



Norma Isabell Catron Grubb

November 4, 1936 - June 27, 2025

Norma Isabell Catron Grubb of Falls Church, Va., passed away peacefully, surrounded by family on June 27, 2025 after a brief illness. She was born in Wythe County, Va., on November 4, 1936 to the late Lawrence Early and Isabel Catron. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of more than 55 years, Charles Douglas Grubb; her sisters, Ruby Blankenship, and Betty Spraker, and brother Ronnie Catron. She is survived by her sisters Patsy Irvin, Fleta Irvin, and Vicki Lokos (Nathan), and brother Curtis "C.D." Catron (Deloria). as well as sisters-in-law Irene Jones and Rebecca Grubb, brother-in-law Donald Blankenship, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. She is survived by her son, Perry Grubb (Catherine), and her six grandchildren Dan, Hallie, Jessica, Ryan, Charles and Sarah.

The second of eight children, Norma attended Kegley School, along with most of her siblings, many cousins and her future husband, Charles Douglas Grubb. She excelled in school, graduating from George Wythe High School in 1953. She married Charles in December 1955 and they were the last couple to wed in the old Berea Church. Their son, Perry, was born in Wytheville in 1956 and they resided there before moving to Northern Virginia. Douglas was employed as an ironworker in Washington, D.C. Once settled in Falls Church in 1959, Norma continued to stay home to raise their son and to serve in the community in many capacities. Norma was active at Garfield Memorial Christian Church, McLean, where she served on the Board of Directors and

as chair for several years. She also worked at National Memorial Park in Falls Church, retiring along with Douglas in the late 1990s. Norma always enjoyed visits with her grandchildren, and talking with friends and family. She also enjoyed doing crossword puzzles and word finds, antiquing, and researching the family's genealogy. A memorial service will be held Saturday, July 12 at 1:00 p.m. at Berea Christian Church with Reverend Gary Houseman officiating.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Berea Christian Church Cemetery fund, 996 Berea Rd., Wytheville, Va. 24382.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 12. 1:00 PM (ET)

Berea Christian Church
996 Berea Rd
Wytheville, VA 24382

Tribute Wall

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“Mrs. Grubb was like a second mom to me in my childhood. I met her son Perry back in 1965 when my family moved across the street in Falls Church while my father served in the US Marines before fully retiring to this area. Perry and I grew up together and Mrs. Grubb had a great deal of care for all the boys growing up. Back then there weren't many automobiles. Mrs. Grubb took us swimming in the summer, visited her family where we'd fish in the pond with Rhonda, and met Terry Allen and his parents Ms. Ruby and Mr. Donnie Blankenship. Once Mr. and Mrs. Grubb took me to the farm where she grew up and their families came over and all us kids including cousins had a lot of fun all over the farm. Later on my mother spoke to Mrs. Grubb often both sharing information about the families. In recent times I called her on the phone and took notes from her sharp memory, visited her and amazed about her caring questions and sharing information about her family. I have many cherished memories fulfilled.
I'm feel certain Mrs. Grubb now “dwells in the house of the lord.”

William Barrett - July 14, 2025 at 04:50 PM



“Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Norma Isabell Catron Grubb.



July 04, 2025 at 03:43 PM

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“ I met Norma when I started attending Garfield Memorial Christian Church in the 70's. We became friends in church and out of church, and we remained friends over the years and up until her passing. My husband and I send our deepest sympathy to the Grubb family and pray that God and memories will comfort you during this time of grief.

Bob and Martha Duggar - July 03, 2025 at 09:14 AM