



## Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman

May 25, 1936 - December 22, 2021

Mary Elizabeth Chapman, you have been in a battle with Alzheimer's disease, and we lost you today, December 22, 2021. It breaks our hearts to say goodbye.

Your life has been a beautiful picture of sacrificial love. Your legacy cannot be matched. You rose to every occasion. A dairy farmer's daughter in a small town. You went to North Georgia College, fell in love with a helicopter pilot and became a microbiologist. You built a strong marriage and raised up four children with your intentional ways and fierce love. You taught us by your actions and faith. We caught our work ethic and learned how to love people well as we watched. Your table was never too small and the notice never too short for one more.

Nothing will ever be the same here without you. We each have a million memories to hold close to our hearts and cherish forever. We will miss your smile, your blue eyes, your love, your laughter, and your hands. Those hands that loved so well and worked so tirelessly.

We will love you forever.

Psalm, 116:15 says, "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His faithful servants."

As Alzheimer's took over your mind, your love for Jesus never wavered.

Peace and joy are present knowing what is happening behind the veil.

You are now in the presence of Jesus.

This is us.

Husband- Bill Chapman, Sr.

Children- Barbara Waite, Beth Neely, Bill Chapman, Jr., Betsy Chapman, Belinda Brooks, and Joey Brooks

Grandchildren- Tyler Neely, Pricilla Lopes, David Waite, Jr., Kyle Neely, Lauren Neely, Elizabeth Stewart, Greg Stewart, Mary Beth Waite, Stephen Waite, Gretchen Heine, Amanda Brooks, Will Chapman, Michael Waite, Timothy Chapman, Joseph Brooks, Cole Chapman, and Nathan Chapman

Great Grandchildren- Honor Neely, Chapman Stewart, Rayleigh Grace Stewart, Ryder Stewart, Brooks Neely, Cadence Stewart, Isla Waite, Brody Neely, and Theo Neely

You will be missed.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 PM Sunday, December 26, 2021, at Greer First Baptist Church conducted by Dr. Doug Mize.

Burial will take place at a later date at the Georgia National Cemetery, Canton, GA.

Visitation will be held 2:00-2:45PM Sunday, December 26, 2021, at Greer First Baptist Church.

Pallbearers will be Tyler Neely, David Waite, Kyle Neely, Greg Stewart, Timothy Chapman, Joseph Brooks, Stephen Waite, Will Chapman, Michael Waite, Cole Chapman, and Nathan Chapman,

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave., Fl. 17, Chicago, IL 60601, Greer First Baptist Building Fund, 201 W Poinsett St, Greer, SC 29650, or Camp Highland, 1200 Camp Highland Road ElliJay, GA 30540.

Online condolences may be made to [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Georgia National Cemetery

2025 Mount Carmel Church Lane  
Canton, GA 30114

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **26**. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Greer First Baptist Church  
202 W. Poinsett Street  
Greer, SC

## Service

DEC **26**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Greer First Baptist Church  
202 W. Poinsett Street  
Greer, SC

# Tribute Wall

KG

“ I worked with Betty at the lab for many years. She was always so kind and sweet to everyone. I learned so much from her. She will be missed. My love and prayers are with her family and dear friends.

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**Karrie Gibson** - December 30, 2021 at 10:48 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.



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December 25, 2021 at 01:59 PM

JM

“ What Joy it was getting to know better over the past many years. Your loss Bill and family is our loss. But she was a wonderful beautiful lady who cherished her life with you and cherished her family. May the Lord bless you May the Lord continue to shine his light upon you and give you peace.

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**John Marshall** - December 24, 2021 at 06:05 PM

JP

“ Jim and Maggie Prewitt purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.



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**Jim and Maggie Prewitt** - December 24, 2021 at 03:52 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.*



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December 24, 2021 at 03:35 PM



“ *Kevin, Cindy, Holly, and Joy Creasman purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.*



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**Kevin, Cindy, Holly, and Joy Creasman** - December 24, 2021 at 11:10 AM



“ *From Tami and all of the Daniel Family purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.*



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**From Tami and all of the Daniel Family** - December 24, 2021 at 08:44 AM



“ *Bill and family,  
You are covered in prayer as you go through this season of loss.  
What an honor it has been to know your dear Betty.  
Mary Owens  
UNG Alumni Office*

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**mary owens** - December 23, 2021 at 09:36 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket* was purchased for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.



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December 23, 2021 at 08:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.



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December 23, 2021 at 08:00 PM



“ *Touching Tribute Spray* was purchased for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.



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December 23, 2021 at 06:33 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family of Mary "Betty" Elizabeth Chapman.



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December 23, 2021 at 04:34 PM