



Mrs. Emma Dean Allen

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Mrs. Emma Dean Baxter Allen, age 83, of Newport, passed away Monday, March 27, 2023 at her home surrounded by her family after a very courageous battle with lung cancer.

She loved her church family at Big Pigeon Primitive Baptist Church where she attended as long as her health permitted. Then her church came to her home thanks to her pastor, Elder Maurice Shults and his wife, Debbie.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Carmack and Lela Denton Baxter, sister, Mary Dawson, brothers, Ralph, John R., Ervin, E.C., Lee Baxter, and William Hart Baxter, father and mother-in-law, Frank and Lillie Clevenger Allen and several brothers and sisters-in-law.

She is survived by her husband and best friend, Hollis L. Allen, sisters, Betty Allen, Pat Martin, Brenda Shults, and Carolyn Barwick, sister-in-law, Anna Kate James, special nieces, Frances Southerland and Barbara (Robbie) Cureton as well as numerous other nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Dean will always be lovingly remembered as a very humble, loving, and giving person with a heart of gold who was always there to help others.

The family would like to say "Thank You" to her friend and caregiver, Patricia Cody, her pastor, Maurice Shults and wife, Debbie, her extensive medical team, Dr. Sarah Knuettel, Dr. Saji Eapen and staff of TN Cancer Specialist, Dr. Allen Meek and staff at Thompson Proton Therapy and all the staff and caregivers at Smoky Mountain Home Health and Hospice.

Graveside services will be held Thursday, March 30, 2023 at 1:00 PM in Union Cemetery with Elder Maurice Shults, Elder Keith Agnew, and Elder Reese Maggard officiating. Family and friends will meet at Union Cemetery at 12:45 prior to service. Family and friends may sign the guest register online at www.cmbfuneralhome.com



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In lieu of flowers, donation can be made to Big Pigeon Primitive Baptist Church c/o of Elder Maurice Shults or to the American Cancer Society.

Funeral arrangements entrusted to Costner-Maloy & Brown



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Family and Friends

 **Thursday**, March 30, 2023

 12:45 PM ET

 **Union Cemetery**

Newport TN 367821

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Tribute Wall

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RP

Robert Phillips posted:

I'm sorry for your loss I worked with Dean at the barbecue place beside Best Western for 5 years and I loved working with her she was awesome..

October 30 at 4:50 PM

SS

Sue Saltzman posted:

Prayers for the family I loved her like a sister she was the sweetest woman I always told her I wanted to grow up an be like her

April 4 at 8:25 AM

KM

Kenneth Maloy lit a candle in honor of Emma.



Kenneth Maloy lit a candle in memory of Emma Allen

April 3 at 3:01 AM

JB

Jan Brooks posted:

Our prayers are with the family! Beatrice Brooks & family

March 31 at 12:56 PM

RL

Rochell Lewis posted:

Love and prayersDonna Hudson

March 30 at 4:07 PM

PP

Pauline Proffitt posted:

May His love and His presence bring you peace and comfort!

March 30 at 2:24 PM



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Bobbyandgail Clevenger lit a candle in honor of Emma.

BobbyandGail Clevenger lit a candle in memory of Emma Allen



March 30 at 10:49 AM



Ila Ruth Edmonds posted:

Deepest sympathy for the family. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

March 30 at 8:30 AM



Dale & Nancy Raines posted:

We were so sorry to hear of Dean's passing. Prayers for the family today and the difficult days to follow. Dale and Nancy

March 30 at 6:42 AM



Victoria McGill posted:

All of our thoughts and prayers are with Dean's family at this time and always ❤️Dean will be missed and remembered. With Love, Chris Kelly McGill and Family

March 30 at 6:11 AM



Freda Byrd posted:

Our thought & Prayers are with you all, Dean was a very Special Lady, So sorry for your Loss! We Love you all! Jenny Byrd & Family!

March 30 at 3:38 AM



Dwight And Glenda Presnell posted:

Deepest sympathy for the family. May the Lord keep you in his loving arms. Love Dwight and Glenda Presnell

March 29 at 5:30 PM



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BS

Bernice Strickler posted:

My deepest sympathies to the Allen family and friends of Dean ; she will be greatly missed.

March 29 at 5:27 PM

CM

Cindy (Ottinger) Mcgaha sent a virtual gift in honor of Emma.

Dean was such a wonderful person. I pray for peace and comfort for her family and friends.



March 29 at 4:58 PM

RA

Randall And Marcia Arrowood posted:

We were so sorry to hear of Dean's passing. Our deepest sympathy and prayers for all the Family.Randall and Marcia Arrowood

March 29 at 3:54 PM

JB

Janice Bryant posted:

Lloyd, Mary Edith and Janice so sorry for your loss and ours as well, words cant begin to express will be loved and missed.

March 29 at 1:26 PM

JR

June Holt Russell lit a candle in honor of Emma.

June Russell lit a candle in memory of Emma Allen



March 29 at 11:36 AM

AO

Audrey Owenby lit a candle in honor of Emma.

Hollis I am so sorry for your loss, I will keep you in my thoughts & prayers.



March 29 at 11:24 AM



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LG

Lisa Giles posted:

I am so very very sorry to hear about Dean. She was such a nice lady and will be missed.

March 29 at 8:07 AM

AS

Arzella Mantooth Shelton posted:

So sorry to hear about Dean's passing.....Dean was always so sweet and kind to me, treating me just like family. She will be missed...prayers for her family

March 29 at 6:42 AM

RO

Richard & Linda Owens posted:

Dean was good friend and co-worker she will be greatly missed .Our thoughts and prayers are with the family .Richard & Linda Owens

March 29 at 6:12 AM

PG

Patricia Gunter lit a candle in honor of Emma.

Pat and family, so sorry for the loss of Dean. She was such a sweet woman. Prayers for the family



March 29 at 4:53 AM

LB

Linda Baxter lit a candle in honor of Emma.

She was a good friend to our family. We all loved her. May God be with you all.



March 29 at 4:04 AM

PS

Pat Stephenson sent a virtual gift in honor of Emma.

I'm so sorry to hear of Deans passing. She was a precious lady. Brenda McMillan



March 28 at 3:09 PM



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GK

Gary & Dot Kyker lit a candle in honor of Emma.

To all the family, Dot and I were so very sorry to hear of Dean's passing. Dean has been our friend and neighbor for 50 years. I will miss seeing her pick up her mail, (her mailbox is next to ours). Dean always had a smile and kind word every time we met. Our community well be much sadder due to her passing. God Bless the family.



March 28 at 11:58 AM

DB

Debbie (Dee Dee) Allen Benito posted:

Aunt Dean was always so kind and nice to me and my brothers and sisters. She had an amazing smile and seemed so happy to see us. She did have a heart of gold and I will forever remember her as incredibly sweet and wonderful person.

March 28 at 11:37 AM

JR

Janie Rankins lit a candle in honor of Emma.

So sorry ,thoughts & prayers for the family ! I will miss all the talks we had, u helped me through Gearldine's passing,I will always be greatful for the encouragement, wisdom,an faith you shared.We love u & will miss u dearly.Love Wayne & Janie Rankins



March 28 at 11:15 AM

RH

Robert Harper lit a candle in honor of Emma.

Robert Harper lit a candle in memory of Emma Allen



March 28 at 10:59 AM

LH

Linda,Emma,And Robert Harper lit a candle in honor of Emma.

Linda,Emma, and Harper lit a candle in memory of Emma Allen



March 28 at 10:58 AM



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TG

Tim & Debbie Gass lit a candle in honor of Emma.

Sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Tim & Debbie Gass

March 28 at 10:57 AM



AG

Amy Grooms posted:

It was a true blessing to know Ms. Dean . Prayers for you all.

March 28 at 10:56 AM

LH

Linda,Emma,And Robert Harper lit a candle in honor of Emma.

Linda,Emma, and Harper lit a candle in memory of Emma Allen

March 28 at 10:56 AM



GD

Gw And Marlene Denton lit a candle in honor of Emma.

Gw Marlene Denton lit a candle in memory of Emma Allen

March 28 at 10:51 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Emma by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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