



Ms. Frances Thomas

December 17, 1953 - August 2, 2018

Frances Lee Thomas was born in Warwick County, VA on December 17, 1953 to Elisha Lee, Sr. and Helena Lee.

She was educated in Newport News Public Schools and obtained her GED in Job Corps where she studied nursing. She had a lifelong passion for helping others. She was a very hard worker who prided herself on being a “jack of all trades.” She worked as a CNA, dry cleaner, cashier, waitress, and housekeeper. She worked for many years at the Newport News Baptist Retirement Home before retiring in 1999 due to disability.

She enjoyed crossword puzzles, game shows, and music. She was a passionate believer in the power of education and imparted the importance of education and knowing your history to her children, grandchildren, and others who were willing to listen. She was a former member of Zion Baptist and United Bibleway Temple. She later joined New Bethel Cathedral. She gave her life to the Lord and knew that he had prepared a place for her. Her faith remained strong through her life’s trials.

She was preceded in death by her parents Elisha Lee, Sr. and Helena Lee, and brothers Theodore Wells, Elisha Lee Jr., and Emanuel Lee.

She leaves her memories behind to be forever cherished by her two

daughters, Alishea Thomas of Baltimore and LaToya Thomas of Hampton; three grandchildren, Anthony Dunn Jr., Serenity Thomas, and Joshua Thomas; siblings Margaret Ellis, Marjorie Faulk (Edward), Joann Merritt, Samuel Lee (Ethel) all of Hampton, and Daniel Lee (Marsha) of Ft Meyers, Florida, sister-in-law Betty Lee; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and close friends whom she loved dearly.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **10**. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

M.E. Fisher Funeral Home
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Newport News, VA 23607
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Funeral Service

AUG **11**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

New Bethal Cathedral Cogic
457 Fox Hill Rd
Hampton, VA 23669

Tribute Wall



“ *M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Frances Thomas*



M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - August 07, 2018 at 03:24 PM

VW

Very beautiful

Vida Williams - August 09, 2018 at 09:08 PM

TM

So sorry for lost! May God bless you and your family! Rest in heaven. Love Janterria (Tee, Jan't)

Tee Matthews - August 09, 2018 at 10:21 PM

GC

Beautiful Priceless moments

Gloria Claud - August 11, 2018 at 12:10 PM

SE

Hey Grandma watching over me it's serenity

serenity - October 28, 2018 at 05:22 PM

LT

I love and miss you so much mommy may you continue to RIP 🙏🙏

LaToya Thomas - April 05, 2019 at 01:47 AM

CH

“ Sorry for the loss of your dear love one. May you find comfort in God’s promise to swallow up death forever and wipe the tears from all faces. Isaiah 25:8 May God’s word the Bible also bring you hope during this time. Romans 15:4

CH - August 26, 2018 at 08:31 PM



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M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - August 09, 2018 at 11:07 AM

PW

“ prayers are with the family.



pat watlington - August 09, 2018 at 03:59 AM

CB

“ *Connie Bush lit a candle in memory of Ms. Frances Thomas*



Connie Bush - August 08, 2018 at 03:30 PM



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M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - August 07, 2018 at 02:19 PM