



Ms. Alice Mae Bowie

August 23, 1930 - August 24, 2022

Ms. Alice Mae Bowie, age 92, passed away at 8:45 a.m. on Wednesday, August 24, 2022 at Huntington Health Hospital, Pasadena, California.

Alice was born on August 23, 1930 in Peoria, Illinois to Tecumseh and Esther (Thomas) Bush. She met and married Lawrence Bowie, Sr. They had four children, Lawrence Jr., Charles, Rene and Glenn. She raised her children to be honest and respectful in a loving Christian home.

Alice attended Manual High School, Peoria, IL and graduated with honors. Alice had a loving kind spirit, a great sense of humor, and a beautiful personality! Alice had a great singing voice and formed a group called The Bush Trio with sisters Alva and Vivian. She worked at Cohen Furniture Store for 30 years. Alice was a member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church and sang in the Young Adult Choir in addition to being the first president. Later, Alice joined Ward Chapel A.M.E. Church and was a member of the Missionary Society, Steward Board and Chancel Choir. She moved to California to escape the Peoria winters and to be closer to her children. After moving to Pasadena, CA she joined First A.M.E. Church under leadership of Rev. Dr. Larry E. Campbell and was a member of the 90+ club.

Alice leaves to cherish her most precious memories, her four loving children, Lawrence Bowie, Jr. of Baltimore, MD, Charles Bowie of San Diego, CA, Rene

Mitchell of Inglewood, CA and Glenn Bowie of Pasadena, CA; two sisters, Alva Mooney of Mansfield, OH and Vivian Wallace of Indianapolis, IN; two grandchildren, Sheri (Shannon) Lamie of Peoria, IL and Craig Mitchell of Inglewood, CA; three great grandsons, Trey Douglas and Tylon Lamie both of Peoria, IL and Jaidyn Urdiano of Oxnard, CA and a host of nieces, nephews other family and friends who loved her. She is preceded in death by her parents and brother, Charles Bush.

Funeral services will be held at 11 am on Saturday, September 17, 2022 at Ward Chapel A.M.E. Church with a visitation beginning at 10 am. Pastor Adrian Johnson will officiate and Rev. Arthur Williams, Sr. will bring forth the eulogy. Alice will be laid to rest at Parkview Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [SimonsMortuary.com](https://www.SimonsMortuary.com).

The service will be live streamed on Simons Mortuary's Website or Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150> promptly AT THE TIME OF THE SERVICE (Central Time).

Due to Covid-19, social distancing is encouraged to be consistent with recommendations from the National Funeral Directors Association (NFDA), funeral home directors have been instructed and should follow CDC guidelines on gatherings, including those directly related to funerals, visitations, or graveside services.

*In an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, we ask that everyone in attendance: wear a face mask and refrain from hugging, kissing and shaking hands (as hard as it is to see someone you care about and not touch them).

*It is our responsibility as Funeral Directors, to do everything we can to advise families in order to honor our beloved Families and to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

Cemetery Details

Parkview Cemetery

2001 N University St
Peoria, IL 61604
(309) 688-0733

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Ward Chapel A.M.E. Church
511 N Richard Allen Dr.,
Peoria, IL 61605
<http://www.wardchapelame.com/>

Funeral Service

SEP 17. 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM (CT)

Ward Chapel A.M.E. Church
511 N Richard Allen Dr.,
Peoria, IL 61605
<http://www.wardchapelame.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Alice Mae Bowie*



Simons Mortuary - September 19, 2022 at 05:08 PM



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Simons Mortuary - September 15, 2022 at 04:19 PM



“ *Ms. Alice Mae Bowie*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Ms. Alice Mae Bowie*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Burial at Parkview Cemetery*



Simons Mortuary - September 19, 2022 at 05:08 PM

PO

“ *My sincere condolences to the Bowie family. My mom and Ms Bowie sang in the choir at Ward Chapel AME Church and we're good friends. Often times we visited her and the family when they lived on E. Tripp. I have lots of fond memories.*

Pamela O'Neal - September 15, 2022 at 03:25 PM

PO

“ *Pamela O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Ms. Alice Mae Bowie*



Pamela O'Neal - September 15, 2022 at 03:15 PM

GC

“ *Our condolences to the Bowie Family. It was such a blessing to have known Ms Alice Bowie. She did so much for her church Ward Chapel AME.*
Gloria and Cleo Carter

Gloria Carter - September 14, 2022 at 11:56 AM

JM

“ John Mikle purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Ms. Alice Mae Bowie.



John Mikle - September 10, 2022 at 01:19 PM

KC

“ It has been a few years Glenn, but thank you for introducing me to your Mom; and allowing me to sing to her one evening. Your Mom reminded me of mine, with her gentle spirit and beautiful face; warm smile. God bless you for the son you were to her.

karen a clark - September 05, 2022 at 03:27 PM

SC

“ Such precious Memories of Mrs. Bowie and the entire Family! She was truly Beautiful...inside & out!! Our prayers for the Family with heartfelt condolences and deepest sympathy 🙏
Sherry Carter-Allen & Family



Sherry Carter-Allen - September 03, 2022 at 04:31 PM

AW

“ Sending love, prayers and condolences to the Bowie family. Your mom was a lovely lady~ may the love of friends and family carry you through your grief. Love Roland and Angela Walker



Angela Walker - September 03, 2022 at 10:58 AM

LC

“ L.A. Chamber purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Ms. Alice Mae Bowie.



L.A. Chamber - September 01, 2022 at 08:22 PM

MO

“ My deepest condolences to the Bowie family. Glenn, I wish I could give you the longest hug. To know you is to know how much you love your sweet Mother. Xoxo
- Melissa Offutt

Melissa Offutt - September 01, 2022 at 09:07 AM

KL

“ Chuck and Glenn, my deepest sympathies to you all and extended family. Although my memories of your mom are from our childhood, she was always kind and welcoming of my presence. May God bless all.

Kerry Leiby - August 31, 2022 at 08:33 PM