



Ms. Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander

November 11, 1933 - April 23, 2026

A TIME TO BE BORN: Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander started her journey on November 11, 1933 in Bolton, Mississippi being born to Morgan and C Bell (Lemons) Thomas who both preceded her in death.

A TIME TO LOVE: Ruth was raised in the St. Thomas area. She gave her life to Christ at St Thomas Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Reverend W. West. She attended until her doctor placed her on restricted movement. Over the years, Ruth has shown support for Oak Grove Missionary Baptist Church in Pearl, MS.

Ruth's educational years began at St. Thomas Rosenwald School in St. Thomas Community. She completed High School and Junior College at Southern Christian Institution (SCI) in Edwards, Mississippi in 1951. She attended Jackson State University from 1951 to 1953 for Cosmetology. In 1954 she started working at Mississippi State Hospital as a Direct Care Worker and was able to retire after 32 years of service. Ruth enjoyed life. She loved attending the Mississippi Delta Blues Festival with her siblings and dancing the mastic potato. She enjoyed fishing, sewing, curling hair and finding the best deals at garage sales or thrift stores.

A TIME TO UNITE: She had eight children and was united in holy matrimony to Benjamin Alexander Sr.

A TIME TO DIE: On Thursday, April 23, 2026, God saw her getting tired and He opened His arms to allow her to rest and join her parent: Morgan and C. Bell Thomas; brothers: Sterling, Robert, and Ponce de Leon Thomas sisters: Meredith Donald, Eunice Buckley, Emma Carter, Earnestine Mason, and Willie Pearl Burnley. Two sons: Franklin and Lenoard Wynn Alexander. One daughter: Joyce Ann Wilson. One grandson: Frederick Darrell Thomas and one great grandson: Karter Patrick.

A TIME TO MOURN: She leaves to cherish her legacy, Linda Faye (Frederick Smith); Benjamin r. Freddie ean); Wanda Marie; Regina Shynette; and Cathy Ruth. wo sisters, Catherine Harvey and Annie Mae Carmack. Four brothers, J.H.; Jimmie; Alex Doris; and George Thomas. Two Sisters-in-Law: Roberta and Flora Thomas. Her legacy will continue with 19 grandchildren, 58 great grandchildren and 22 great-great- grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. She cherished a /0-year trendship with her high school roommate Alva Nell Otis Singleton.

Ruth's Legacy

Generation One (Parents): Morgan & C. Bell Thomas

Generation Two: Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander

Generation Three (Children): Linda, Benjamin Jr, Wanda, Joyce, Frank, Regina, Wayne, Cathy

Generation Four (Grandchildren): Felicia, Ricky, Federick, Monique, Maranda, Kizzie, Amy, Terri, Sherry, Arinell, James, Antonio, Marcus, Michael, John, Stacy, Harrison, Steven, Derrick, Jaboris

Generation Five (Great-Grandchildren): Mercedes, Daniel, Barbara, Rain Jarvis, Anila, Armani, Miracle, Lukyrie, Makyalh, Amelia, Olivia, John, Larose, haman, Japatrick, Jonathan, Jenova, Ja'Curry, Kyontae, Alexis, Ariel, Kayleigh, Kandace, Ava, Ace, Antonio Jr, Rikiyah, Amerion, Willie, Essence, Marquail, Tevin, Laiha, Leah, Lila, Quincy, Aubrany, Cameron, Trae, Leatra, Lauren, Gabriel, Ben, KDestiny, Steve Jr, Kamyra, Camden, Jaylin, Tekiya, Jaylon, Ashton, Derrick, Raven, Derrick Ji, Serenity, Melody, Nova

Generation Six (Great-Great Grandchildren: Xaylan, Aarden, klei, Harlei, Addlei, Trinity, Madison, Zaharra, Yahjae, RJ, Kaizley, TreMir, Amy rah, Kaizen, Karsyn, Reid, Aden, Jordyn, Journee. Ava, Avalynn

Cemetery Details

St Thomas M.B. Church Cemetery

4699 ST Thomas Road
Bolton, MS 39041

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Homegoing Service

MAY 3. 2:00 PM (CT)

St. Thomas M.B. Church
4699 ST Thomas Road
Bolton, MS 39041

Tribute Wall



“ Dean Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander



Dean Memorial Funeral Home - May 01 at 05:00 PM

LA

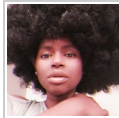
I miss you soooo much already. I love you Great Granny, get you some rest. You've rambled through all of your belongings long enough. 😂 I love you sweet lady. 💕 I love you I love you.

Lauren Alexander - May 01 at 09:28 PM

FT

I'm truly going to miss you, My, Precious Beloved Grandma May Allah (God) be pleased with you. I Love you ❤️ Big Mommy Your granddaughter Felicia Thomas

Felicia Thomas - May 01 at 10:42 PM



My C. Bell, my daily routine is still out of sorts. I love you to pieces. I'm so glad we finished our book last year. Love you Amy

A'smile Alexander - May 08 at 08:25 PM

JS

“ *Jean Swayzer lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Jean Swayzer - May 05 at 09:27 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:30 PM

NJ

“ *Nina Johnson lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Nina Johnson - May 02 at 10:19 PM

LT

Thank you

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:29 PM

AC

“ *Addie Carter sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Addie Carter - May 02 at 08:42 PM

MH

“ We were saddened to learn of Ruth Alice passing , sending our deepest condolences to Aunt Catherine and the family! Mary Clark Parks and family from Detroit, Michigan and Chicago, Illinois

Mary Parks niece to Catherine Harvey - May 02 at 06:54 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:31 PM

LT

Thank you

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:32 PM

JB

“ Jonathan Boone lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander



Jonathan Boone - May 02 at 05:47 PM

LT

Thank You 💕

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:34 PM

LT

Thank you

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:35 PM

JK

“ *Jubory Knight lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Jubory Knight - May 02 at 07:55 AM

LT

Thank you

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:36 PM

LT

Thank you

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:37 PM

LT

Thank you

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:38 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ms. Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander.

May 01 at 04:27 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Ms. Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander.*



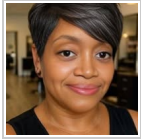
May 01 at 04:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ms. Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander.*



May 01 at 06:54 AM



“ *Condolences for your loss
From LaVerne Jones and Family of the late
Mary Love Alexander*

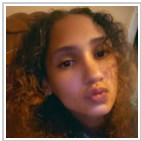


LaVerne Jones - May 01 at 06:46 AM



Thank you

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:40 PM



“ *I love you so much big ma*



Ashley Darby - April 30 at 10:48 PM



Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:40 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:40 PM

WJ

“ Rest in peace sweet lady ❤️



Whitney Johnson - April 30 at 10:41 PM

LT

Thank You Whitney

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:41 PM

LS

“ Love Siblings purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Ms. Ruth Alice Thomas Alexander.



Love Siblings - April 30 at 02:44 PM

BE

“ RIH Aunt Alice



Bernice - April 29 at 07:31 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:43 PM

LM

“ I'm going to miss you my Sweet Great Aunt so glad I got a chance to talk to you 😞 Give my granny a hug..I know it's a family reunion up there...



Lateshia Mitchell - April 29 at 12:31 PM

LT

Thank You 💕💕

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:46 PM

LM

“ Lateshia Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander



Lateshia Mitchell - April 29 at 12:27 PM

LA

“ My sweet Great Aunt I'm going to miss you so glad I got a chance to talk to you....Your now reunited with other love ones...Give my granny a hug for me 😞 Love Teshia from Meridian....



Lateshia Mitchell Cash Ap - April 29 at 12:26 PM



“ My precious C. Bell, I love you!!!!



A'smile Alexander - April 28 at 09:56 PM

MB

“ Our deepest condolences to your Family, The Boones



Myra Boone - April 28 at 03:51 AM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:53 PM

AB

“ Alexis Bilbro lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander



Alexis Bilbro - April 27 at 06:14 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:53 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:54 PM

NC

“ Noble and Gazelle L. Carson. May God bless and comfort you.



Noble Carson - April 27 at 12:27 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:55 PM

JG

“ I love you Auntie I'm going to miss you rest in peace



Jameka Mitchell Aunt Marie granddaughter - April 26 at 11:02 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:56 PM

MW

“ Mildred Wi3 lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander



Mildred Wi3 - April 26 at 08:15 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:57 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 04:58 PM

EA

“ Eddie Ainsworth lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander



Eddie Ainsworth - April 25 at 09:16 PM

LW

“ Linda Washington lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander



Linda Washington - April 25 at 07:43 PM

KH

“ MS Alice, R.I.P. ❤️

Kristi Holmes - April 25 at 03:57 PM

CA

“ Cathy Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Alexander



Cathy Alexander - April 24 at 09:57 PM

CA

“ *Cathy Alexander lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Cathy Alexander - April 24 at 09:56 PM

EY

“ *Evelyn Young lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Evelyn Young - April 24 at 08:46 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 05:01 PM

CA

“ *Cathy Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Cathy Alexander - April 24 at 07:34 PM

LW

Isaiah and Linda Washington lit a candle in memory of Alice Alexander

Linda Washington - April 25 at 07:40 PM

LT

Thank You

Linda Thomas - May 12 at 05:04 PM

CA

“ *Cathy Alexander lit a candle in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Cathy Alexander - April 24 at 07:32 PM

CA

“ *Cathy Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Alexander*



Cathy Alexander - April 24 at 07:29 PM