



Thelma Virginia Aldridge

September 16, 1918 - February 23, 2012

Our beloved, Thelma Virginia Aldridge, was the daughter of the late Otis C. Hatchett and Victoria G. Hatchett. She was born in Lunenburg County, Virginia on September 16, 1918. She departed this life peacefully at Memorial Regional Medical Center in Mechanicsville, Virginia. She was preceded in death by her beloved son, Everette Loperl; sister, Mildred Price and brother, James Hatchett Sr.

Thelma was baptized into the fellowship of Bethany Baptist Church at an early age. She attended Lunenburg County Schools. Later, she moved to New York City where she lived for 68 years. Her steadfast love for the Lord remained while living in New York, and led her to join Union Baptist Church, where she attended faithfully.

She loved cooking for family and friends, attending church, visiting the family home in Virginia during the summer where she would make homemade ice cream and enjoyed watching her favorite television game shows.

On July 2, 1977, Thelma married the late George Mitchell Aldridge. Retired as a domestic worker, Thelma relocated to Richmond in March of 2008. Here she attended Village Presbyterian Senior Center four days a week. Thelma loved all the activities: singing, playing Bingo, exercising, and going on many trips. Often, they took trips to the park. Her favorite trip was going to Wal-Mart to

purchase her sweet honey buns and Pepsi.

Thelma will be dearly missed. Left to cherish her memory four loving grandchildren, Donal Loperl (Cynthia), Beverly Hazelwood (Chuckie), Lynda Loperl and Norris Loperl (Martha); three caring great-grandchildren, Katrina Loperl, Schulyer Cameron and Devin Loperl; two nieces, Shirley Mullings and Loretha Sherman; step-daughter, Patricia Polack; a host of extended family members, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Bethany Baptist Church Cemetery

5968 Plank Road
Kendbridge, VA

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 28. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Service

FEB 29. 10:00 AM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Virginia Aldridge*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about the death of your loved one. The bible says at Revelation 21:4 “And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away”. God gives us this promise.*

Magenta Howard - March 02, 2012 at 10:44 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be "a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous."—ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!*

Ms Springer - February 29, 2012 at 08:46 AM



“ *Keita & Billy Brown lit a candle in memory of Thelma Virginia Aldridge*



Keita & Billy Brown - February 28, 2012 at 04:23 PM



“ *Martha Loperl sent a virtual gift in memory of
Thelma Virginia Aldridge*



Martha Loperl - February 27, 2012 at 04:23 PM



*We Love You Grandma and I will miss you dearly and you will always
have a special place in my heart, but I know God Loves You Best.*

*Love Always
Martha Loperl*

Martha Loperl - February 27, 2012 at 04:30 PM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and
heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go
out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and
understand that you have received many expressions of love and
we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you
cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and
comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - February 27, 2012 at 02:00 PM