



## Betty Wilson Mathews

September 20, 1936 - June 8, 2025

Betty Wilson Mathews, age 88, of Stockbridge, Georgia, passed away peacefully on the evening of Sunday, June 8, 2025, surrounded by her loving family.

Born on September 20 in Rockmart, Georgia, Betty was the daughter of the late Tom and Rushie Wilson. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Zack Mathews, and her nine siblings.

Betty enjoyed a fulfilling accounting career, retiring from both International Harvester and Bank of America. A devoted Christian, she lived her faith daily through quiet service and compassionate care. She was an active member of First Baptist Church of Stockbridge and a former member at Mt. Olive Baptist Church and Jefferson Ave Baptist Church in East Point. Betty found joy in every opportunity to serve—whether greeting visitors, managing the church's clothes closet, cleaning the floors, visiting shut-ins, or lending a hand wherever needed. Nothing was too big or too small for her servant's heart. She is lovingly remembered by her children: Melissa (Clem) Patrick of Jonesboro, Ken McMillian of Atlanta, Martha McMillian of Hapeville, Steve (Robin) Mathews of Stockbridge, and Stewart (Tammie) Mathews of Orlando, Florida. She is also survived by her grandchildren: Leigh (Matt) Morgan of Tyrone, Brian (Faith) Mathews of Conyers, Meredith (Jake) Ratcliff of St. Cloud, Florida, Caitlin Boggs of Williamson, and Zachary Mathews of Orlando; six great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held at 4:00 PM on Wednesday, June 11, at Ford-

Stewart Funeral Home, 2047 Hwy 138 SE, Jonesboro, GA 30236, with Rev. Steve Murrell officiating. Visitation will precede the service, beginning at 1:00 PM.

Interment will be held at 10:00 AM on Thursday, June 12, at Westview Cemetery in Atlanta where Betty will be laid to rest.

# Cemetery Details

## Westview Cemetery

1680 Westview Drive SW  
Atlanta, GA 30310

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 11. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Ford Stewart Funeral Home Inc.  
2047 Highway 138 S.E.  
Jonesboro, GA 30236  
(770) 210-2700  
fordstewartfh@aol.com  
<https://www.fordstewartfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

JUN 11. 4:00 PM (ET)

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## Interment

JUN 12. 10:00 AM (ET)

Westview Cemetery  
1680 Westview Drive SW  
Atlanta, GA 30310

# Tribute Wall

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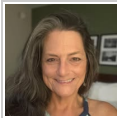
“ I am so sorry to read this. I been trying to reach Betty since the last time I spoke to her because she wanted to meet up. I never received a call back and then I couldn't leave a message. Something today told me to google her name and find out she passed. I knew something was wrong because she never called me back. Happy Heavenly Birthday Betty. You will truly be missed 😞.

Charline King - September 19, 2025 at 12:15 PM

MP

Hi. This is Melissa, Betty's oldest daughter. We tried to let everyone know. I don't recollect seeing your name. I'm so sorry you didn't know. Feel free to call me at 770 235 2536.

Melissa Patrick - September 19, 2025 at 08:37 PM



Oh Charline, I tried to find your number in Mother's phone book. I couldn't remember your last name but flipped through all the pages looking for Charline. Mind you this was the day after she passed and we were at her house with folks calling and coming by. I'm so sorry I didn't find it as I knew you'd have wanted to know. She really cared about you and would tell me when you did talk, I couldn't remember easily tell it made her happy. Again I'm so sorry I couldn't get in touch with you. Martha

Martha McMillian - September 19, 2025 at 09:24 PM

RF

“ Richard F. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.

Richard F. - June 11, 2025 at 12:51 PM

SW

“ MS. BETTY WAS THE MOST WONDERFUL EXPRESSION OF A CHRISTIAN WOMAN. SHE HELPED, LOVE, AND DID EVERYTHING TO MAKE LIFE BETTER FOR OTHERS. I WAS SO SAD TO HEAR WHEN SHE GOT SICK. I KNOW WITHOUT A DOUBT SHE IS SITTING WITH OUR HEAVENLY FATHER. LOVE AND KIND EXPRESSIONS TO HER FAMILY.

SUSAN WOODHAM - June 11, 2025 at 11:26 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.

June 11, 2025 at 09:56 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



June 11, 2025 at 09:56 AM

CS

“ Chad & Sabrina purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



Chad & Sabrina - June 10, 2025 at 10:07 PM

TQ

“ Tom and Melanie Quinn purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



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Tom and Melanie Quinn - June 10, 2025 at 07:07 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



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June 10, 2025 at 06:10 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.

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June 10, 2025 at 06:09 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



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June 10, 2025 at 06:09 PM

BQ

“ Bill, Joe, and Tim Quinn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.

Bill, Joe, and Tim Quinn - June 10, 2025 at 05:06 PM

BQ

“ Bill, Joe, and Tim Quinn purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



Bill, Joe, and Tim Quinn - June 10, 2025 at 05:06 PM

JQ

“ John and Rhonda Quinn purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



John and Rhonda Quinn - June 10, 2025 at 04:43 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



June 10, 2025 at 04:39 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



June 10, 2025 at 04:26 PM



“ Steve (Ken's Coworker) purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



Steve (Ken's Coworker) - June 10, 2025 at 03:40 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



June 10, 2025 at 03:33 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.

June 10, 2025 at 03:33 PM



“ We will greatly miss Betty in our church. She has always been a great friend to us all!

Byron, Helen, Mark & Greg Lawrimore - June 10, 2025 at 12:21 PM

TF

“ *The Carlisle Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.*



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**The Carlisle Family** - June 10, 2025 at 10:47 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.*



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June 10, 2025 at 09:40 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.*

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June 10, 2025 at 09:40 AM

WW

“ *Sweetest voice on earth ! love you Betty....*



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**william B williams** - June 10, 2025 at 09:14 AM

WB

“ William B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.

William B. - June 10, 2025 at 09:11 AM



“ We are very sorry for your loss. Heaven is a brighter place today, with Betty rejoicing with Jesus!  
Robin and Barry Odom  
and Martha's Ladies' Bible Study group @ Hapeville 1st Baptist

Robin Odom - June 10, 2025 at 08:54 AM

GS

“ Gwen Wilkerson Kaye Wilson Simpson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Wilson Mathews.

Gwen Wilkerson Kaye Wilson Simpson - June 10, 2025 at 08:26 AM

GS

“ Gwen Wilkerson Kaye Wilson Simpson purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



Gwen Wilkerson Kaye Wilson Simpson - June 10, 2025 at 08:26 AM

FG

“ From Patty Guenthner purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



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**From Patty Guenthner** - June 10, 2025 at 07:42 AM

SH

“ I enjoyed my lunch with you at Picadilly. I will greatly miss our conversations about bowling, traveling, and my mom. I know you and her are enjoying heaven together. I thank God for his mercy for you.



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**Sherry Holcombe** - June 09, 2025 at 08:55 PM

FS

“ Faith, Robert, Janet, and Sarah purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Betty Wilson Mathews.



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**Faith, Robert, Janet, and Sarah** - June 09, 2025 at 06:45 PM