



Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter

December 12, 1949 - March 27, 2026

Ruby Jewel Lassiter was born on December 12, 1949 to Cleveland and Hattie Bell Davis in Scott County, Mississippi, and entered eternal rest on March 27, 2026. At the time of her passing, she resided in Harper Woods, Michigan, though she was a longtime and beloved resident of Pelahatchie, Mississippi.

Ruby was a devoted member of Homestead Missionary Baptist Church, where her faith and fellowship were an important part of her life.

She was united in holy matrimony to Lavon Lassiter on January 14, 1984, and together they shared many cherished years before his passing.

A dedicated professional, Ruby worked for ACLU/UNITE SE as a Regional Union Representative, advocating tirelessly for others and earning respect for her strength, integrity, and commitment as she traveled the State of Mississippi.

Ruby is lovingly remembered and survived by her children: LaTonya Black Brown (Christopher), Derrell Lassiter (Alicia), and Dillian Lassiter; and her grandchildren: Tyler Lassiter, Kennedy Brown, Kristian Brown, Shanyla Lassiter, Josiah Lassiter, Noah Lassiter, and Hezekiah Bender; cousins who were raised as siblings Violetta Perry and Edward Davis. She was known for her resilience, compassion, and unwavering love for her family.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Cleveland and Hattie Bell Davis; her beloved spouse, Lavon Lassiter; her daughter, Shelia Lassiter; and her siblings, Billy Joe Davis, Cleveland Davis Jr., Freddie Ray Davis, and Thelma Davis.

Ruby Jewel Lassiter leaves behind a legacy of love, strength, and devotion that will live on in the hearts of all who knew her.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Gift M. B. Church Cemetery

865 Bilbro Road
Morton, MS 39117

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 10. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Dean Memorial Funeral Home
745 Highway 468
Brandon, MS 39042
(601) 825-3884
<https://deanmemorialfuneralhome.com/>

Family Hour

APR 10. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

"Lovie" Dean Memorial Chapel
745 Hwy 468
Brandon, MS 39042

Homegoing Service

APR 11. 12:00 PM (CT)

Scott County District Building
2557 Hwy 80 West
Morton, MS 39117

Tribute Wall



“ *Dean Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter*



Dean Memorial Funeral Home - April 10 at 10:40 AM



“ *To the family of Ruby Jewel Lassiter, our condolences and prayers. We will cherish the wonderful memories shared with the Davis, Johnson and Smith Family.*

From Carl and Dottie Smith

Carl Smith - April 11 at 02:37 PM

KM

“ *Condolences to the family..May God comfort and keep you during your time of sorrow and forever more.*



Kathey Mosley - April 10 at 04:37 AM

NW

“ *Neshell Weakley lit a candle in memory of Ruby Lassiter*



Neshell Weakley - April 08 at 10:16 PM

CG

“ *Sending love, thoughts, and prayers to you and your family during this tough time.*



Catina Fletcher Girtmon - April 08 at 08:44 PM

VE

“ *Vergiejackson lit a candle in memory of Ruby Lassiter*



Vergiejackson - April 08 at 02:52 PM

MC

“ *Martha Collier lit a candle in memory of Ruby Lassiter*



Martha Collier - April 08 at 02:11 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.

April 08 at 12:35 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.



April 08 at 12:35 PM



“ From Jason and Mandy Suminski purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.



From Jason and Mandy Suminski - April 08 at 08:59 AM



“ From Jason and Mandy Suminski planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.

From Jason and Mandy Suminski - April 08 at 08:59 AM

DR

“ *Doretha & Aresia Rhodes lit a candle in memory of Ruby Lassiter*



Doretha & Aresia Rhodes - April 08 at 07:56 AM

PW

“ *I shall always remember Ruby Jewel, her beautiful laugh and us playing softball back in the day as community pass time. We were really good. We had fun. Ruby Jewel, Thelma , me and other women from the community . She were also a great leader representing the employees of Standwood, Inc.. My prayer: Lord give comfort and strength to the family that only you can give. In Jesus' name. Amen. Tonya, I love you all. From:Patsy J. Watson.*

Patsy J. Watson - April 08 at 02:11 AM

AL

“ *Praying for the family*



Aron Lewis - April 07 at 10:38 PM

IP

“ *With sincere condolences*



Ivon Prewitt - April 07 at 06:21 PM

OB

“ *Ocie Beeman lit a candle in memory of Ruby Lassiter*



Ocie Beeman - April 07 at 02:00 PM

FB

“ *Frank &Pat Brooks purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.*



Frank &Pat Brooks - April 07 at 11:53 AM

RI

“ *Regina Allison and Edward Leonard III purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.*



Regina Allison and Edward Leonard III - April 06 at 07:58 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.*



April 06 at 04:30 PM



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“ Myra Ransom lit a candle in memory of Ruby Lassiter



Myra Ransom - April 04 at 08:32 PM



“ Eddie Ainsworth lit a candle in memory of Ruby Lassiter



Eddie Ainsworth - April 03 at 11:12 AM



“ Love you and will forever miss you Aunt Jewel. ~ Laren "Kookie" (Jay) Richardson



Laren Richardson - April 02 at 10:15 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ruby Jewel Lassiter.*



April 02 at 10:12 PM



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