



## Mrs. Ada Gertrude Bass

January 10, 1929 - January 25, 2019

Condolences are being expressed to the family of Mrs. Ada Gertrude Bass, age 90, who passed away on Friday, January 25, 2019 at Hock Family Pavilion, 4023 N Roxboro Street, Durham, N.C. 27704.

Ada was preceded in death by her late husband William M. Bass.

She leaves to cherish her memories three children, Loretha Barnes of Durham, N.C., Marvin W. Bass (Vernell) of Mebane, N.C., and Don Bass (Vivian) of Lakewood, N.J.; seven grandchildren; fifteen great-grandchildren; three great-great grandchildren; three sisters, Lillie Mae Bass, Thelma Thornton (Tom), and Zelma Thornton (James) all of Oxford, N.C.; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will take place on Thursday, January 31, 2019 at Union Baptist Church, 904 N Roxboro Street, Durham, N.C. 27707 at 11:00 a.m., with a family visitation one hour prior to the service.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **31**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Baptist Church  
904 N. Roxboro Street  
Durham, NC 27701  
(919) 688-1304  
info@myubc.org  
<http://www.myubc.org/>

## Celebration of Life

JAN **31**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Ada Gertrude Bass*

October 05, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Donnie Bass' Daughters, Donnetta, Ida, Derika & BB purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Ada Gertrude Bass.*



**Donnie Bass' Daughters, Donnetta, Ida, Derika & BB -**  
January 31, 2019 at 11:52 AM



“ *Lanette Green-Betts & Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Ada Gertrude Bass.*



**Lanette Green-Betts & Family -** January 30, 2019 at 07:57 PM

HB

“ Our scriptures tell us that childhood, old age and death are incidents only, to this perishable body of ours and that man's spirit is eternal and immortal. That being so, why should we fear death? And where there is no fear of death there can be no sorrow over it, either.  
*Mohandas Karamchand (Mahatma) Gandhi*

*Herbie Bass-Joiner - Daughter of Elvin and Beatrice Hawley Bass and Granddaughter of Curnel Devese and Rosa Anna Hayes Hawley*

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**Herbie Bass-Joiner** - January 30, 2019 at 12:29 PM

DB

“ With loving memories we mourn her passing. Beanah, Derika, Dana and Ida "Nika" . Donnie Bass & Subinna's girls.

*Proverbs 31:26-28*

*She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness. She looketh well to the ways of her household. And eateth not the bread of idleness. Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her.*

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**Derika Bass-Fallings** - January 30, 2019 at 11:02 AM

MR

“ From the Family of the Late Archie and Clarine Hawley we sent our deepest sympathy to the Bass Family, Ada was a wonderful Friend to our Mom , May God Bless You All

*Rosa Hawley Mozeak  
Deloris Cozart Grayson*

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**Mrs.D.Grayson** - January 29, 2019 at 12:50 PM

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“ I know Ada as being the nice, soft spoken, fun loving, thoughtful Lady in the room and she always liked to hear a funny joke and you could always feel the sincerity when she asked “How are you doing?” And she look at you and wait for your answer. Ada may you dwell in the house of the Lord forever, Amen. Brother-in-law, Donnie Bass

Donnie Bass - January 28, 2019 at 03:01 PM



Sincere condolences to the family of Ms. Ada. She kept us laughing with her sassiness when mom was her roommate in Hillsborough. She always asked for a glass of wine when asked what she wanted to drink at dinner. Never got it. (giggle) So glad my family had a chance to meet her. Daughters of the late Mattie Thomas

Joyce Scarborough - January 29, 2019 at 11:06 PM

DB

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Derika Bass-Fallings - January 30, 2019 at 11:01 AM