



## Louisa Edwina Atchison

September 10, 1965 - June 15, 2021

Louisa Atchison passed away on June 15, 2021, at 55 years old, after a long battle with numerous undiagnosed health issues. She was the wife of John Atchison, daughter of Edwin and Shirley Baptist, and sister of Louanna Knight.

Born on September 10, 1965 in Calcutta India, she and her family later immigrated to London, England before finally settling in the Washington DC Metropolitan Area.

During high school, Louisa met her husband to be, and they were married soon after graduating. Louisa's husband enlisted in the United States Air Force, so as a newlywed couple, they lived in Mississippi and Azores Portugal, before landing in Southern Florida.

Louisa attend Florida International University where she studied to be an accountant, while working part time as a church secretary. She enjoyed the South Florida lifestyle for seven years, until Hurricane Andrew destroyed their home. After surviving the devastating hurricane, Louisa and John decided to move back to the Washington DC area so that they could be closer to both their families.

Louisa completed her Accounting Degree at George Mason University, and entered the workplace as a Corporate Tax Accountant. Over her years of

employment, she rose to the executive level before chronic migraine headaches forced her to leave the workplace. This did not stop her success. Louisa found that she could work from home successfully. She established 3 successful startup business which allowed her to use her artistic skills.

After many long-term undiagnosed illnesses, Louisa was forced to close her businesses to focus on her health. During the waning years of her life, she rekindled her love for art by beginning water color painting.

Louisa's life can be summarized as a faithful, loving, caring, thoughtful, selfless, confident, positive and strong woman who loved her family and the Lord Jesus Christ with all her heart.

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JUN 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel  
5755 Castlewellan Drive  
Alexandria, VA 22315  
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## Funeral Service

JUN 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Louisa Edwina Atchison*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



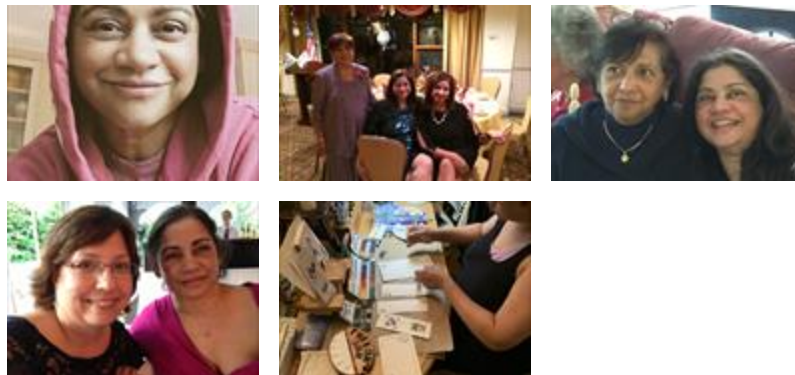
“ *I love you my dear Sister and miss you so very much. Please give me your courage and strength in this difficult time. You will always hold a special place in my heart.*



**Louanna** - June 22, 2021 at 11:05 PM



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**John** - June 22, 2021 at 05:50 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.*



June 22, 2021 at 08:22 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.*



June 21, 2021 at 01:02 AM



“ *Dearest Cousin Louisa, although we only met once I remember your trip to India vividly. You were this delicate, pretty, gentle young girl and I was so happy being around you! I always thought we would meet again someday. Now I'll have those memories to cherish forever. Rest In Peace dear cousin. Praying for John and the rest of the family. Shefali, Mark, Thomas and Ashton*

**Shefali** - June 21, 2021 at 12:52 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.*



June 20, 2021 at 04:22 PM

CG

“ Dear Louisa we will miss you terribly. You were a wonderful person and niece and we are all saddened by your passing. We remember you very dearly - your smile , your anecdotes and your love . We will always remember your caring especially when Nayan had to leave for New York at the time of 9/11.  
We love u Louisa and May you Rest In Peace .  
Love A Etta and U Cheeta

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**Chittaranjan Gauba** - June 20, 2021 at 04:20 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



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June 20, 2021 at 01:57 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



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June 20, 2021 at 11:37 AM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



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June 19, 2021 at 07:56 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



June 18, 2021 at 08:48 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



June 18, 2021 at 03:47 PM



“ We will miss you. Prayers for John and your family.



**Ann Benson** - June 18, 2021 at 02:07 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



June 18, 2021 at 12:47 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.*



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June 18, 2021 at 10:44 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.*



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June 18, 2021 at 10:11 AM



“ *I will miss you Louisa. You were a gentle, gracious and artistic person and I will cherish the happy memories I have of our trip to India many many years ago. You were the talk of the town and many mothers were eyeing you for their eligible sons until I told them that you were already married! Rest In Peace, dear one, I love you.*

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**Elfreda Baptist** - June 17, 2021 at 10:48 PM



“ *Louisa was a very kind and gracious lady. My condolences to her family, you will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Dave Jones** - June 17, 2021 at 10:17 PM

VT

“ To the Atchison Family, Please accept my sincere condolences. Louisa was a wonderful person and I feel honored to have known her. My thoughts and prayers are with you. May God bless.

Vaughn Turner - June 17, 2021 at 08:53 PM

RS

I first met Louisa when she and John started dating back in high school. I will always cherish my memories with her - rushing out at lunch to visit her with John, trips to Outer Banks, their life together from the Air Force, Florida and back home to DC and all the wonderful times we spent with her, John and their families. My life is so much richer for having known her and seen her kindness, love and generosity. Love you. Miss you. Safe at home in heaven at last...

Ron Shively - June 18, 2021 at 09:50 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



June 17, 2021 at 08:48 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Louisa Edwina Atchison.



June 17, 2021 at 08:38 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of  
*Louisa Edwina Atchison.*



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June 17, 2021 at 08:22 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage* was purchased for the family  
of *Louisa Edwina Atchison.*



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