



Mary Catherine Love

December 14, 1931 - June 19, 2022

Mary Catherine "Cat" Orbison Love, 90, of China Grove, passed away on Sunday, June 19, 2022, at TerraBella Salisbury.

Catherine was born in Mt. Ulla on December 14, 1931, to the late Edward Eldridge Orbison, Sr. and Beulah Mae Parker Orbison. In addition to her parents, Catherine was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Hayley Elizabeth Books. siblings, Peggy Stuart, Frances Karriker, Becky Waller, Darrell Orbison, Cecil Orbison, Wayne Orbison; sister-in-law, Jo Reta Love Vansickle.

She is survived by her husband of 68 years, Bill Love; children, Cathy Books, Eddie Love; grandson, Jared Books (Roxanna); siblings, Phyllis Honeycutt, Patty Jean Orbison, Phillip Orbison (Patty Morrow), Edward "Junior" Orbison, Jr. (Frances); sisters-in-law, Donna Orbison, Carolyn Love Scott (G.E. "Scotty"); brothers-in-law, Ken Love (Gloria), Steve Love (Jane), and Jim Karriker; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Catherine loved gardening, birds, in particular hummingbirds and red birds, flowers, baking, sewing, and quilting with her mother when she was alive. Family always came first. She loved church hymns, helping in the nursery and cooking at church. She took pride in keeping an immaculate home. Mrs. Love was always willing to snap beans, shuck corn, shell peas, and crack nuts for

anyone needing help. When she and Bill lived at the lake and beach, their home was always open to company to enjoy. She was a wonderful hostess; no guest ever left hungry. She loved to spoil her grandson and made anyone feel welcome in her home. Catherine loved picking strawberries with her family. She had a servant heart, loved to play Rook and loved her grand dogs.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 AM on Thursday, June 23, 2022, at West Corinth Baptist Church in Mooresville. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the church. Burial will immediately follow the service at Glenwood Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 5171 Glenwood Avenue, Suite 101, Raleigh, NC 27612.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Love family. Condolences may be made to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Glenwood Memorial Park

273 Glenwood Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUN 23. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

West Corinth Baptist Church
120 Corinth Church Road
Mooresville, NC 28115

Tribute Wall



“ *Beverly Holt lit a candle in memory of Mary Catherine Love*



Beverly Holt - June 26, 2022 at 07:43 AM

JS

“ *Patty, sorry to hear of your sisters passing, Judy & Steve Young*

Judy sypung - June 23, 2022 at 11:47 AM

FR

“ *Eddie, i am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. I will keep you and your family in my prayers. Fairy Ragan*

Fairy Ragan - June 22, 2022 at 01:03 PM

LM

“ *Linder Industrial Machinery purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary Catherine Love.*



Linder Industrial Machinery - June 22, 2022 at 10:51 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary Catherine Love.*



June 22, 2022 at 09:21 AM



“ *Eddie... I am so sorry to hear about your Mom... Cherish those memories that no one can take away and know she is happily rejoicing in Heaven with no more sickness. Prayers for you and your family!*

Cheryl Lowe - June 22, 2022 at 06:45 AM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Mary Catherine Love.*



June 21, 2022 at 10:53 PM



“ *Cathy I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Please find peace knowing that she's no longer suffering and in a much better place. All my love, Christine Hadaway Stamper*

Christine Stamper - June 21, 2022 at 04:00 PM

DS

Cathy so sorry for the loss of your Mom, just know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family 🙏 Much love cuz ❤️ Debbie Schenk

Debbie Schenk - June 21, 2022 at 10:19 PM

SS

“ *Cathy-I am so sorry for your loss! You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers!*

*Blessings,
Shelia W. Stanley, CEOE*



Shelia Stanley - June 21, 2022 at 03:42 PM