



## Sheila Rae Blanchard

June 23, 1938 - December 14, 2024

Sheila Rae Blanchard was a wonderful, kind, loving and compassionate Wife, Mother and Grandmother. She was always full of life and every soul she touched, you always felt her love. Sheila was born in White Sulfur Springs, West Virginia in 1938.

Sheila and her family moved to Florida in the 50's where her brothers: Michael and Rodger were born. Sheila attend Miami High School and was a Junior Deb. This was a prestigious organization in high-school. She went on to college at Florida State University where she met her Husband, Charles at a frat party. They dated for several years and were married in 1963. Sheila was a member of Beta Sigma Phi where she was Woman of the Year and a 50 year life member. She was also a member of the Florida Elks Club #948, where she was President of the Elketts. Her love for Arts and Crafts brought joy to many who knew her.

Sheila is survived by her sons: Robert and Patrick, as well as 2 grandchildren: Jonathan and Gabriella.

She is preceded in death by her parents Ray and Edith Blanchard.

Sheila has now completed her journey to heaven as we lay her body to rest. Sheila and Charles are together again to start a new journey together. We'll miss her Dearly and her love for life. So in closing we say good bye to our Mother and dear friend.

# Cemetery Details

## Florida National Cemetery

6502 SW 102nd Avenue  
Bushnell, FL 33513

# Previous Events

## Viewing

DEC **20**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Roberts of Ocala Downtown Chapel  
606 SW 2nd Ave  
Ocala, FL 34471  
(352) 780-1267  
<https://www.robertsfunerals.com/>

## Funeral Service

DEC **20**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Graveside Service

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DEC **20**. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Sheila Rae Blanchard.*



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December 18, 2024 at 07:05 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Sheila Rae Blanchard.

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“ *Carol W. purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Sheila Rae Blanchard.*



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**Carol W.** - December 18, 2024 at 04:32 PM