



Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston

February 15, 1940 - March 2, 2024

BANKSTON, Mrs. Penrose Adele - Age 84, passed away Saturday, March 2, 2024 at Cottages of Davison. Family hour 10:00 AM Saturday, March 9, 2024, at Word of Life Christian Church, 460 W. Atherton Rd., with funeral services commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor George Wilkinson, officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and family will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Saturday. Mrs. Bankston 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 Friday with family present from 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM to receive friends.

Penrose Adele Holliday Bankston was born February 15, 1940 in Flint, Michigan, the daughter of Moses Hale and Margaret Adele (Jeffries) Holliday. Penrose was a resident of Flint and graduated from Flint Central High School. She was employed at General Motors Corporation where she retired after 34 years of service.

Penrose loved cooking, baking, sewing, drawing and painting. She also loved participating in Bible Study Fellowship (BSF), traveling, spending time with her children, Wendy, Traci and Darren, her step-daughter, Lisa and her grandson, Anthony Bankston. Penrose was vibrant, energetic and very loving. She loved feeding everyone. Penrose would make large portions of food so that all of the children in the neighborhood who came over could eat. She was a cherished

wife, mother, sister and friend who will be forever missed.

Penrose Adele Bankston leaves to cherish her memory: husband, Billie John Bankston; son, Darren John Dantzler, both of Flint; 2 daughters, Dr. Traci Jill Dantzler of Lansing, MI and Wendy Joy Dantzler of Troy, MI; grandson, Anthony Bankston; 2 sisters, Mrs. Jill L. (Raymond) Gist of Grand Blanc, MI and Lorraine J. Edwards of Flint; 2 brothers, Michael J. Holliday of Oakland, CA and Gregory J. Holliday of Flint; a host of nieces and nephews; 2 sisters-in-law, Helen Donald and Barbara (Lester) Carson; 2 brothers-in-law, Ralph Bankston and Noel Bankston; a host of other relatives and friends.

Penrose was preceded in death by her father, Moses Hale Holliday; mother, Margaret Adele Holliday; and 3 brothers, Carl H. Holliday, Drew E. Holliday and Gary S. Holliday; and step-daughter, Eliza Bankston.

The family would like to express special thanks to The Cottage of Davison, Dr. Rose Hall and Dr. Mischa Pollard.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 8. 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 Present

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Family hour

MAR 9. 10:00 AM (ET)

Word of Life Christian Church
460 W. Atherton Road
Flint, MI 48507

Service

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Tribute Wall

PM

“ *Pat McDowell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Pat McDowell - March 12, 2024 at 06:35 PM

PS

“ *Pamala Simpson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Pamala Simpson - March 12, 2024 at 01:52 PM

DH

“ *My sincere condolences to my cousins Darren, Traci and Wendy in the passing of your sweet mother. My prayers are with you all during this difficult time.*



Deborah Hardy - March 10, 2024 at 11:30 PM

M-

“ Our sincere condolences to the family of Penny. Worked with her for many years. A beautiful lady. Enjoyed talking and laughing with her. Will continue to keep Penny's family In PRAYERS.

Benny & Mae Vern Spence

Marietta GA.



Mae Vern Spence --Friend - March 09, 2024 at 05:26 PM

RH

“ To My Cousins Darrin, Tracy And Wendy My Prayers And Much Love Are For You. I Loved Aunt Penny So Much. She Had So Much Love In Her Heart. She Had Such A Sweet Spirit About Her That Makes You Want To Be Around Her. She Is Loved By So Many People And She's Going To Be Greatly Missed. I Loved Her Beautiful Smile. You Can Rest Easy Now.

R.P.I.H.

PENROSE ADELE BANKSTON



Ruthi Hill - March 09, 2024 at 04:45 PM

RC

“ Roy Cummings lit a candle in memory of Penrose Bankston



Roy & Beverly Cummings - March 09, 2024 at 11:48 AM

LM

Our sincere condolences to Penny's family, her warmth, generosity, and always positive attitude was a blessing to us all. She will forever be remembered and deeply missed.

When someone as special as Penny passes, the grief feels unbearable. Just know her legacy will live on through the many lives she touched. RIP

Lavern and Aydan

Lavern Miller - March 10, 2024 at 12:09 PM

CJ

“ *Colleen Jenkins-Roberts lit a candle in memory of Penrose Bankston*



Colleen Jenkins-Roberts - March 09, 2024 at 11:38 AM

PR

“ *To the Bankston Family:*

I was sorry to hear about the passing of your loved one. Death is liken to a thief that comes and takes away our love ones. Or due to old age and sickness we lose that precious quality of life that leads to death.

However, have you ever asked: Is death the end of it all? Or is there something else after death? The bible clears up any question we might have about death. It also shows that there is a real hope for persons who have faith.

*Yours truly,
Patricia*



Patricia A Rison - March 09, 2024 at 11:09 AM

DT

“ *Debby Taylor sent a virtual gift in memory of Penrose Bankston*



Debby Taylor - March 09, 2024 at 09:47 AM

LE

“ *Linda English lit a candle in memory of Penrose Bankston*



Linda English - March 09, 2024 at 09:36 AM

JD

“ *Jesse & Janet Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Jesse & Janet Davis - March 08, 2024 at 11:50 PM

SF

“ *Sandra Epps And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Sandra Epps and Family - March 08, 2024 at 10:04 PM

SF

“ *Sandra Epps And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Sandra Epps and Family - March 08, 2024 at 09:58 PM

YC

“ *Yvette Tucker Collins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Yvette Tucker Collins - March 08, 2024 at 07:49 PM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Wanda Harrison - March 08, 2024 at 05:30 PM

AC

“ Traci,
When I first met your mom, I knew that she was a sweet woman of God! Also, I have met Wendi, Kim, and many of your family members.... I would like to let all of you know that I am praying for your comfort and supernatural peace.
Traci, call me anytime, if you want to talk or pray... May God's grace be with you.
Blessings,
💖🙏
Aleta Alexander-Curry and family

Aleta Curry - March 08, 2024 at 05:08 PM

CB

“ Cassandra Burks lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston



Cassandra Burks - March 08, 2024 at 01:21 PM

DM

“ Debra McCovery purchased the Simply Elegant
Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Penrose
Adele Bankston.



Debra McCovery - March 08, 2024 at 12:48 PM

DT

“ Dolores Tansil purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.



Dolores Tansil - March 08, 2024 at 09:56 AM

DT

“ Dolores Tansil planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.

Dolores Tansil - March 08, 2024 at 09:56 AM

CT

“ Carolyn Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston



carolyn taylor - March 08, 2024 at 09:08 AM



“ To my cousins Darren, Traci and Wendy. Your mother, Penny, was such a sweet person. I am so sorry for your loss but know that she is resting now. I truly love you all. Sending you big hugs.

Love

Joya Reaves-Embry and Family



Joya Embry - March 08, 2024 at 12:45 AM



“ *T Marie Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



T Marie Marshall - March 07, 2024 at 08:21 PM

DH

“ *Della and Graeme Hargreaves purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.*



Della and Graeme Hargreaves - March 07, 2024 at 06:39 PM

JJ

“ *Jackie and Zelton Johnson purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.*



Jackie and Zelton Johnson - March 07, 2024 at 04:41 PM

ZJ

“ *Zelton G Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



zelton g Johnson - March 07, 2024 at 04:33 PM

DM

“ *Delaine Moore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Delaine Moore - March 07, 2024 at 03:29 PM

HD

“ *Penny, my Sister in Love, How gallantly you fought your struggle. May you now rest in peace.*

Helen Donald - March 07, 2024 at 10:56 AM

HD

“ *Helen Donald lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Helen Donald - March 07, 2024 at 10:54 AM

DW

“ *Dandre & Freda Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Dandre & Freda Williams - March 07, 2024 at 08:06 AM

RV

“ Regina, Uzor, Jocie, Victor, and Vincent purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.



Regina, Uzor, Jocie, Victor, and Vincent - March 07, 2024 at 01:38 AM

MD

“ Mary Dantzler-Grace lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston



Mary Dantzler-Grace - March 06, 2024 at 09:06 PM

MB

“ Rest in peace my friend of 40 plus years. I will remember our time together. Billy and the family of Penrose, sorry about our loss. Love Martha Burnett, Kiwana, Kena and Tony.

Martha Burnett - March 06, 2024 at 09:03 PM

CM

“ Carolyn Motley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston



carolyn motley - March 06, 2024 at 08:21 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.*



March 06, 2024 at 08:05 PM



“ *Darrell and Carol Dixson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.*

Darrell and Carol Dixson - March 06, 2024 at 08:04 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.*



March 06, 2024 at 08:04 PM



“ *Love, Adrienne, Jourdan and Peyton Weiss purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston.*



Love, Adrienne, Jourdan and Peyton Weiss - March 06, 2024 at 03:44 PM

MF

“ *May God's love sustain you during this difficult time. Mary Burwell Scott and Family.!*



Mary Burwell Scott and Family - March 06, 2024 at 01:02 PM

FG

“ *Sending condolences, sympathy, and prayers to the family and friends of Penny. May you find comfort and peace in knowing that she is resting in God's care now. Rest in heavenly peace Penny.*



Fredricka "Ricky" Gist - March 06, 2024 at 10:54 AM

FM

“ *Praying for Billy, Wendy, Traci, Jill and Penny's entire family. There is peace and comfort in knowing that she's resting in the arms of Jesus.*

Frank & Hazel Miller - March 06, 2024 at 10:48 AM

LJ

“ *Linda Johnson-Barnes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Linda Johnson-Barnes - March 06, 2024 at 10:27 AM

DR

“ *May you rest in heavenly peace Penny. Your beautiful smile and gracious spirit will live on in my memories forever.*



Danielle Robinson - March 06, 2024 at 10:06 AM

CG

“ *C. Gist lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



C. Gist - March 06, 2024 at 09:16 AM

ET

“ *Condolences and prayers to the family. May the angels welcome her to Paradise.* 🙏



Ernell Taylor - March 05, 2024 at 08:03 PM

CB

“ *Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Christine Brown - March 05, 2024 at 06:14 PM

ES

“ *If the daughter is a measure of the mother, then Mrs. Bankston was truly an amazing human being. I am fortunate to have met her - Erik*



Erik Stier - March 05, 2024 at 03:11 PM

LR

“ *May you Rest In Peace Penny You Were A Joy To Work With And Know In This Life. Our Prayers And Love To Jill And Family*



Lorene Randall & Family

Lorene Randall - March 05, 2024 at 02:32 PM

RA

“ *ReGina Adams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



ReGina Adams - March 05, 2024 at 09:33 AM

MF

“ *Praying with my family. Beautiful Aunt Penny will be truly missed... I love you all so much....*

MS. RENEE HILL-SYKES & FAMILY - March 05, 2024 at 06:48 AM

RF

“ Rest "PEACEFULLY QUEEN/ MOTHER" 🇳🇬... you was like a second mom to us. So many memories 📖💔💔💔💔🙏🙏🙏.

Rodney D. & Sandra K. Thomas family - March 05, 2024 at 12:19 AM

VW

“ Sending prayers and heartfelt condolences to Traci, Wendy, Darren, Mrs. J Gist and the entire Dantzler family and friends. May you find peace, comfort, and all the love you need in the days, weeks, and months to come.

Cherish all the beautiful memories of your Mom and Sister. She had a heart of gold, and a warm and caring spirit. She was a inspiration to me and alot of people she met along her lifes journey. For our earthly house has dissolved, but we have a building of God. a house not made with hands, but eternal in the heavens. Rest on in Jesus loving arms, Mrs Penrose (Penny) Bankston. Jesus has called you home eternal in the heavens.

Love,
Mrs Valerie Williams - Darrans Care-giver

Valerie Williams - March 04, 2024 at 06:05 PM



JK

“ Jesse Kirksey sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston



Jesse Kirksey - March 04, 2024 at 05:12 PM

PS

“ *Pamala Simpson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Pamala Simpson - March 04, 2024 at 03:44 PM

JW

“ *Jeanne Wells lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Penrose Adele Bankston*



Jeanne Wells - March 04, 2024 at 12:07 PM

JB

“ *May God keep your family in this time of sorrow. Mrs. Bankston was a beautiful person and she will be missed by everyone who came across her path. Praying for Dr Traci, Wendy, Darren and the entire family.*



James and Lisa Blakley - March 04, 2024 at 11:38 AM

CC

“ *Our prayers and condolences go out the Bankston and Holliday families for the passing of dear Penny.*



Clarence and Bettina Campbell - March 04, 2024 at 09:21 AM