



Myrtle Bowers

July 28, 1920 - July 8, 2013

On Monday, July 8, 2013, God called home His Angel, Myrtle Lee Bowers, a beloved daughter, wife, mother, sister and grandmother. She was born in Georgia but moved to Brooklyn, New York at the age of six months. She attended school later meeting and marrying her first love, Floyd Bowers. Myrtle accepted Christ at an early age. She has been a member of Macedonia Baptist Church over forty-eight years. She served on the Pastor's 'Aid Committee, Choir, Welcoming Committee and Women's Ministry. Myrtle was a member of the Eastern Star, Silver Strands of Chesapeake, and 'Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary where she worked to assist wounded veterans and their families. She is preceded in death by her parents, Troy and Sara Strickland; her sister, Willie Mae Pope and her beloved husband, Floyd Bowers, Sr. Myrtle leaves to cherish her memory, two daughters, Sara Williamson and Etter Bowers; five sons, Floyd, Leonard, Perry, Keith and Kevin Bowers; eight grandchildren, Anjanette, Robert, Samorra, Donna, Leonard, Jr. Jason, Rachel and Lorraine; two great grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Albert G Horton Jr. Veterans Memorial Cemetery

5310 Milner's Road
Suffolk, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 14. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.
Chesapeake, VA 23323
(757) 487-3700
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Service

JUL 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

Macedonia Baptist Church
1705 Shipyard Road
Chesapeake, VA 23323
(757) 487-8427

Tribute Wall

IR

“ WE loved Miss Myrtle like a mother, we truly miss her and heart felt sympathy to the family.
Irene - Betty - Thomasine Eppes



Irene - August 15, 2013 at 01:27 PM

CJ

Mrs.Bowers ,(Miss Myrtle) was like a Mother to me and I loved her dearly. Wed spend many hours together laughing and talking. She loved my Grandmother,Rebecca Staley. Miss Myrtle had me laughing heartily when she recalled the story how afraid she and my Grandmother held each other on the banks of the river there in Chesapeake because her husband,"Chef" and my beloved Grandfather hadn't returned in their boat from fishing. All I could vision was these "Lucy and Ethel" girlfirends overly worried about the hubbies, who didn't understand what all the fuss was about. She was so good to me and my brother,John. Etta,Floyd,Perry,Keith and Kevin I'm so sorry I wasn't there. I'm ashamed that i lost 4th touch with you all. My love for you has ALWAYS been there and ALWAYS will be !!!! For all that may be reading this tribute to my angel, give flowers to your love ones while they're living. I thought I'd make back to Chesapeake one more time to see my family. Please don't put off saying I love you or giving of yourself. I only found out about Miss Myrtle because I was trying to google Kevin. I very upset with myself. But praise God, TO BE ABSENT OF THE BODY IS TO BE PRESENT WITH THE LORD !!!! "Lucy and Ethel" are together again.....

Charles Wright, Jacksonville,Fl. - October 03, 2014 at 06:07 PM

CJ

Sorry about the typos,excuse me but I'm very overwhelmed. Hope you read with your hearts and not with yours eyes.....

Charles Wright, Jacksonville,Fl. - October 03, 2014 at 06:11 PM

JH

“ *Etter we will miss her too. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and the family.*

Jean Williams Hussie



Jean Hussie - July 16, 2013 at 03:59 PM

AB

“ *Alex Blount lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



alex blount - July 15, 2013 at 06:10 AM

CH

“ *Cheryll lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



cheryll - July 15, 2013 at 06:08 AM

R(

“ *Robert Brown Jr (pooh) lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



robert brown jr (pooh) - July 15, 2013 at 06:05 AM

SB

“ *Samorra Brown lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



samorra brown - July 15, 2013 at 06:04 AM

DJ

“ *David Denzell Lunsgord Jr lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



david denzell lunsgord jr - July 15, 2013 at 01:23 AM

HG

“ *Hayson Gordon lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



hayson gordon - July 15, 2013 at 01:20 AM

JW

“ *James Williamson lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



james williamson - July 15, 2013 at 01:18 AM

DB

“ *Derrick Bowers lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



derrick bowers - July 15, 2013 at 12:56 AM

DL

“ *David Lunsford lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



david lunsford - July 15, 2013 at 12:52 AM

AM

“ *Anjanette Miller lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



anjanette miller - July 15, 2013 at 12:49 AM

JG

“ *Jaydis Robinson (Great Great Grandson) lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



Jaydis Robinson (Great Great Grandson) - July 14, 2013 at 11:57 PM

ZG

“ Zayden Robinson (Great Great Grandson) lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers



Zayden Robinson (Great Great Grandson) - July 14, 2013 at 11:57 PM

MR

“ Michael Robinson lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers



Michael Robinson - July 14, 2013 at 11:56 PM

Sandy Robinson

“ Sandy Robinson lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers



Sandy Robinson - July 14, 2013 at 11:55 PM

MB

“ Mary Beamer lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers



Mary Beamer - July 14, 2013 at 10:03 AM

MB

My prayers go out to the family

Mary Beamer - July 14, 2013 at 10:04 AM

HB

“ *Henrico Brown lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



Henrico Brown - July 14, 2013 at 09:57 AM

MB

I loved Ms. Myrtle, I will miss her smiling face and kind heart.

Mary Beamer - July 14, 2013 at 10:07 AM

OD

“ *Odell lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



Odell - July 14, 2013 at 09:56 AM

MJ

“ *Michael & Juan lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



Michael & Juan - July 14, 2013 at 09:54 AM

JZ

“ *Jaydis & Zayden lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



Jaydis & Zayden - July 14, 2013 at 09:54 AM

FS

“ *Floyd And Sarah lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



Floyd and Sarah - July 14, 2013 at 09:53 AM

ET

“ *Etter lit a candle in memory of Myrtle Bowers*



Etter - July 14, 2013 at 09:51 AM

DJ

“ Sarah I am so sorry for your loss . i know she will be missed by all. I remember all the times we would go up and pick her up and come right back the same day. Girl what about all the times you would have to keep her and James out of the sweets Oh I also remember how she loved to dress and wear them hats Well Love you lady take care and so sorry I couldnt be therebut my heart will be with you love You

Deborah Jackson.

deborah m jackson - July 13, 2013 at 04:04 PM