



Elizabeth Gantt Crawford

February 24, 1945 - July 30, 2025

Elizabeth “Betty” Gantt Crawford, age 80, passed away peacefully at her home on July 30, 2025. Born on February 24, 1945, in St. Augustine, Florida, she was the beloved daughter of James and Virginia (Bowen) Gantt.

Betty was a devoted mother, sister, grandmother, and great-grandmother whose warmth and strength touched everyone who knew her. She is survived by her children, Traci Taylor, Vicki Marcey, and GW Crawford; her sister, Terri Gantt; her grandchildren, Ashley Thomas, Brittney Wells, Tyler Augustine, Lane Crawford, and Presli Crawford; and her great-grandchildren, Bentley, Emily, and Tucker. Known affectionately as “Mema,” Betty cherished her role and found immense joy in their lives.

A spirited adventurer, Betty loved riding motorcycles and exploring the open road with Ted Michaels, the love of her life. Her unwavering faith and deep connection to God were guiding lights throughout her life, offering comfort and strength to those around her.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents and her sister, Patricia Ballard. Her legacy of love, laughter, and resilience will live on in the hearts of all who were blessed to know her.

She will be deeply missed and forever remembered.

Cemetery Details

St Johns Crematory

385 State Road 207
Saint Augustine, FL 32084

Tribute Wall

MR

“ I am so saddened to see this news. Betty and I were neighbors and walked together. I moved back to Massachusetts to be nearer to my children and grandkids. I am so glad I went to see her July of 24. She was so happy that we could have a bit of time together to catch up. My heart goes out to all of your family. Marilyn Roberts

Marilyn C Roberts - February 07 at 08:42 PM

DH

“ To the family, while it has been many years since I have seen any of you, I have always had respect and love for your family. Betty was truly one of a kind lady. I loved being her neighbor while we were all in High Springs. My heart breaks for those who love her. She was one of the best of God's creations.

Donna Hood - August 16, 2025 at 10:12 PM

TT

Thank you for the kind words Donna, we appreciate it. Traci, Vicki and GW 🙏

Traci Taylor - August 20, 2025 at 06:49 AM

PL

“ To Betty's Family:
We are so saddened to read about her passing.
We enjoyed our many visits with Ted and Her.
We regret that we are unable to attend in person to express our sympathies.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you during these difficult times.
Sincerely, Paul and Loie Lodola.

Paul Lodola and Loie Lodola - August 15, 2025 at 03:26 PM

TT

Thank you Paul and Loie. We appreciate the prayers, Traci, Vicki and GW 🙏

Traci Taylor - August 20, 2025 at 06:52 AM

MR

To Betty's family. I am so sad to find this info today. I used to live down the street from Betty and ted. She and I used to walk around the park. We were good friends. I moved back to Massachusetts to be nearby my kids and grands but I always missed Betty. She used to call me when she heard of bad or cold weather up here. She couldn't imagine how I could stand winter. I made a trip to Fl in July of 2024 and made a point of seeing her. It was such a wonderful visit. This past Christmas I sent a card and didn't hear anything back so I googled her name. Her passing was a huge loss. I know she loved st Augustine and her kids and grands. I hope she is at peace. Sincerely, Marilyn Roberts.

Marilyn C Roberts - February 03 at 02:12 PM

MA

“ I was so sorry and shocked to learn of Betty's passing.. We became good friends while getting together with four other ladies to play rummy cube ,a fun game and fun times. Betty had a good sense of humor,was smart as well a joy to be around. She will be dearly missed! My sincere thoughts and prayers are with the family.. Sincerely, Melinda Ausley

Melinda Ausley - August 14, 2025 at 07:13 AM

TT

Thank you Melinda. Mom talked about the rummy cube games and the fun she had with you ladies. Thank you for the kind words, we appreciate it. Traci, Vicki and GW 🙏

Traci Taylor - August 20, 2025 at 06:54 AM