



## Betty Wheelus Hunter

March 2, 1942 - April 20, 2023

Betty Wheelus Hunter, age 81, passed away peacefully on Thursday, April 20, 2023, at Piedmont Newnan Hospital surrounded by her family. She was born in Primrose, GA on March 2, 1942, to the late Charlie and Maggie Morris Wheelus.

Betty will be remembered through out several communities for her love of cooking for family and friends, particularly for her cornbread dressing. Everybody was always welcome at her home and she always made sure everyone felt like family. Betty was blessed with a giving heart and with that she was always the first to help anyone in need. She had a love for flowers and always enjoyed time playing in her yard. Betty was a longtime member of White Oak ARP Church and for many years she sang in the choir and was a member of the Women's Lydia Missionary Circle. She was also a member of the Grantville Senior Center and enjoyed many activities and fun trips with the friends she made there. Betty's greatest joy in life was her family and to them she will be remembered for being the World's Best Mother, Nana, Aunt Betty and most importantly a friend. She will forever be loved and remembered by all that knew her.

The funeral service celebrating the life Betty lived is Sunday, April 23, 2023, at 4:00 PM at White Oak Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, 2796 Gordon Road, in Senoia with Rev. Winston Skinner and Rev. Jody Thrower

officiating. Betty will be laid to rest next to her beloved husband, James Leroy Hunter, following the service in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends Saturday evening from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson Street, in Newnan.

Along with her parents, Betty is preceded in death by the love of her life, James Leroy Hunter who she married in December of 1959. Betty is survived by her children, Fran Gosch and her husband David, Darlene Thrower; grandchildren, Hunter Gosch, Alex Gosch (Amanda), Tara Hefner (Carson Noles) and Tiffany Hefner. She is also survived by her great grandchildren, Waylinn Gosch, Wheeler Gosch, Christopher "C.J." Brown, Dawn Noles and her in laws, Beatrice Boswell (Randy), Louis Dohanich, Rachel Wheelus and Hanzel Foster.

Condolences may be expressed to the family online at [www.mckoon.com](http://www.mckoon.com).

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory 770-253-4580

# Cemetery Details

## White Oak Assoc. Reformed Presbyterian Cemetery

2796 Gordon Road  
Senoia, GA 30276

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **22**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home  
38 Jackson Street  
Newnan, GA 30263

## Funeral Service

APR **23**. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

White Oak Hall at White Oak ARP Church  
2796 Gordon Road  
Senoia, GA 30276

# Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Betty Wheelus Hunter*



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**McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory** - April 28, 2023 at 11:05 AM

LS

“ *To Darlene and Family, I would like to offer my Condolences to you all. I Pray God gives you all strength to endure.*



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**Lyshon Scott-Ferrell** - April 28, 2023 at 10:44 PM

ME

“ *My love and sympathy to all of the family. Betty was a lady with a beautiful personality and always a smile. She always made a point to speak and visit at any family gathering. May your good memories and God's presence help to sustain you in these days. Menlia Trammell*

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**Menlia** - April 27, 2023 at 08:07 AM

JC

“Joyce and I have fond memories of Betty at the Cauthen family reunion, always lively, friendly, and funny. We will miss her presence. Her family has our sympathy and condolences.”

Jim Cauthen - April 26, 2023 at 09:49 AM



“My Sympathies to you , Darlene and your family. I am very sorry to hear .My thoughts and prayers are with you”

Amy Peterson - April 24, 2023 at 01:45 PM

GG

“ Sending thoughts, hugs and prayers. Betty was such a thoughtful and kind lady.”

Gail Lee Gordon - April 22, 2023 at 09:31 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Betty Wheelus Hunter.”



April 22, 2023 at 06:03 AM

RB

“ I am blessed to have had the privilege of knowing Betty.  
She was a wonderful Christian woman.  
Prayers going up for your family.”



Rev. BettyJean Bowers - April 21, 2023 at 11:17 PM

JW

“ Betty was such a special person and Aunt to me. I always enjoyed talking to her, I would always end out conversation with, I feel like I have talked to my Mother. She will be missed and sorry I will not be there for the service. We will be out of town. I am sending love and prayers to all. Joyce Wood

Joyce Wood - April 21, 2023 at 09:58 PM

TC

“ Growing up I spent a lot of summers at the Hunters home. Mrs Betty was always the sweetest lady! You will be missed but always here in everyone's memories. Love you Darlene and prayers said for you and your family (Tina Ward Chamberlain)

Tina Ward Chamberlain - April 21, 2023 at 08:35 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Betty Wheelus Hunter.



April 21, 2023 at 06:05 PM