



## Mrs. Dale Lawless Porter

February 9, 2014

Dale Marie Lawless Porter, 50, of Bluefield, West Virginia, went to be with our Lord on Sunday, February 9, 2014, and passed away peacefully, suddenly and unexpectedly. She was born in 1963 in Dover, Delaware. She is the daughter of Ardarth Dameron Lawless and the late Jesse Edward Lawless. Dale was a beloved daughter, mother, sister and wife, filled with kindness and generosity who absolutely loved the time shared with her children, grandchildren, family and friends. She was a homemaker, and of the Baptist faith, and will be deeply missed. In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by her brother, Mark Lawless. Survivors include her mother, Ardarth Dameron Lawless of Ballard, West Virginia. husband, David Byrd of Bluefield. Children, Mark Porter, Mary Porter and Alisa Porter of Wentzville, Missouri, Shandis Tedder and children, James and Quetcy of Homosassa, Florida, Veronica Nepon-Sixt and husband Brook of Tampa, Florida, Jessica Osterstuck and companion, Henry Zuluaga Jr., and children, Isaiah, and Myla of Tampa, Florida, Audrianna Vaughn and husband James and daughter, Samantha of Jacksonville, North Carolina, two stepsons David Byrd II and wife Nicolette and children, Aiden, David III, Isaac and Emily of Bluefield, and Dustin Byrd of Bluefield, and a stepdaughter, Ashley Byrd and husband George and son Cameron, of Bluefield, along with a host of cousins, nieces and nephews and many friends. A Celebration of Life will be held on Thursday, February 20 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S, Plant City, Florida, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00

A.M. Interment to follow at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City, Florida.  
Expressions of condolence at [www.wecare.io](http://www.wecare.io).

# Cemetery Details

## Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South  
Plant City, FL 33567  
(813) 737-3128  
office@hopewellfuneral.com  
<https://www.hopewellfuneral.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall

MF

“ *Every year gets easier. But the weight on my chest never gets lighter. I miss you so much.* ”



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**Mary Frangesch** - February 09, 2024 at 09:35 PM

AL

“ *Alisa sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Dale Lawless Porter* ”



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**Alisa** - October 18, 2017 at 12:04 PM

AL

“ *Alisa lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dale Lawless Porter* ”



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**Alisa** - October 18, 2017 at 12:03 PM

MP

“ *Two years later and it still hurts like it was yesterday.* ”

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**Mary Porter** - February 09, 2016 at 10:33 AM

AD

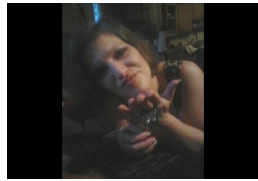
“ Alisa Dale lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dale Lawless Porter



Alisa dale - February 06, 2016 at 05:46 PM

AL

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Alisa - December 26, 2015 at 11:59 AM

LE

*I never got to meet Dale Marie, but I did go to school with her brother, Mark and was his first girlfriend. I can see him in her smile. This is a very nice video. I am sorry for your loss. Lucinda*

Lucinda Eubanks - June 28, 2020 at 04:59 PM

AL

“ Alisa lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dale Lawless Porter



Alisa - December 26, 2015 at 11:56 AM

MA

“ *Melody Aponte lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dale Lawless Porter*



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**Melody Aponte** - February 19, 2014 at 11:31 PM

CN

“ *Cindi Nunes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dale Lawless Porter*



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**Cindi Nunes** - February 19, 2014 at 02:04 PM

CN

*"Friend, I will remember you, think of you, pray for you....and when another day is through...I'll still be friends with you." John Denver....*

*You are forever imprinted in the footprints of my heart and we are soul sisters from 1984...until eternity...until we meet again. I love you, will miss you, but will think of you as often as I do now. I am so jealous that you will be celebrating church every Sunday with ELVIS singing to Jesus, and you, and the rest of my loved ones. My heart is broken...but am so happy that you are no longer broken. I love you dear Dale, BFF...Love Cin*

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**Cindi Nunes** - February 19, 2014 at 02:09 PM

KD

*Dale I'm so sorry you are gone I just can't believe it I wish we could have stayed in touch over the years I can still remember the times we spent together at the bell shoals house me you and dema. I know you are in a better place and are looking down on all of those who knew you and loved you. I will always love you! Kenny.*

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**kenny dunning** - June 29, 2017 at 05:02 AM



*I miss you ..*

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**Alisa** - October 18, 2017 at 12:07 PM