



Bertha A Berry

March 16, 1942 - October 16, 2025

Bertha A. Berry, 83, of Chattanooga, passed away Thursday, October 16, 2025, in a local hospital. She was born March 16, 1942, in Bessemer, Alabama to Jimmy and Mattie Smith. She was employed by East Ridge Hospital for 30 plus years and was a very dedicated and faithful worker.

Mrs. Berry was a longtime and faithful member of Olivet Baptist Church. The most important things in her life were the love of her husband, Clarence Berry; her children; and grandchildren. Mrs. Berry loved to travel and work in her yard.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Jimmy and Mattie Smith; her husband, Clarence Berry; her four sisters; one brother; and her beloved daughter, Kimberly Anderson.

She is survived by her children, Alfonso Smith of Rialto, CA, Evelyn (Harold) Williams of Knoxville, TN, Shirley (Cedric) Robbins of Winder, GA, Jimmy Anderson Jr. of Los Angeles, CA, and Cassius (Debra) Anderson of Chattanooga, TN; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and several devoted friends.

Mrs. Bertha Berry touched the lives of many, and she will be greatly missed. She will lie-in-state on Monday, October 27, 2025, from 12:30-1:00 p.m. at

Taylor Funeral Home. A Graveside Service will follow at 1:30 p.m. in Chattanooga National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Chattanooga National Cemetery

1200 Bailey Avenue
Chattanooga, TN 37404

Previous Events

Lie-In-State

OCT **27**. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Taylor Funeral Home
3417 Wilcox Boulevard
Chattanooga, TN 37411-1076

Graveside

OCT **27**. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Chattanooga National Cemetery
1200 Bailey Avenue
Chattanooga, TN 37404

Tribute Wall

PF

“ Sending Heartfelt Condolences to the family of Bertha Berry. May God Comfort each one of you. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Priscilla “Pat” Ford - November 01, 2025 at 05:55 PM

YS

“ Your niece Sherrylene purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Bertha A Berry.



Your niece Sherrylene - October 26, 2025 at 02:44 PM

YS

“ Your niece Sherrylene planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bertha A Berry.

Your niece Sherrylene - October 26, 2025 at 02:44 PM



“ Sandra Madry lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry



Sandra Madry - October 25, 2025 at 03:40 PM

CC

“ *Cassandra Cooper lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Cassandra Cooper - October 25, 2025 at 09:14 AM

BW

“ *Barbara White lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Barbara White - October 23, 2025 at 03:03 PM

RD

“ *Robert D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bertha A Berry.*

Robert D. - October 23, 2025 at 01:32 PM

AH

“ *Angela Holmes lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Angela Holmes - October 23, 2025 at 12:12 PM

KW

“ Karen Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry



Karen Wilkerson - October 22, 2025 at 10:35 PM

LP

“ lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Bertha.



Leisa Passmore - October 22, 2025 at 08:07 PM

MP

“ Mercie Powell lit a candle in memory of Bert will miss her

mercie powell - October 22, 2025 at 09:13 AM

EH

“ D



Ethel Boston Hardwick - October 22, 2025 at 06:54 AM

AW

“ Allene Ward lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry



Allene Ward - October 21, 2025 at 06:24 PM

DF

“ Diane Ellison Family lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry



Diane Ellison Family - October 21, 2025 at 05:55 PM

SM

“ Mrs. Berry was a very kind person and nurse. She will always remembered.



Sherry Morton - October 21, 2025 at 04:01 PM

KP

“ So Sorry for Your loss Praying 🙏 for the family..❤️



kim pugh - October 20, 2025 at 09:29 PM

BS

“ *Brenda Sims lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Brenda Sims - October 19, 2025 at 08:49 PM

MB

“ *Marilyn Brown lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Marilyn Brown - October 18, 2025 at 11:36 PM

BS

“ *Barbara Smith lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Barbara Smith - October 18, 2025 at 10:45 PM

SS

“ *Sonya Stiggers lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Sonya Stiggers - October 18, 2025 at 03:14 PM

GD

“ *Gloria J Daniels lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Gloria J Daniels - October 18, 2025 at 12:40 PM

CC

“ *Cardella F Cummings lit a candle in memory of Bertha A Berry*



Cardella F Cummings - October 18, 2025 at 10:54 AM

VD

“ *On behalf of the Olivet Baptist Church Bereavement Ministry, we extend our love, and prayers, to the family of Sister Bertha Berry. Sister Berry was a very friendly, and lovely lady, who brought joy and laughter to those who knew her, and her smile lit up a room. Rest in Heavenly Peace.* 🙏



Viola Douthit - October 17, 2025 at 02:30 PM

BM

My condolences and prayers 🙏 to the family of Bertha Berry God bless you all ❤️

Betty Morgan - October 17, 2025 at 08:49 PM

KS

LOVE and Prayers to the family of Bertha Berry.Blessings to you all

Katie Smith - October 19, 2025 at 12:27 PM

WS

So sorry for your loss praying for the family take your rest 🙏❤️

wilhelmena Scott - October 19, 2025 at 11:23 PM

WB

Prayers and condolences to the family of Bertha Berry during these these difficult days 🙏

Wilma Brown - October 20, 2025 at 04:35 PM

JS

Auntie Bertha Berry you will be Truly missed, I will cherish the fun times we shared ❤️ You where an Awesome Lady, Thank you for always being there for my Mother, and I

Janice Smith - October 22, 2025 at 01:30 AM

CB

My prayers and heart goes out to the family Cassius, Jimmy Lee and the rest. I remember her from Olivet and as a child as our families grew up together. She was a very nice lady. May God bless and see you through.

San Drake Brown

Cassandra Brown - October 22, 2025 at 03:37 PM

SW

I would like to reach out to the Berry and Anderson family with Condolences from the Ware family with the passing of their Dear Mother. May the Loving Memories help to lessen times of sorrow as you search for peace during your daily thoughts of her. I will keep the family in my prayers.

Sylvester Ware - October 27, 2025 at 01:39 PM