



## Melva Lee Blackwell

January 10, 1958 - May 3, 2016

Melva Lee Blackwell, age 58 of Forestdale, passed away at St. Martin's in the Pines on Tuesday May 3, 2016.

She is preceded in death by her father, Melvin Blackwell; and aunt, Viola Whitley.

She is survived by her mother, Ruby Knight; sister, Charlene Weldon (John Wayne); nephews, Melvin Weldon (Brandi); Jason Weldon (Michelle); great nephew, Nik Weldon; great niece, Madi Claire Weldon; uncle, Sanford Blackwell (Earline); and a host of cousins, family members, and special friends.

Funeral service will be Friday May 6th at 12 PM in the New Horizon Memorial Chapel. Rev. Sonny Whitley will be officiating. Burial will follow at McCormick Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday from 10:30 AM - 12PM.

In lieu of flowers the family has requests donations be made to the Humane Society or American Cancer Society.

New Horizon Memorial Funeral Home directing 205-648-2323

# Cemetery Details

## McCormack Cemetery

McCormack Rd.  
Dora, AL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 6. 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

MAY 6. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Melva Lee Blackwell*

October 05, 2023 at 01:15 PM



“ *I grew up with melve lee we were the only girls that still played outside with the boys we had the best time together I'm so sorry I didn't know!!! Your the best friend I ever had!*



**Donna Morgan Brown** - May 07, 2021 at 09:13 AM



“ *We must learn to live on the heavenly side and look at things from above. To contemplate all things as God sees them, as Christ beholds them, overcomes sin, defies Satan, dissolves perplexities, lifts us above trials, separates us from the world and conquers fear of death.*

*I'm faithfully yours, an image of a man.*

**Guy Cooper** - May 06, 2016 at 09:26 AM

AD

“ *Melva was such an amazing person. She had a special gift to help soothe your hurts and always had a smile and a hug. I have many fond memories of her when we lived near each other in the trailer park and she even babysat my daughter several times. We have the same birthday and we always no matter what sent each other greetings and hugs and love on our bday. Heaven's gain is our loss, but she is finally at peace and with her precious Daddy again. Rest in Peace my sweet friend.*



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**Anita Busby Deason** - May 06, 2016 at 08:48 AM

MC

“ *Melva me and Leslie will miss you very much. It is very hard for me to write this post because tears are filling my eyes now. God knows the pain you went through and I know I tried to save you but I couldn't. I will always remember Friday night. I called the fire department when I was still in Memphis Tennessee to check on you. I called you later and you said you felt fine but in reality you were not fine. I came to Birmingham that night to go with you to celebrate your birthday on Saturday the next day, because I wanted to make your birthday very special. I am glad that I came to see you. I didn't know that this was going to be your last birthday. I am still in shock that you are gone. God knows now you are not suffering and you are with him in Heaven. Me and Leslie will always love you and will always remember the good times we had together. May you rest in peace my cousin Melva. 💔🌹🙏🕊️*

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**Michael Clayton** - May 05, 2016 at 11:08 PM

LA

“ To a wonderful friend so happy that I met u when I did. I have a lot of wonderful memories of you. Love you so much.



Leslie auzston - May 05, 2016 at 09:37 PM

KB

“ Mel, I have many wonderful memories of you and I. From our "cards", you testing my new vehicles out for me with a long ride in the country. We can't forget the Christmas party and decorating that tree that you refused to have, our fishing excursions but most of all how you we a true friend no matter what. I love you sis and you will be greatly missed. I'm not saying goodbye I'm saying until See you again.

Kim Beasley - May 05, 2016 at 09:07 AM

LI

“ Liz lit a candle in memory of Melva Lee Blackwell



Liz - May 05, 2016 at 08:26 AM

JO

“ May your memories of Melva soothe you in this difficult time and help you be at peace.. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Joann - May 04, 2016 at 11:22 PM

JO

“ *Joann lit a candle in memory of Melva Lee Blackwell*



Joann - May 04, 2016 at 11:05 PM

BT

*To the family of Melva Lee Blackwell: Tommy, (brother) and I Barbara Thompson went to school with Melva. We are saddened for her passing. Earth's loss is Heaven's gain. Remember this scripture I will look unto the hills from whence cometh my help, my help cometh from the Lord. Look to him in this your hour of trouble and grief. Death where is you Victory oh grave where is your sting. Barbara and Tommy Thompson*

Barbara Thompson - May 05, 2016 at 08:15 AM

RS

“ *Melva and I went to School Together. She was always the most kind hearted person. She would share anything and everything she had. Even her lunch. I have nothing but fond memories of Melva. Rest now my Friend. I love you. Classmates, Renee Shoemaker*

Renee Shoemaker - May 04, 2016 at 07:56 PM



“ *Christie Watson Reed lit a candle in memory of Melva Lee Blackwell*



Christie Watson Reed - May 04, 2016 at 01:35 PM