruth Lowe; and her brother, Dan (Danny) Lowe.

Left to cherish her memory are her children: Eddie and Tamy Mitchell, Susan and Barry Bryant, Kenny and Tonia Mitchell, and Barbara and Pete Lundy.

She is also survived by her grandchildren: James Mitchell, Alexzandra (Hunter) Dowell, Ben Bryant, Morgan Mitchell, Justin Mitchell, Braydon Mitchell, and Elan Lundy.

She was blessed with granddaughters of the heart, Kaitlin Cole and Kristin Cole.

Her great-grandchildren include Jethro, Jedidiah, Gideon, Gunner, and Evelyn “Evee” along with a great-granddaughter of the heart, Elena.

She is also survived by her sisters: Martha Lowe; Margaret and Wayne Cochran; and Mollie and Joey Swicegood; along with many loving nieces, nephews, dear friends, and countless school children whose lives she touched through the years.

Alpha Omega wore many titles throughout her life—child of God, wife, mother,

sister, grandmother, substitute teacher, bus driver, and friend—but her greatest joy was serving others with kindness, patience, and love. She was a 1963 graduate of Richlands High School and married the love of her life on January 18, 1966. She was saved and baptized in July 1974 and remained faithful to the Lord throughout her life. She was a member of Whitewood House of Worship Church and Shelter Freewill Baptist Church. Alpha Omega faithfully served the Buchanan County School System for 46 years. She began as a substitute teacher in the fall of 1979 and became an instructional aide in 2001. She also began driving a school bus in the fall of 1989 and continued until December 4, 2025. She loved her bus route and took special care of the children entrusted to her, treating each one as her own.

She enjoyed traveling to the Smoky Mountains and the beach, especially with her “Baby Rat,” Elan. A devoted student of God’s Word, she read her Bible completely through multiple times and made daily scripture reading a lifelong habit. Known as a Bible scholar within her church, she could quickly find an answer to any question and was always eager to share her knowledge and faith.

Her life was a testimony of quiet strength, unwavering faith, and a heart dedicated to serving both God and others. Her family finds comfort in knowing she has finished her race, kept the faith, and is now at home with her Lord and Savior.

“I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness.”— 2 Timothy 4:7–8

Special thanks to Legacy Hospice for their services, and a special thank you to Legacy Hospice nurses Becky Casey and Tiffany Turner.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 PM on Friday, February 27, 2026, at Hurst-Scott Funeral Home with Jay Cole, Robert Rife, and Pete Lundy officiating. Burial will follow at the Knob Family Cemetery in Pea Patch, Virginia. Pallbearers will be Ben Bryant, James Mitchell, Elan Lundy, Hunter

Clifton, Tommy Mitchell, Matthew Mitchell, Isaac Cooper, Jacob Owens, Shannon Mullins, John Conlon, and Clyde Wimmer. Honorary pallbearers include Justin Mitchell, Braydon Mitchell, Chuck Vandyke, Terry Willis, Tony Owens, Rocky Cole, Wayne Cochran, Joey Swicegood, and the men of the Buchanan County Bus Garage. The family will receive friends at Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia, on Thursday, February 26, 2026, beginning at 6:00 PM Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia, oversees arrangements. Those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Knob Cemetery

Pea Patch
Jewell Ridge, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 26. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home
1401 2nd Street
Richlands, VA 24641
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

Funeral Service

FEB 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - April 10 at 10:45 AM



“ Leroy & Angie Nelson lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Mitchell



Leroy & Angie Nelson - March 17 at 09:57 PM



“ I'm so sorry Omega is no longer on this earth. Wonderful woman and we played some pranks on her when she substituted for our class but she took it all in stride and with grace. Even critiqued one. Patience was in her DNA when dealing with a bunch of crazy teenagers. What a beautiful example she set

Anita Kelly-Harrison - February 28 at 12:29 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.*



February 27 at 03:50 PM



“ *Anita Short lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell*



Anita Short - February 27 at 10:53 AM



“ *Chatlotte G. Short lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell*



Chatlotte G. Short - February 27 at 10:52 AM



“ *I am one of many children raised in Jewell Valley by a host of mothers that each played a role in raising us. Miggie, as she was fondly nicknamed, was one of the Jewell Valley moms. I thought nothing of jumping into car with her and going to the Company Store. Miggie played a significant role in my childhood, and these memories today help to sustain me. I love you, Miggie.*

Jan Taylor - February 27 at 10:51 AM

JH

“ Julie H. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.

Julie H. - February 27 at 07:53 AM

CS

“ Chatlotte G. Short lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell



Chatlotte G. Short - February 27 at 03:03 AM

AS

“ Anita J. Short lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell



Anita J. Short - February 27 at 03:02 AM

KD

“ Kristie Hall DeVaney lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell



Kristie Hall DeVaney - February 26 at 08:30 PM

LH

“ Eddie, Susan, Kenny Barbara There are no words that I could make this easier for you..My Heart is shattered!! From playing in the road ,to riding bicycle playing ball from going to Bible school an church riding with Daddy driving..Your Mom was the most Godlys woman I knew. I guess we are all one Big Jewell Valley Family..I Pray peace and comfort for you each one of you. And send all my Love an Hugs for you. Just know we've walked in your shoes.Nomatter what time or when I'm always here for you. I Love yall so much...We could share alot of laughs. Love Lisa



Lisa Hackworth Harris - February 26 at 08:20 PM

JL

“ Janet and Mark Livick planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.

Janet and Mark Livick - February 26 at 04:17 PM

JL

“ Janet and Mark Livick purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.



Janet and Mark Livick - February 26 at 04:17 PM

RU

“ RubyHarmon sent a virtual gift in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell



RubyHarmon - February 26 at 09:45 AM

MB

“ Miriam and Thomas Burniston planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.

Miriam and Thomas Burniston - February 26 at 09:24 AM

MB

“ Miriam and Thomas Burniston purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.



Miriam and Thomas Burniston - February 26 at 09:24 AM

JW

“ Judy West lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell



Judy West - February 26 at 07:47 AM

DB

“ Thoughts and prayers for the family. Knew the (Lowe) family all my life. Praying God will grant all the family comfort in knowing that she is with Him and resting in eternal peace.

Dee (Patrick) Barbour - February 25 at 11:15 PM

RH

“ Ronda Hale lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Mitchell



Ronda Hale - February 25 at 04:52 PM

EB

“ Omega, was a classmate and dear friend. She, will be missed, by everyone, who had the honor, of being her friend. I especially, enjoyed visiting with her, at our class reunions.



Eunice and Jack Breeden - February 25 at 04:02 PM

AM

“ I have wonderful memories of being neighbors with the Lowe family on Rockbridge Ave so many years ago. I am so sorry about Omega.

Aaron McGlothlin - February 25 at 03:49 PM

MH

“ Maim Harrison lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Mitchell



Maim Harrison - February 25 at 07:59 AM

CV

“ Charlotte Vencille lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Mitchell



Charlotte Vencille - February 25 at 07:52 AM

WL

“ With love, David & Beth Lowe planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.

With love, David & Beth Lowe - February 25 at 06:28 AM

WL

“ With love, David & Beth Lowe purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Alpha Omega Lowe Mitchell.



With love, David & Beth Lowe - February 25 at 06:28 AM

MH

“ Maim Harrison lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Mitchell



Maim Harrison - February 24 at 02:34 PM

CF

“ SHE WAS A GOD HEARTED PERSON SHE KEPT HER BUS CLEANER THAN ANYONE

CONNIE FRAZER - February 24 at 01:56 PM



“ TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Mitchell



TonyanEdgar Wicks - February 24 at 01:20 PM

MB

“ So sad to hear this she was such an amazing and caring woman. She was always so good to my girl Whittney Ball, she will be missed for sure. R.I.P. sweet lady

Mary Ball - February 24 at 01:20 PM

MB

“ *Mary Ball lit a candle in memory of Alpha Omega Mitchell*



Mary Ball - February 24 at 01:17 PM

MH

“ *So sorry to hear about Mrs. Mitchell's passing. She was an amazing lady. She was my bus driver for a few years driving up in Clifton Fork. She was an awesome bus driver and could turn it around on a dime. She was fun and loving and wonderful to be around. I will never forget her. Prayers to all of the family.*

Mathew Horne

Matthew Horne - February 24 at 01:02 PM

TH

“ *SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. PRAYERS FOR ALL. DAVID AND TAMMY HAND*

Tammy Hand - February 24 at 12:21 PM