



Virginia Glascock Purvis

September 30, 1940 - March 28, 2023

Virginia. Momma. Maw Maw. Aunt Virginia. Ginny. Aunt Ginger. Maw Maw "Ajenna." Ms. Bajenje. GiGi. She was known by so many names because she was so many things to so many people.

Virginia was a nurturer in every sense. She cooked many a meal feeding many a friend, nourishing the bodies of all who came to her table. Jackie's hunting buddies looked forward to hunting season as much for the biscuits and gravy and big supper every evening as for the actual hunting. She was the over-packer on the many trips that she took with her family or with four of her high school friends. She had the snacks, the first aid kit, the extra socks, sweater, or anything else that someone might need or have forgotten. She liked to play cards with her friends and her grandchildren, nurturing those friendships with laughter and good-natured fun. She often had a little something special "on the side" for her children or grandchildren. It may be for a holiday or school function, or it may be just because. She wanted to be sure that they had all that they needed and a little something that they wanted in this life. She read them the story of Jesus's birth every Christmas morning before the first gift was opened, teaching them "the reason for the season." She taught Sunday School and Vacation Bible School from the time her children were young, enriching young minds at every opportunity with thoughts about a heavenly Father who loved them enough to send His son Jesus to save them. She prayed daily for her children, grandchildren, and her

friends, enriching their lives with her petitions on their behalf even if they didn't know it. And she nurtured faith in God in every person with whom she came into contact, leading many to saving faith in Christ.

Virginia was nurtured and sustained by our Heavenly Father throughout her life. It gives her children great joy to know that she is now resting in the arms of Jesus, waiting for the mansion that she surely will inhabit in His kingdom. She was 82 years old when she passed from this life on March 28, 2023.

Virginia is survived by her daughters, Tamra Perise (Sal), Sharmon Thompson (Mark), Lesley Sherman (Brent); son, Jackie Purvis Jr. (Gwen); brother, Lloyd E. 'Gene' Glascock (Joy); sister-in-law, Kay Gersch Fowler (Frank); grandchildren, Jacob Purvis (Tina), Joshua Purvis (Kayla), Joni Purvis Lexia (Ray), Bridget Purvis, Blane Purvis, Ryan Perise, Lauren Ganucheau (Edmond), Justin Thompson, and Madelyn Thompson, Garrett Sherman (Taylor), Meghan Sherman; great-grandchildren, Emma Purvis (Kris Leblanc), Ethan Purvis, Jonah Purvis, Jeremiah Purvis, Johannah Purvis, Carson Lexia, Camryn Lexia, Jaden Reyes, Jace Reyes, Bryson Sutton, Hayes Ganucheau, and baby Sherman expected in September; along with numerous other nieces and nephews.

Virginia is preceded in death by her loving husband of 64 years, Jackie Hulie Purvis, parents, Lloyd and Fannie Woodward Glascock; infant brother, Ronnie Glascock; father and mother-in-law, Hulie and Ruby Purvis; sister-in-law, Kathleen Glascock; brothers and sisters-in-law; Monroe and Betty Purvis & Charles and Colleen Foster; brother-in-law, Joe Wayne Gersch.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a visitation from the Chapel of Brandon Thompson Funeral Home, 12012 Hwy 190 West, Hammond on Tuesday, April 4, 2023 from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Visitation will resume Wednesday, April 5, 2023 from 9:00 a.m. until the start of the

Funeral Service at 11:00 a.m. Brother Mike Eden and Brother Gary Dennis will officiate with interment to follow in Bankston Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Bankston Cemetery

28366 Turkey Creek Rd.
Independence, La

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 4. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - Hammond, LA
12012 Highway 190 W
Hammond, LA 70401
(225) 567-1884

Visitation

APR 5. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Hammond, LA 70401
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Funeral Service

APR 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Virginia Glascock Purvis*



Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home - April 04, 2023 at 10:46 AM

GS

“ *So sorry to hear of Ms. Virginia's passing. She was a very sweet lady & she will be sadly missed in our community.*

Glenda Stewart-Hazlip - April 09, 2023 at 07:00 AM

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“ *One of the sweetest, most kind-hearted women I've ever known. Mrs Virginia always made me feel right at home & made me feel special, just as she did for so many. I've enjoyed many great meals with her & Jackie, and always enjoyed our great conversations. She will be greatly missed by so many of us. Sincere condolences to all the family.*

Chaney & Marty Phillips

chaney phillips - April 05, 2023 at 10:23 AM

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“ One special lady that has touch so many lives!! Love 💕 and prayers to her sweet children and grandkids!! Dana Stewart Kinchen



Dana S. Kinche - April 04, 2023 at 06:12 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Virginia Glascock Purvis.



April 04, 2023 at 02:19 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Virginia Glascock Purvis.



April 04, 2023 at 01:16 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Virginia Glascock Purvis.



April 03, 2023 at 05:51 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Virginia Glascock Purvis.*



April 03, 2023 at 05:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virginia Glascock Purvis.*



March 30, 2023 at 08:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Virginia Glascock Purvis.*



March 30, 2023 at 07:42 PM



“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Lynn Woodward - March 30, 2023 at 07:13 PM