



Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson

January 14, 1934 - August 20, 2025

DENSON, Mrs. Christine Elaine - Age 91, passed away Wednesday, August 20, 2025 at Canterbury on the Lake, Waterford, MI. Family hour 10:00 AM Friday, August 29, 2025 at Foss Avenue Baptist Church, 1159 E. Foss Ave., with funeral service commencing at 10:30 AM. Pastor Edward Burns, officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Friday. Mrs. Denson will lie in state in the chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM Thursday. Christine E. Denson was born on January 14, 1934 to Lula Mae Bell and Pete Kennedy in Scott County, Mississippi. Christine found and married the love of her life Robert Denson on December 24, 1950 and from this union two children were born: Roy and Robbie Denson. In 1954 Christine and her husband moved to the city of Flint in search of better opportunities for their family. Christine began work cleaning homes while her husband started working at the General Motors Chevrolet Truck and Bus Division. Later Christine became an avid Real Estate Agent for Johnny Harris Realty for numerous years before transitioning to Century 21 helping families to obtain home ownership. Christine and her husband also joined a small church called Foss Avenue Baptist Church where she was a member for decades until her death in 2025. Foss Avenue Baptist Church held a special place in Christine's heart as she loved to serve and worship. During her tenure as a member, she was involved in several auxiliaries which included the Missionary Ministry

where she eventually held the position of President. Additional positions included being a Sunday School Teacher for numerous years, Director of the Foss Avenue Baptist Church Food Pantry & Clothing Center, and a Great Lake District Association member. Christine loved to pursue many recreational activities with her husband Robert including fishing, boating, camping and hunting. Christine's memory will be cherished by 3 loving sisters, Amy Bell Bland, Jo Bell and Iris Kennedy; her 8 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and 5 great-great-grandchildren. Christine was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Denson; children, Roy Denson and Robbie Cole; grandson, Charles Daryl Smith; great-grandson, Christopher Smith; parents, Lula Mae Bell and Pete Kennedy; brothers, John Kennedy and Arthur Kennedy; sisters, Shirley Kennedy, Schiniece Leaym and Maggie Kincaid. The family would like to express a special thank you to the entire Foss Avenue Baptist Church family, all the patient care assistants and nurses from Canterbury on the Lake Nursing Home facility, the doctors and nursing staff of McLaren Oakland Pontiac Campus, Ms. Ella Scott, Ms. Tracey Mitchell, and Mrs. Janice Motley.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Viewing

AUG 28. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-MOON (6666)
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

AUG 29. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Foss Ave. Baptist Church
1159 E. Foss Ave.
Flint, MI 48505

Funeral Service

AUG **29**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CB

“ *Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Christine Brown - August 31, 2025 at 07:02 PM

NB

“ *Neysa Hodges Burns lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Neysa Hodges Burns - August 30, 2025 at 04:46 PM

MA

“ *Marion lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Marion - August 29, 2025 at 04:11 PM

JM

“ *A lovely lady with a big heart.*



Janice Motley - August 29, 2025 at 08:52 AM

CS

“ My deepest condolences to the family, my family and everyone that knew Aunt Chris. She was a beautiful soul, there wasn't nothing she wouldn't do for the family. I have spent a lot of days with Aunt Chris, Uncle Bob, Robert, Champ and my grandparents on the water fishing. We have traveled through out the mitten. Those are the times that I will always remember because I was the only girl out of many that went on the fishing trips. I will keep each and everyone one of my family members in my prayers and in my thoughts. I pray the God gives everyone the strength and comfort during this difficult times. I Love my family!

Casandra

Casandra Sharp - August 28, 2025 at 10:47 PM

TC

“ Terry Thomas, dance partner of Christine purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson.



Terry Thomas, dance partner of Christine - August 28, 2025 at 09:00 PM

TC

“ Terry Thomas, dance partner of Christine planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson.

Terry Thomas, dance partner of Christine - August 28, 2025 at 09:00 PM

TT

“Regrettably, my time with Christine was all too brief. We met at her grandson's wedding reception on Saturday, 01 September 2018, when Eva Stokes and Robert Smith had been pronounced "man and wife"! I walked out of the reception hall to a sunshine filled area, shortly before the main reception activities were to commence, and found this lovely lady, beautifully dressed, with a gorgeous hairdo; and could not help but compliment her on 'her look'. However, a very young woman (who, I now realize, might have been her great granddaughter) rebuked me and said, "She had beautiful hair and had it all cut off to get this!" I replied, "Oh, she looks so good, I thought she was the bride's sister!" Christine laughed, with her infectious grin, and thanked me for the compliment.

Later, in the reception hall, as the DJ played some great music, I approached Christine's table and asked her if she would like to dance. This delightful, strong willed lady said, "I would love to, but we can't until they (referring to the new bride and groom) have the first dance!" In full agreement, I offered my arm, which she quickly grabbed, and the two of us marched up to Eva and Rob and said, "We would like to dance, but cannot, until you two get your butts up there for the first dance!" They both laughed and granted our request.

As the newly married couple concluded their first dance, the DJ asked those in the wedding party to join them. Undaunted, I went back to Christine's table and said, "I know we were not in the wedding party, but shall we join the dance?" She rose, with a big grin on her face, and we commenced a slow dance together. Unbeknownst to me at the time (until Rob informed me later), several of the ladies in the audience video taped our dance together; to my surprise and delight!

When Christine's memory began to betray her and her health began to fade, Eva and Rob took her into their home to look after her. One day, Rob called me to tell me that his grandmother's memory had deteriorated further, but she remembered 'The Dance' and asked

about me. I asked him to tell her that I, too, remembered 'The Dance' fondly and any time she wanted another, I was 'all in'! He did so!

We all must remember, from this dear lady, that some of our most revered memories can come from simple events. May God bless her and her entire family as He did in my meeting Christine. When I get to where she is now, I will ask the angelic orchestra to play and I will, once again, ask Christine to dance!

Terry A Thomas - August 28, 2025 at 08:52 PM

RL

“ *Ruth Lott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Ruth Lott - August 28, 2025 at 07:08 PM



“ *My my my such a beautiful soul. Take your rest. You certainly served us all love you!!!!*



Trina Watson - August 28, 2025 at 04:55 PM

C(

Yes! Beautiful photo. Another Mom from Baltimore Blvd. Our village ❤️

Carol Gardner (Taylor) - August 29, 2025 at 09:59 AM

JS

“*Jacqueline Scott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*”



Jacqueline Scott - August 28, 2025 at 01:40 PM

TP

“*Tiny Presnall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*”



Tiny Presnall - August 28, 2025 at 01:15 PM

PJ

“*Pauline Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*”



Pauline Jones - August 28, 2025 at 09:39 AM

VW

“*VENETA WILLIAMS lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*”



VENETA WILLIAMS - August 28, 2025 at 04:34 AM

PN

“ *Prentiss And Fannie Norris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Prentiss and Fannie Norris - August 27, 2025 at 10:11 PM



“ *Joyce Lyons lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Joyce Lyons - August 27, 2025 at 09:09 PM

EG

“ *Eleanor Goodman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Eleanor Goodman - August 27, 2025 at 08:36 PM

CL

“ *Claudia Lee, Lit a candle with love from the late William Franklin Lee family also know as "Willie Frank". God gave Christine a passionate heart for Jesus Christ and all people.
With love.
Frederick, Linda and Claudia Lee*



Claudia Lee - August 27, 2025 at 06:49 PM

FM

“ Frank & Hazel Miller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson



Frank & Hazel Miller - August 27, 2025 at 12:03 PM

CL

“ Cynthia Lyons-Hodge lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson



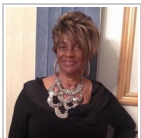
Cynthia Lyons-Hodge - August 27, 2025 at 10:00 AM

RS

“ Rosetta Spencer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson



Rosetta Spencer - August 26, 2025 at 07:15 PM



“ Lula Lewis lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson



Lula Lewis - August 26, 2025 at 11:29 AM

GG

“ Gloria Garland lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson



Gloria Garland - August 26, 2025 at 11:06 AM

LS

“ Larry & Kim Sykes lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson



Larry & Kim Sykes - August 26, 2025 at 08:52 AM

TW

“ Job well done! Rest in heavenly peace aunt Chris!

Tamora Watson - August 25, 2025 at 09:22 PM

EM

“ Sending my prayers and condolences to the family



Earline McFadden1935@gmail.com - August 25, 2025 at 05:49 PM

CB

“ *Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson*



Christine Brown - August 25, 2025 at 07:05 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of sister Christine Denson my condolences to the Family*



Carolyn Mayo - August 24, 2025 at 07:54 PM

LD

“ *La Jean Duncan lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson*



La Jean Duncan - August 24, 2025 at 05:09 PM

EC

“ *Sending my Sincere Condolences to the Families. RIH Sister Denson 🙏💙*



Elder-Dr. Carolyn D. Davis & Children - August 24, 2025 at 02:22 PM

LH

“*Sis. Denson was a beautiful Christian woman who loved God, her family and her church. She will be missed.*”



Larry and Shirley Henderson - August 23, 2025 at 04:06 PM

KM

“*Kim Moore-Mullen lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson*”



Kim Moore-Mullen - August 23, 2025 at 03:33 PM

JK

“*Condolences to the Denson family. Former Baltimore Blvd. neighbor.*”



Julie (Taylor) Koger - August 23, 2025 at 01:52 PM

M-

“*Maria Hopkins -Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*”



maria Hopkins -Brown - August 23, 2025 at 09:14 AM

BT

“ *Betty Tipper lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Betty Tipper - August 22, 2025 at 10:25 PM

EM

“ *Eddie & Paulette McGhee lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson*



Eddie & Paulette McGhee - August 22, 2025 at 06:13 AM

OC

“ *ORA CARTER lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



ORA CARTER - August 21, 2025 at 05:13 PM

ES

“ *Ella Scott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



Ella Scott - August 21, 2025 at 03:18 PM

MM

“ *Mayrene C McGruder lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson*



Mayrene C McGruder - August 21, 2025 at 12:17 PM

RM

“ *Condolences to the Denson Family.*



Rosie (Meekins) McCollum - August 21, 2025 at 11:49 AM

SS

“ *Sidney & Gwen Muldrew, Sr. lit a candle in memory of Christine Denson*



Sidney & Gwen Muldrew, Sr. - August 21, 2025 at 10:06 AM

LD

“ *La Jean Duncan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson*



La Jean Duncan - August 21, 2025 at 09:34 AM

CG

“ Remembering the Denson Family with love and admiration. I grew up on Baltimore Blvd. and I am one of the daughters of Mrs. Denson’s village. She loved her children and I admired her love and care of Darryl. Roy drove us to Northwestern High School. I played Bid Whist with Mr. Denson. Robbie Dale was so beautiful and an inspiration to me as a young lady. Praying for all the grands and great-grands and entire family.



Carol Gardner - August 21, 2025 at 01:08 AM

AJ

“ Abby Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christine Elaine Denson



Abby Johnson - August 20, 2025 at 11:43 PM