



Ruth Cochran Christian

July 21, 1931 - March 21, 2021

Ruth Cochran Christian, age 89, of Bluefield, Virginia, entered into eternal rest on Sunday, March 21, 2021 at Princeton Community Hospital in Princeton, West Virginia.

Ruth was born on July 21, 1931 in Clifffield, Virginia to the late Thomas F. and Barbara Pruett Cochran. She was a 1949 graduate of Tazewell High School and worked as a cook for Tazewell County Public Schools and later St. Luke's Hospital. Mrs. Christian was a member of Fincastle First Church of God in Bluefield. She loved to spend her time reading.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, George A. Christian; son, David Allen Christian; Sisters, Elizabeth Cochran and Lorrene "Eenie" Johnson; and her brothers, James Cochran and Walter Cochran.

Those left to cherish her memory include her children,

Carol Christian Linkous and husband, Charlie of Bluefield, Virginia
Loretta R. Nicholl and husband, Greg of Roscoe, Illinois
Thomas M. Christian of Columbus, Indiana

Grandchildren,

Justin Nicholl and wife, Kayleigh of Midland, Michigan
Sarah Bushnell and husband, Jake of Columbus, Indiana
Jenna Nicholl of Roscoe, Illinois
Alaina Ruth Christian of New Kensington, Pennsylvania

Great Grandchild, Colin Alan Nicholl of Midland, Michigan.

Special nieces,

Brenda Frazier and husband, Johnny of Bluefield, Virginia
Donna Gail Huffman and fiancé, Billy Pritchett of Salem, Virginia

A host of additional family and friends also survive.

Funeral services for Ruth Cochran Christian will be conducted at 1 PM on Thursday, March 25, 2021 at Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Tazewell, Virginia with the Reverend Perry Blankenship officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, Virginia where relatives and friends will serve as pallbearers. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 12 PM until the time of the service on Thursday afternoon. Per state mandates related to COVID-19, social distancing and face masks will be required. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Tazewell, VA is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Greenhills Memory Gardens

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

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Hurst- Scott Funeral Home of Tazewell
870 Main Street
Tazewell, VA 24651
(276) 988-7579
hsfhtaz@outlook.com

Funeral Service

MAR 25. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Cochran Christian*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Ruth Cochran Christian*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Ruth Cochran Christian*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - March 24, 2021 at 08:24 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ruth Cochran Christian.*



March 24, 2021 at 12:42 AM

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“ *Dottie Ray Wingo lit a candle in memory of Ruth Cochran Christian*



Dottie Ray Wingo - March 23, 2021 at 11:19 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ruth Cochran Christian.*



March 23, 2021 at 07:14 PM