



Vaudeen Allen

December 29, 1936 - January 1, 2026

Vaudeen Allen, 89, of Minturn, Arkansas, passed away, leaving behind a legacy of faith, family, and quiet devotion.

She was born on December 29, 1936, in Bono, Arkansas, to Willie Thompson and Mary Magdalene Smith. A devoted Christian, Vaudeen loved the Lord deeply, along with her husband, Ernest Allen, and the family they built together. She spent her entire married life in Minturn, Arkansas, where she made her home and lovingly raised her family.

Vaudeen worked as a seamstress and was a dedicated housewife and devoted mother. She found joy in cooking for her family, tending her garden, and helping wherever she was needed on the family farm. Her life was centered on caring for others and creating a home filled with love.

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Ernest Allen; her daughter, Brenda Dunlap; and her grandson, Dave Dunlap.

She is survived by her children: Terry Allen (Charlie), Cindy Johnson (Ruben), Barry Allen, and April White.

She is also survived by her grandchildren: James Dunlap III (Bekki), Ashley Gomez (Michael), Blake Johnson (Abbey), Cassey Walker (Landon), Connor

White, Seth White, and Kate White.

She is further survived by her great-grandchildren: James, Sarah, Adeline, William, Eva, George, Thomas, Waylon, Spencer, Emma, Anabelle, Sutton, Jolene, and Vivienne.

In addition to her family, Vaudeen is lovingly remembered by her cousins and the many friends she held close throughout her life. Her friendships were meaningful and lasting, and she treasured the people God placed along her path.

Vaudeen was deeply loved by her family, who find comfort in knowing she is now at peace, reunited with loved ones who went before her, and resting in the presence of her Savior.

Funeral services will be held at Bryan Funeral Home on Tuesday, January 6, at 1:00 p.m., with visitation from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. prior to the service. Burial will follow at Jonesboro Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that monetary donations be made to Walnut Ridge First Assembly of God.

Cemetery Details

Jonesboro Memorial Park

Jonesboro Memorial Park Cemetery
Jonesboro, AR 72401

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bryan Funeral Home
415 NW Texas St.
Hoxie, AR 72433

Funeral Service

JAN 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ 271 files added to the album LifeTributes



Bryan Funeral Home - January 06 at 01:00 AM

GB

“ *She was such a sweet soul. A tiny lady with a huge heart. The world is darker without her but heaven has become brighter with her in it.*

Gary Bennett - January 05 at 10:39 PM

BT

“ *Vaudeen was always the sweetest soul. Loved visiting with her at the Smith family reunions. I think that she must be really busy catching up with all the other family members in heaven!! Prayers for all who loved her and who will miss her!*



Brenda Davis Thakkar - January 05 at 08:15 PM

LW

“ *I went to church with her. She was a very sweet lady and will be missed.*

Linda Walker - January 05 at 08:03 PM

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“ *Johnand Debra June J.C. and Justin (Son) purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Vaudeen Allen.*



Johnand Debra June J.C. and Justin (Son) - January 05 at 02:50 PM

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“ *Johnand Debra June J.C. and Justin (Son) planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Vaudeen Allen.*

Johnand Debra June J.C. and Justin (Son) - January 05 at 02:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Vaudeen Allen.*



January 04 at 06:22 PM

GC

“ *Terry, Cindy, Barry and April,
My thoughts and prayers are with you all
during this most difficult time.
Your Mom was such a wonderful person and I
am honored to have known her. She will
greatly missed. Now she one of God's precious Angels.*



Gail Ward Coleman - January 04 at 05:28 PM