



## Geraldine Elizabeth Martin

September 23, 1918 - August 18, 2015

Geraldine Elizabeth Mize Ashworth Martin, age 96, of 309 Montague St. Danville, VA died on Tuesday August 18, 2015 at her residence after declining in health for four years.

Mrs. Martin was born on September 23, 1918 in Pittsylvania County, VA, to the late J. B. Mize and Ellen Barts Mize.

Mrs. Martin lived most of her life in Danville, VA. She worked at Dan River Mills and retired from there in 1982 and was a dedicated member of Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church. Mrs. Martin was an avid golfer and loved sewing. She was a member of the Dan River Choral Group and the Dan River Retirees Club.

Survivors include her husband, William S. Martin, a daughter, Gloria A. Austin of Danville, VA, two grandchildren, Keith Walden(Elizabeth) and Connie W. Scott(Tommy) all of Danville, VA, great-grandchildren Joseph Scott, Cameron Scott, Clif Walden(Kim), Wilson Walden(Leigh), and Carpenter Walden, one great-great grandchild, Mallie Walden, brothers-in-law, Wayne Ashworth(Lib), and Dennis Gibson, sisters-in-law, Elva McLean and Jane Ashworth, and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was predeceased by her first husband, William C. Ashworth, a daughter, Pamela Elizabeth Ashworth, sisters, Mary Ann Gibson and Nan Eva DeHart, and brothers, Eugene, Walter and Albert Mize.

Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, August 22, 2015 at 1:00 PM at the Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel with Pastor Brian Edwards and Pastor

James Stevens officiating. Interment will follow the service at Highland Burial Park.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 to 1:00 PM at the funeral home.

The family suggests that in lieu of flowers that memorial donations be made to Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church at 229 Mt Olivet Ln, Danville, VA 24540 and the Danville Life Saving Crew at 202 Christopher Lane, Danville, VA 24541.

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is respectfully serving the Martin Family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **22**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Gloria and Family;*  
*The first memories I have of your mother is when she and Bro Willie brought Henry and Jeanette some string beans out of their garden and she and Bro Willie sat down at the Henry's kitchen table and strung them ,I thought that was a very loving act.That was before Penny and I married. Geraldine always was concerned about others. She would always call Penny when I had cancer and ask how I was doing. She truly cared about others,she was always there for family functions.Family was her number one priority. I know you will truly miss her but we all know she is with her Savior. I pray that the arms of Jesus hold you close in these coming days.*  
*We Love You and pray for you!*  
*IHS*  
*Penny ,Tom, Wade*

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**Tom Blair** - August 20, 2015 at 07:37 AM

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*Gloria, My thoughts and prayers are with you all and have been since the beginning. You have done a tremendous job of taking after your mother. She was well looked after. If you need me for any thing all you have to do is call me. I love you and I am here for you.*

*Nancy Hughes*

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**Nancy Hughes** - August 20, 2015 at 08:08 PM

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*Gloria, you're in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Linda Austin** - August 22, 2015 at 09:52 AM