



Ava Nell Cheatham

June 5, 1927 - July 15, 2020

Ava Nell Cheatham was born in Luling, Texas on June 5, 1927 and went to be with the Lord on July 15, 2020 at the age of 93. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband, David "Bud" Cheatham after celebrating 50 years of marriage. She was also preceded in death by her parents, Fay and Appie DeLong, brothers, Ferrell and Jack DeLong, sister, Marilyn Evans and her grandson Landon "Buddy" Cheatham. Survivors include her loving daughter and son, Sandi Harris and Scott Cheatham and her sister, Jan Cobb. Her surviving grandchildren include Lisette Clemons, David Weers and Cristal Nash. Her great-grandchildren include Darryl Anderson, Lacey Clemons, Ty Graham, Kody Weers, Aric and Daniel Nash, Victoria Smith and Elizabeth Newcomb. Her great-great grandson is Connor Anderson.

Ava graduated from Burbank High School in San Antonio where she lived her life and retired from San Antonio Independent School District where she served as Insurance and Retirement Clerk for many years. Ava never met a stranger and those strangers often became friends. She loved helping others.

Due to the limitations and rules at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery the family would like to honor Mrs. Ava by making a donation to the Alzheimer's Association 7400 Louis Pasteur Dr. Ste. 200 SAT 78229 alz.com

In accordance with CDC safety precautions, we ask to wear a mask and practice social distancing. There will be limited seating for services. You may go to the website for live streaming. For everyone's safety please honor the family from a distance. We kindly thank you in advance.

Visitation will begin on Tuesday, July 28 from 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, 1700 S. E. Military Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78214; 15 people are limited this day. Funeral service will be held on Wednesday, July 29, 2020 at 11:30 a.m. A private interment will be held at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUL **29**. 11:30 AM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories

1700 SE Military Dr

San Antonio, TX 78214

(210) 924-4242

<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Webcast in memory of Ava Nell Cheatham*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - July 29, 2020 at 11:32 AM

KW

“ *Memaw was a wonderful person always willing to help everyone. She taught me so many things through out our working together. We kept in touch with each other after she retired and she continued to teach me things.. I was great full to have her in my life. Love you Memaw.
Kay Whelchel*

Kay Whelchel - July 30, 2020 at 06:49 PM

CN

“ *Cristal Nash lit a candle in memory of Ava Nell Cheatham*



Cristal Nash - July 29, 2020 at 10:16 PM

RO

“ Robbie And John O'Bar lit a candle in memory of Ava Nell Cheatham



Robbie and John O'Bar - July 29, 2020 at 07:04 PM

CN

“ Memaw would call us her little "monsters" oh how it bugged me when she would, I thought for sure she meant we were turning into actual monsters, nope that's not what she meant at all, she of course meant "monsters" affectionately, I finally figured it out about the time I had my oldest daughter, she and Poppee had come up for Elizabeth's birth and had also come up the June before for my high school graduation, Those are memories that I had dear and remember, Love you Memaw, love your little Monster.

Cristal L Nash - July 29, 2020 at 11:09 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ava Nell Cheatham.



July 28, 2020 at 04:56 PM

LC

“ *My Grandmother was the Greatest in the world! I thank God for her and for the 93yrs he gave her here on earth for us to have her. One of the millions of good memories that sticks out is our last fishing trips to the coast. We loved fishing at the coast. We weren't there more than 30 mins when she tripped on the pier and broke her ankle so bad that when we got back to San Antonio she had to have surgery to put pins in the ankle to fix it. And she still would not come back home! She said " We came to fish and that's what we are going to do " I know she was in terrible pain! But didnt want to come back before we had planned. She always thought of herself last and put us grandkids first. She has a beautiful crown in heaven! She was so Selfless..and always wanting to make all of us happy! She was truly a gift from God. I am so thankful for her! I will miss you Mema and I love you so much. Thanks for the wonderful memories that you made with us! Love, Lisette, Allen,and TY*

Lisette Clemons - July 25, 2020 at 04:07 AM