



## Mrs. Alease Lea Venable

November 23, 1930 - August 24, 2019

Condolences are being expressed to the family of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable, age 88, who passed away on Saturday, August 24, 2019, at her home.

Alease Venable, daughter of the late Weldon and Aurelia Lea, was born on November 23, 1930, in Caswell County, North Carolina.

Mrs. Venable was preceded in death by two daughters, Jacqueline Lea and Wanda Lea; two grandchildren, Alicia Lea and Leon Lea.

She leaves to cherish her memory her husband Joe Venable; one daughter, Patricia Lea of Yanceyville, NC; four sons, William Lea of North Wilkesboro, NC; Thomas Lea (Jacqueline Lea), George Lea and Jack Lea all of Durham, NC; a lifelong best friend, Mrs. Hallie Willis of Hampton, VA; a very special niece, Jennifer Richmond and special great niece, Veda Richmond, both of Durham, NC; 18 grandchildren; 23 great grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

A musical celebration honoring the life of Alease will be held on Saturday, August 31, 2019, at True Way Holy Church, 403 Baptist Road, Durham, North Carolina at 5:00 p.m.

A celebration of Alease's life will continue at True Way Holy Church, 403

Baptist Road, Durham, North Carolina 27704 on Sunday, September 1st;  
Family Visitation at 2:30 p.m. and Life Celebration Service at 3:00 p.m.

Mrs. Alease Lea Venable will be laid to rest in Glennview Memorial Park.

# Cemetery Details

## Glennview Memorial Park

NC Hwy 55  
Durham, NC 27713  
(919) 596-8102

# Previous Events

## Wake

AUG 31. 5:00 PM (ET)

True Way Holy Church  
403 Baptist Road  
Durham, NC 27704

## Visitation

SEP 1. 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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## Celebration of Life

SEP 1. 3:00 PM (ET)

True Way Holy Church  
403 Baptist Road  
Durham, NC 27704

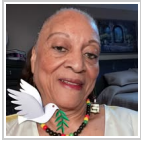


# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*

October 05, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *It was a great pleasure of knowing Mrs. Alease Venable, that smile and hug we will always remember and she will be missed by so many hearts she touched down through the years. Mr. Joe and the family she was loved by many. May God who is able continue to Bless each of you. (William and Bernice Sanders)*

**Bernice Sanders** - October 02, 2019 at 03:02 PM



“ *Condolences to Mr. Joe and Family.*

*Cassandra Madden ( WSRC)*

**Cassandra Madden** - September 15, 2019 at 08:56 AM



“ *Tj " Tom" Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



**Tj " Tom" Jones** - August 30, 2019 at 08:15 PM

LP

“ *Liston Pearson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



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**Liston Pearson** - August 30, 2019 at 08:13 PM

JR

“ *My aunt wasn't only that she was also a mother to me .I will truly miss her but I am so glad I got a chance to tell her I love her .she was always there for me and making sure I had what I needed.thanks for all you did and I will love you forever.Jen*

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**Jennifer richmond** - August 30, 2019 at 07:44 PM

DB

“ *"Our Aunt"*  
*Our aunt was a woman who had smiles to brighten your days,  
Who always made you feel good with her warm words of PRAISE.  
And what's more she knew,  
What to do to make wishes come true.*



*Our aunt was someone who always had good stories to tell,  
But just as importantly she knew how to be a good listener as well.  
She was patient and kind,  
and the very best friend you could ever hope to find.*

*And we are so proud to tell the world that Aunt Alease was our aunt.*

*Sharing your sadness,  
Darlene, Calvin & Bruce*

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**Darlene Bigelow** - August 30, 2019 at 04:33 PM

AB

“ *Condolence To The Family And Praying Strength And Comfort Amanda Blake And Family*



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**Amanda Blake** - August 30, 2019 at 01:47 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable.*



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August 30, 2019 at 01:49 AM

TJ

“ *Tonya Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



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**Tonya Jones** - August 29, 2019 at 10:09 PM

PJ

“ I am honored and privileged to have spent twenty plus years of my life knowing and doing God’s work alongside Sister Alease Venable. One thing I think is that everyone who knew Sister Alease, knew how generous and caring a person she was. There wasn’t one time at the close of a visit or conversation that she wouldn’t always, without fail say, "God bless you and if there is anything that I can do for you, please feel free to let me know. Love you!" And you know in your heart that she meant it! We traveled throughout the State of North Carolina, and even into Virginia doing the Lord’s work together. All of the work she has done with The New Jerusalem Community Church, will never be forgotten. We loved her and considers her to this very day to be one of our own, as I am sure many other churches we visited.  
Pastor Bennie Griffin, Jr.  
New Jerusalem Community (FWB) Church  
Durham, NC



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Pastor Bennie Griffin, Jr. - August 29, 2019 at 08:01 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable.



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August 29, 2019 at 02:38 PM

NC

“ In memory of all the appreciation services Mrs. Venable share with us every second Sunday in November at New Jerusalem Holiness church in Wendell, NC with Bishop Bennie Griffin and The Mighty Bells.

*For all the many program she shared at the different churches around the cities and states we say thank-you. For all the rainbow tea services you invited us to, thank you for sharing the love and joy just to make someone else day complete with a smile. We love you and you will be truly missed .*

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**New Jerusalem Holiness Church** - August 29, 2019 at 10:52 AM

TD

*Sis. Alease and the Mighty Royalties! Traveling, singing, building and spreading the Gospel in song. Evang. Beatrice Halsey loved being a part of the group. God Bless Deacon Joe, Patricia and the rest of the family. May God grant you peace and comfort for this journey.*

*Love,  
Thomas and Beatrice Byrd*

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**The Byrd's / True Way, Durham** - August 30, 2019 at 01:55 AM

PS

“ *Pastor Everett A. Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



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**Pastor Everett A. Sanders** - August 29, 2019 at 10:40 AM

NC

“ *New Jerusalem Holiness Church lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



**New Jerusalem Holiness Church** - August 29, 2019 at 10:40 AM

LL

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



**Latricia Lea** - August 29, 2019 at 10:08 AM

RA

*Me Joe & Patricia we are so sorry for your lost. We will miss Mrs Alease and that beautiful smile. Our prayers are with the family.*

**Richard & Priscilla Abbott** - August 29, 2019 at 02:21 PM

LL

“ *Latricia Lea lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



**Latricia Lea** - August 29, 2019 at 10:06 AM

LL

*My sweet loving grandmother I still can't believe it RIP 😭😭😭*

**Latricia Lea** - August 29, 2019 at 10:07 AM

JJ

“ *My Deepest Sympathy to The Venable Family. Keeping You All In My Thoughts and Prayers 🙏  
Mother Jessie Jones & Family*



**jessie jones** - August 28, 2019 at 08:30 PM

BG

“ *Patricia you are in our prayers your mom was truly one of a kind and will truly be missed  
RIP Mrs. Venable*



**Bonita and Forrest Graves** - August 28, 2019 at 05:56 PM

IB

“ *I. Burch lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



**I. Burch** - August 28, 2019 at 05:19 PM

IB

*To the family of Mother Alease Venable - May God continue to comfort and strengthen you. Praying continuously for you.*

**I. Burch** - August 28, 2019 at 05:22 PM

JR

“ *I love me some Mother Venable Rest in heaven my friend my deepest love and heart break go out to the family Julia Rivers*

**Julia Rivers** - August 28, 2019 at 02:50 PM

CC

“ *Sending my love and condolences to the Venable family!  
Love Tony and Carolyn Clay*

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**Carolyn Clay** - August 28, 2019 at 11:02 AM

JA

“ *Prayers for the family. We love you!  
Thelma Lea, Aron & Janet Daniel*



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**Janet** - August 27, 2019 at 05:12 PM

CB

“ *Carolyn B. Brodie lit a candle in memory of  
Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



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**Carolyn B. Brodie** - August 27, 2019 at 10:17 AM

SN

“ *Remembering Mrs. Venable from Burroughs  
Welcome. She was so kind. Pat, I know I owe  
your Mom lots of quarters. Fond memories*



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**Sandra Battle, Durham, NC** - August 27, 2019 at 09:33 AM

RA

“ *Richard & Priscilla Abbott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alease Lea Venable*



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**Richard & Priscilla Abbott** - August 26, 2019 at 06:59 PM

RA

*Mr Joe & Patricia and family we are so sorry for your lost. Mrs Alease was a sweet and beautiful person. She always had a smile on her face. She will be missed.*

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**Richard & Priscilla Abbott** - August 26, 2019 at 07:03 PM

PR

*Well done thy good and faithful servant! Your service to mankind was unlimited and always with a smile. Your reward is stored up in Heaven for you. Peaceful rest to you and prayers to your loving family. Patricia ,you gave her many bouquets of love..God will continue to bless you.*

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**Paul and Alice Robinson** - August 28, 2019 at 10:00 PM