



## Lila Louise French Altizer

January 1, 1927 - May 20, 2023

Lila Louise French Altizer, age 96, of Cedar Bluff, Virginia, passed away Saturday, May 20, 2023 at her home.

She was born in Tazewell County, Virginia and was the daughter of the late Gus French and Carrie Mallory French. She was a lifelong resident of the Richlands area and was the last surviving charter member of the Richlands Tabernacle. She was a graduate of the Jefferson School of Commerce Business College and was a riveter in Norfolk, Virginia during World War II. She was known for her cooking, and she baked for several people and made homemade mints for many years for people both near and far. Her grandchildren were the joy of her life. She spent endless hours with them on the farm. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Emory Ralph Altizer; sons, Dale Altizer and Mousey Altizer; three sisters, Dorothy Sharrone, Dolly Clouser, and Margaret Sprecher; and one brother, Sidney French.

Survivors are:

Daughters:

Dana Moats and husband, Carson of Richlands, Virginia

Diane Stevenson of Belfast, Virginia

Sons:

Rev. Danny Altizer and wife, Abby of Belfast, Virginia

Doug Altizer and wife, Linda of Bristol, Virginia

Daughters in Law: Phyllis Altizer and Rhonda Myers

Brother In Law: Landon Altizer

Thirteen Grandchildren, Sixteen Great Grandchildren, and Two Great-Great Grandchildren

Funeral services for Lila Louise French Altizer will be conducted Thursday, May 25, 2023 at 11am at the Richlands Tabernacle in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Danny Altizer and Rev. Roger Boyd officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be: Chris Altizer, Will Altizer, Carson Rosario, Matthew Perry, Todd Stevenson, Tyler Stevenson, Tyler Riner, Keyland Riner, Shawn Eads, Mickey Altizer, Blake Altizer, Brett Altizer, and Ryan Altizer. Friends may call from 6pm until 9pm on Wednesday evening at the Richlands Tabernacle in Richlands, Virginia. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy  
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **24.** 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Richlands Tabernacle  
2505 Third Street  
Richlands, VA 24641

## Funeral Service

MAY **25.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Richlands Tabernacle  
2505 Third Street  
Richlands, VA 24641

# Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Lila Louise French Altizer



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - June 02, 2023 at 11:04 AM

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“ So sorry to learn of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. May you have comfort knowing she is with our Lord. God bless and take care.  
Rebecca and John Dye

Rebecca - May 24, 2023 at 09:21 PM

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“ Kathy Moye lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer



Kathy Liles Moye - May 24, 2023 at 12:24 AM



“ Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer



Carolyn Pyles - May 23, 2023 at 10:57 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lila Louise French Altizer.



May 23, 2023 at 10:07 AM



“ Prayers of comfort



Kathy Sneed - May 23, 2023 at 09:17 AM



“ Belfast has lost one of its finest ladies--many fond memories-- Barbara Taylor Pauley

barbara taylor pauley - May 23, 2023 at 09:16 AM



“ *Christine Hayton lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer*



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**Christine Hayton** - May 23, 2023 at 09:11 AM



“ *Lila was one of the sweetest women I have ever known. Knock on her door, enter her home and this is what you had before leaving. You had Jesus in your heart, a full belly and the most fun you have had in a long time. You could not wait until you went back. I loved her she was very special to me.*

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**Debbie McGaffee Hunsaker** - May 23, 2023 at 06:08 AM



*Love and prayers from. Cleveland Lifesaving Crew Inc*

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**Maxie. Skeen** - May 24, 2023 at 02:36 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Lila Louise French Altizer.*



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May 22, 2023 at 10:53 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lila Louise French Altizer.*



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May 22, 2023 at 09:54 PM



“ *Thinking of you all. She was such a good woman. Beautiful and blessed.*



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**Chelle Carini** - May 22, 2023 at 09:51 PM



“ *Phyllis and family, sorry to hear of your loved one's death. You are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of sorrow.*



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**glenna phipps** - May 22, 2023 at 09:50 PM

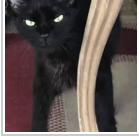


“ *Betty Swindle lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer*



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**Betty Sifford Swindle** - May 22, 2023 at 09:25 PM



“ SHE lived a full life ....amen ! r.i.p. LILA LOUISE ....



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**Davie Horton** - May 22, 2023 at 07:12 PM



“ Nancy Adams Young planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lila Louise French Altizer.

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**Nancy Adams Young** - May 22, 2023 at 06:16 PM



“ Nancy Adams Young purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Lila Louise French Altizer.



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**Nancy Adams Young** - May 22, 2023 at 06:16 PM



“ RBGlenda Altizer lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer



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**RBGlenda Altizer** - May 22, 2023 at 04:30 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lila Louise French Altizer.*



May 22, 2023 at 04:08 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer*



**TonyanEdgar Wicks** - May 22, 2023 at 03:00 PM



“ *Brenda Austin lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer*



**Brenda Glovier Austin** - May 22, 2023 at 01:37 PM



“ *Harold Nelson lit a candle in memory of Lila French Altizer*



**Harold Nelson** - May 22, 2023 at 01:28 PM



“ *Norma Richardson sent a virtual gift in memory of Lila French Altizer*



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**Norma Jewell Richardson** - May 22, 2023 at 01:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lila Louise French Altizer.*



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May 22, 2023 at 11:22 AM