

Celebrating Her Life...

*A smile for all, a heart of gold
One of the finest this world could hold,
Never selfish, always kind
These are the memories she leaves behind...*

Ms. Ruby Jean Watts, was born in Iredell County on August 27, 1945, and was the daughter of the late Sam Gilbert Watts, and Lula Mae Watts. She departed this life on Tuesday, January 25, 2022, at Maple Leaf, of Statesville, N.C., following an extended illness. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by three brothers, James Lonnie Watts, Gilbert Allen Watts, and Glen Watts; four sisters, June Watts Ingram, Gladys Watts, Janice Watts McClain, and Bren Watts.



Ruby was a 1963 graduate of Unity High, and was a devoted member of Clark's Chapel Baptist Church. She was well known for cooking and making delicious pies and cakes. She was retired from Craftmaster. Ruby will truly be missed.

She leaves to cherish the memory of her life, four sisters, Mary Eunice Watts, Ella Mae Watts, Dorothy Watts Seymore, and Emily Watts Mayberry, all of Statesville; three aunts, Annie Morrison, Jo Carolyn Morrison, and Joan Morrison; three nieces, Carla Watts, Rosetta Watts, and Emma McClain (Anthony)Dye; four nephews, James (Vickie) Watts, Dale Watts, Isaac Mayberry, and Todd Mayberry, all of Statesville; a host of great nieces, great nephews, cousins, other relatives, the Clark's Chapel Baptist Church family, special friends, Shirley Gaddy Herriot, Idella Maxwell, Evelyn Gibbs, Helen Davis, and her Maple Leaf family of Statesville.

*As long as life and memory last,
We will remember you!*

A Service Celebration the Life of **Sister Ruby Jean Watts**

Sunday, January 30, 2022 at 2:00 p.m.
Clark's Chapel Baptist Church
Statesville, North Carolina
Rev. Dr. Dietrich M. Danner, Pastor
Officiating

The Visitation
1:30 p.m. until 2:00 p.m.

The Processional
The Moments of Sharing

The Order of Service
2:00 p.m.

The Invocation

The Selection

The Scripture Readings :

Old Testament

New Testament

The Prayer of Comfort

The Selection

The Remarks: *(Limit two minutes please)*

The Church Resolution Church Clerk

The Acknowledgments

The Commemorative Presentation The Funeral Director

The Selection

The Eulogy Rev. Dr. Dietrich M. Danner

The Recessional Selection

At The *Clark's Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery*

The Gathering of the Christian Community
The Ritual of Consignment
The Prayer of Benediction
The Final Departure

A Service of Celebration
For The Life Of
Ms. Ruby Jean Watts



Family
Where life begins
& love never ends



With Our Heartfelt Thanks

...that we through the patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope, (Romans 15) God has given us our church family, neighbors and dear friends, to help us as we go forward. **God's Word has been manifested through** your many expressions of sympathy and support; **we praise God from whom all blessings flow.** Thank you for honoring the memory of our beloved Ruby and for remembering us during her passing. In our risen Lord, **we have peace that passes all understanding.** *The Family*

Professional Services Entrusted To:

Rutledge & Bigham Mortuary, Inc.

603 South Center Street, Statesville, NC 28677 – (704) 873-3611
Visit Ruby's Online Tribute www.rutledgeandbigham.com

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August 27, 1945

A Gift Returned
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