



Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas

January 18, 1934 - August 20, 2023

THOMAS, Eloise R. Alderman, 89, of Plant City, born on January 18, 1934, entered into eternal rest on August 20, 2023. She was a member of Graceway Baptist Church in Springhead and possessed a love for children that knew no bounds. She was a former professional softball player that loved her family dearly, and enjoyed fishing. She was preceded in death by husband, Carl Thomas; and many other family and friends. She is survived by children, Dennis Thomas (Patricia), Gina Austin (Earl), and David Thomas (Gary); grandchildren, DJ, Dereck, Kyle and Addison; great-grandchildren, Maddison, Brook, Ethan, Olivia, Justin, Forrest and many other siblings, family, and friends. A funeral service will be held Saturday, August 26 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 James L Redman Pkwy Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to LifePath Hospice at [https:// www.chaptershealth.org/foundation/lifepathhospice-donation/](https://www.chaptershealth.org/foundation/lifepathhospice-donation/). Expressions of condolences at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas



Hopewell Funeral Home - August 23, 2023 at 10:34 AM

KD

“ I am so sorry for the loss of your mother, David. I only today stumbled across her obit on the Hopewell site. With our precious mothers and grandmothers passing away there are few who spread the word to others in the community like they used to. I know your heart hurts for the loss of your parents. Know that you are in the thoughts and prayers of myself and Connie.

Karen DuBois - September 27, 2023 at 04:18 PM

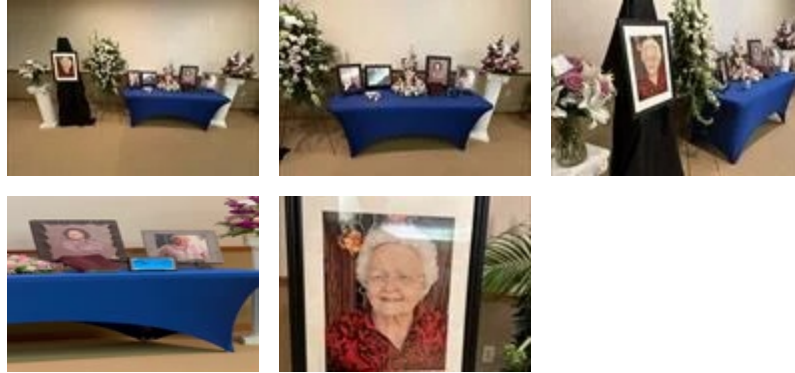
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Thank you so much, Karen. You and your family made up a big part of my life. It means a lot that you posted this. I'm sorry I did not know your mother had passed away. My condolences to you and your family as well. I think we have now become the new old guard.

David Thomas - September 27, 2023 at 07:26 PM

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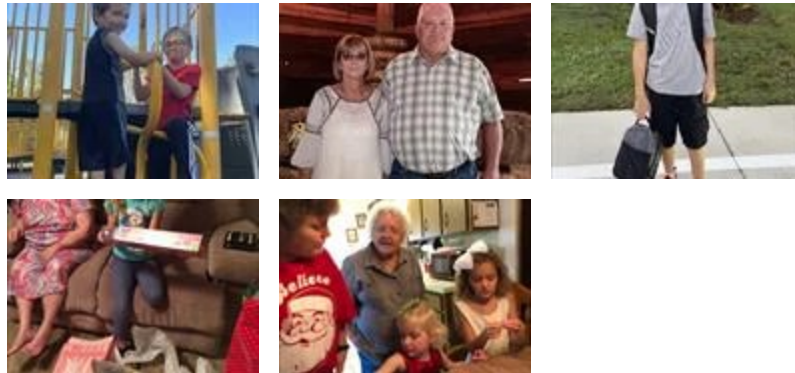
“ It was a beautiful ceremony. A big Thank You and love to all the friends and family for making it so special.



David Thomas - August 26, 2023 at 03:32 PM

DT

“ 12 files added to the tribute wall



David Thomas - August 25, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas.



August 24, 2023 at 09:55 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas.

August 24, 2023 at 09:55 AM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas.



August 24, 2023 at 09:11 AM



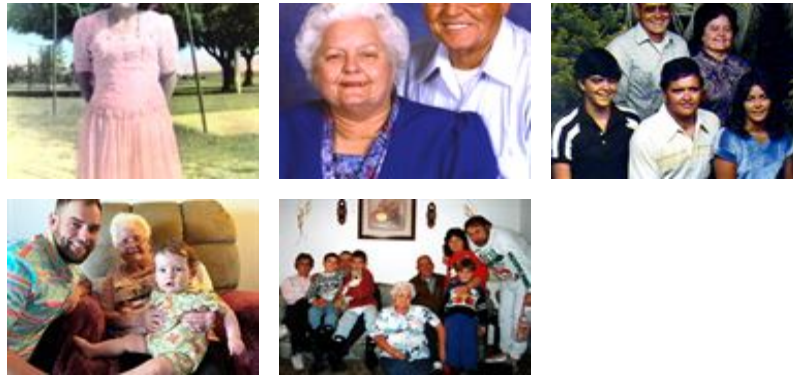
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Hopewell Funeral Home - August 23, 2023 at 01:34 PM



“ 57 files added to the album LifeTributes



Hopewell Funeral Home - August 23, 2023 at 10:30 AM

RP

“ Aunt Eloise was always welcoming, loving, and open. She always made you feel special, and that she was so glad to see you.
She was an outstanding member of the "The Sisters" of the Alderman family.
An honest, giving, and loving lady that always had a special place for children.
She's reunited and welcomed by her huge loving family that preceded her.
Eloise will be missed, but never forgotten.

Robbie Powers - August 23, 2023 at 10:15 AM

PS

“ David, Gary, Addison, Gina, Earl, Dennis, Patricia, and the whole of your family, We are so sorry for your loss. It is a loss we know quite well. You were all amazing caregivers and we know your Mom/Grandma loved and appreciated your love and care more than she could ever put into words. Eloise is always with you; first during your life journey and then in your memories of her. We hope that thought brings you some comfort during this difficult time. With our deepest sympathy,
Paul and Kimber Spitsberg



Paul and Kimber Spitsberg - August 23, 2023 at 07:03 AM



“ Heavenly and Harmony was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas.



August 22, 2023 at 10:30 PM

JR

“ *John Ray lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas*



John Ray - August 22, 2023 at 05:35 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eloise R. Alderman Thomas.*



August 22, 2023 at 05:28 PM