



B. Louise Melcher

May 5, 1944 - January 5, 2026

Bluefield, VA- B. Louise Melcher, of Bluefield, VA, died Monday, January 5, 2026 at her home.

Born May 5, 1944 in Bluefield, VA, she was the daughter of the late Claude Holbrook and Mary Sue Paine Holbrook.

Mrs. Melcher grew up on a farm, was a graduate of Graham High School, and was a member of Memorial Baptist Church in Bluefield, VA. She had worked as a Secretary for Limestone Dust Corporation and Coal Fillers, both in Bluefield, VA. She loved fashion, clothes and shoes and had a tender heart for cats.

Survivors include her loving husband, Roy Edward "Eddie" Melcher of Bluefield, VA.

A funeral service will be held on Friday, January 9, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. from the Mercer Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Bill Lykin officiating. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Friday from 1:00 until the service hour. Burial will follow at Grandview Memory Gardens in Bluefield, VA where family members and friends will serve as pallbearers.

In lieu of flowers, the family would like to request that memorial contributions, if desired, be made in Mrs. Melcher's name to a charity that benefits animals. Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting www.MercerFuneralHome.com

Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of B. Louise Melcher.

Cemetery Details

Grandview Memory Gardens

Bluefield, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mercer Funeral Home Chapel
1231 West Cumberland Road
Bluefield, WV 24701

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

PM

“ Eddie I'm so sorry for your loss will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.

Pamela Murphy - January 14 at 12:43 PM

PC

“ Eddie, know that we have you in our thoughts and prayers.

Pat Cassidy - January 11 at 09:12 PM

TB

“ Eddie: I am so sorry for your loss. Respect and prayers, Tom Birdsong

Tom Birdsong - January 08 at 12:04 PM

CP

“ Eddie, so sorry for your loss and thinking of you and your family during this time.

Cathy Payne

Cathy Payne - January 08 at 07:58 AM

LS

“ Eddie, we are so sorry to hear about Louise. You both have been a Godsend to many animals, including dogs and cats, and have helped P.A.W.S. Rescue in so many ways. We send you our heartfelt sympathy for your loss, and we will be keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.

Scottie and Lori Salyer

Lori Salyer - January 07 at 04:06 PM

JM

“ Prayers from Wrights Valley Church

Judy Musick - January 07 at 04:04 PM

EL

“ Eddie, I am so sorry. Working with you two on your new home was such a pleasure. I saw such love and devotion between you and Lou. I wish you peace and love.
Ellen Lazenby

ellen lazenby - January 07 at 09:56 AM

JB

So sorry fir your lost
If you need anything please let us know
We loved you both

Joyce Burkett - January 07 at 05:34 PM

JW

“ We are so sorry for your loss.
Jim and Jackie Wilkinson

Jim Wilkinson - January 07 at 09:28 AM

AJ

“ Eddie~We are so sorry for the loss of your wife. Prayers for peace and comfort.

Alva Jones - January 06 at 09:25 PM

DB

“ So sorry to read about Lou's passing. I was privileged to know Lou from Leslie Ann's. She was always so kind and pleasant. I was sorry for the suffering she had since the accident! Prayers for Eddie and her family for peace!

Darlene Bowers - January 06 at 08:32 PM

LE

“ Louise and I were first cousins and grew up together making special memories on the farm, especially Grandmother Holbrook's homemade soup and fresh baked rolls. My sincere condolences to Eddie. RIP Lou 🙏

Linda Holbrook Epperly - January 06 at 07:11 PM

DM

“ Eddie, thinking of you and sending prayers and condolences

Deborah Mariotti - January 06 at 03:51 PM