



## Joan M Rice

December 22, 1934 - July 1, 2024

Joan M. Rice, 89 of Gardendale, passed away Monday July 1, 2024. She was retired after a 30 year career at K-mart. Some of her great loves in life were her family and flowers.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jack Norman Rice; son, Steven Jack Rice and nine siblings.

Survivors include her children, LeeAnn Kuykendall (Ricky), Wanda Ladu (Tony) and Curtis Rice (Tracy); grandchildren, Bradley Rice, Hannah Rice, Caleb Kuykendall (Kathryn), Adam Ladu (Casey), Chris Ladu, Stacy Ladu and Wendi Hardin (Chris); nine great grandchildren several nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services will be Friday July 5, 24 at 1:00 pm in the New Horizon Memorial Chapel. Rev. Danny Owensby will officiate. Burial will follow at Elmwood Cemetery. Visitation is Friday from 12-1 pm.

The family wishes to express their thanks to the staffs of Ridgeview Health Center and Southeast Hospice for the excellent care.

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home directing 205-648-2323

# Cemetery Details

## Elmwood Cemetery

600 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.  
Birmingham, AL 35211

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 5. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home  
5203 Hollis Goodwin Road  
Dora, AL 35062  
(205) 648-2323

## Service -New Horizon Memorial Chapel

JUL 5. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ 58 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home** - July 05, 2024 at 10:13 AM

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“ Adam, Casey, Blaine and Sophia purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of *Joan M Rice*.



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**Adam, Casey, Blaine and Sophia** - July 05, 2024 at 08:34 AM

FP

“ Wanda, I am so sorry to hear about your mom. You are in my prayers. If there is anything I can do let me know. Love y'all.

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**Fonda Papetti** - July 03, 2024 at 03:04 PM

BG

“ *Brenda Goggins lit a candle in memory of  
Joan Rice* ”



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**Brenda Goggins** - July 02, 2024 at 06:17 PM