



Mrs. Alberta AKA "Bert" Thompson

February 16, 1927 - September 28, 2021

In Loving Memory Of Alberta "Bert" Lorraine Harris was born in Athens, GA to John and Lena Harris on February 16, 1927. At an early age, she accepted Christ and shared her love for Christ with others.

Alberta was a graduate of the Athens High and Industrial School in Athens. Like many, she enjoyed attending football games with her family. She enjoyed crossword puzzles, reading, homemaking and especially gathering with family. She most enjoyed playing board games with her children. After high school, Alberta received her beautician's license and became a hairdresser. Later she attended Wayne County Community College graduating in 1979 with an Associate of Arts Degree in Secretarial Science. She was also employed with Wayne County Community College as a Tape Librarian until her retirement in 1981.

Alberta was joined in holy matrimony to James Thompson for 33 years. To this union, four children were born: Charles Thompson (Natalie) of Phoenix, AZ, Janice Hanley (Stuart) (both deceased) of Lansing, MI, Kathy Ann Thompson of Novi, MI, and Karen Marie Boynton (Donald) of Van Buren Twp, MI.

Alberta Thompson departed this life to be home with the Lord on September 28, 2021. She was preceded in death by her ex-husband, James Thompson and siblings, Robert Harris (Athens, GA), Hugh Harris (Athens, GA), Jerome Harris (Athens, GA), Agnes Harris (Athens, GA), John Harris Jr. (Oakland, CA), Mamie Morton (Knoxville, TN), Ethel Harris (New York, NY), Isabelle Pierce (Detroit, MI), Rosa Adams (Washington, DC), William "Will" Harris

(New York, NY).

She leaves to cherish her memory: her children, Charles, Kathy and Karen; her grandchildren, Justin (Alana), Kevin, Stuart (Trey), Elizabeth (Liz); her great-grandchild, Adrian; her half siblings, Eva McCollum (Charlotte, SC) and Hattie McKinney (Charlotte, SC), and a host of nieces, nephews, family, and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Alberta AKA "Bert" Thompson*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Sending my prayers and condolences to the family. I didn't have an opportunity to meet Mrs. Alberta Thompson, but I had the pleasure of meeting her daughter Kathy and call her friend. Through this friendship I got a wonderful glimpse of Mrs. Alberta. I say this because I believe Mothers impart some of who they are into their children. Mrs. Alberta Thompson left a legacy in the earth through each of them that will continue for many years to come.*



Brenda Tolar - October 10, 2021 at 11:28 PM



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Brenda Tolar - October 10, 2021 at 08:58 PM

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“ *Sharing your sadness as you prepare to say goodbye to your love one. May God comfort you through his Word the Bible and the gift of prayer. Truly sorry for your loss.*

Evans family - October 08, 2021 at 05:35 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Mrs. Alberta AKA "Bert" Thompson.*



October 05, 2021 at 09:47 PM

LM

“ To the Family of Ms Alberta “Bert” Thompson

Aunt Bert was a very special auntie in my life. She and I had our annual telephone conversation once or twice every year. We would definitely talk by phone in the month of February, which happens to be the month of both of our birthdays, only separated by 3 days, I believe that was the reason that she and I had a special connection down through the years. Auntie Bert was special to me in that she always made sure that God was acknowledged for being the source of our faith and strength and without Him, we would not be where we are. There was no doubt in my mind that she was a God fearing person who loved the Lord with all of her heart, mind, soul and spirit. I really enjoyed listening to her when she talked about how the Lord has brought her through the many downsides that she experienced as well as giving God the glory in all circumstances, good or bad. I am so appreciative to have known my aunt in this way and at the same time, I am blessed that God used Auntie to share her wisdom with me which has enriched my faith in such a profound way.

May you now Rest In Peace Aunt Bert, for “you have fought a good fight and have finished the race”. Please accept our sincere condolences to her children, immediate and extended family members, her church family, friends and loved ones, We are praying for God to give you His perfect peace and comfort as you go through your bereavement.

Love, The Morton Family (Laura (Ann), her son, Jonathan and brother, Michael, we are your cousins from KnoxvilleTN,);

TO: Kathy, Karen & Charles, since I do not think we have met,, I want to include the fact that our mothers were sisters from the Harris Family; my mother (Mamie) passed away in March 2006 at the age of 91.

Just know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Laura Ann Morton - October 05, 2021 at 11:36 AM

JP

To Kathy and the other family members of Mrs. Alberta Thompson's family, you have my deepest condolences during this time of bereavement.

Jeanie M. Pope - October 06, 2021 at 07:34 PM

AH

Sending our Prayers from Niece Ardella Harris New York, nephew Hugh Harris. Of Springfield Il and great Nephew William Harris Wilkes Barr Pa

Ardella Harris - October 11, 2021 at 11:43 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Alberta AKA "Bert" Thompson.*



October 05, 2021 at 12:15 AM

AH

“ *To my cousins: Karen, Charles and Kathy My Prayers are with you during the loss of your Mother, and our Auntie 🙏❤️ love Ardella Harris and family from New York I*

Ardella Harris - October 04, 2021 at 05:17 PM

PL

“ *Patricia Lemons lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Alberta AKA "Bert" Thompson*



Patricia Lemons - October 04, 2021 at 09:18 AM