



## Bessie W. Parker

March 1, 1935 - February 10, 2020

Big Stone Gap, Virginia

Mrs. Bessie W. Parker 84, entered into heavenly rest on Monday, February 10th 2020, at Holston Valley Medical Center, TN.

She was a resident of Big Stone Gap, VA at the time of her passing. Bessie confessed that Christ was her Lord and savior at an early age and became a member of New Asia Baptist Church. She was employed at the Park Shop in downtown Tuscaloosa and she was a substitute school teacher.

Bessie was preceded in death by her husband: Edward Parker; her parents: Willis & Sophia Walker; and six brothers: Raymond Moore, Wallace Walker, Walter C. Walker, McKinley Walker, Charles Walker, and Oscar Walker.

Bessie known as "Sister/Aunt Bessie" leaves to cherish her memories her three sisters: Fannie Leggs of Big Stone Gap, VA; Gesna Kennedy of Tuscaloosa, AL; and Cora (Rosco) Roberts of St. Lois, MO. Two brothers: Owens (Barbara) Walker and Leslie (Yolanda) Walker of Atlanta, GA.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, February 22, 2020, at 11am at New Asia Baptist Church in Coaling, AL. Burial will follow in the church cemetery

An online register is available for Mrs. Parker at [www.holdingfuneralhome.com](http://www.holdingfuneralhome.com)

Holding Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Mrs. Bessie Parker.

# Cemetery Details

## New Asia Baptist Church Cemetery

10993 Hagler Coaling Road  
Coaling, AL 35453

# Previous Events

## Service

FEB 22. 11:00 AM (CT)

New Asia Baptist Church  
10993 Hagler Coaling Road  
Coaling , AL 35453

## Graveside Service

FEB 22 (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Bessie W. Parker*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *The ladies of the Mt. View Regional Medical Center Auxiliary will certainly miss Bessie coming by to say hello once or twice a week, as she visited her sister on 4th floor. My last words to her was I love you and be careful walking, its slick out there, she hugged me and said I love you too, and went with her ride. Barbara Caruso, Auxiliary Vice President, and Gift Shop Manager. Rest in Peace my friend.*

**Barbara Caruso** - February 24, 2020 at 11:21 AM



“ *Bessie was truly one of a kind. Her kind heart and warm smile lifted me up and helped me thru many hard times. I will miss her. I know she is walking those streets of gold and resting in the arms of Jesus!*

**Glenda Bolinskey** - February 14, 2020 at 12:49 AM



“ *Miranda DeBoard lit a candle in memory of Bessie W. Parker*



**Miranda DeBoard** - February 13, 2020 at 04:30 PM

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“ I Had The Distinct Pleasure Of Being Familiar With Such A 'CLASS ACT' Of Individual Woman That Holds No Punches Back" She Is ((In My Opinion)) Going To Be Missed By Many'. But I Truly Believe She's Content And Pleased With Her New Found Permanent Residents. "May Our Ultimate Creator Continue To Bestow Pleasing Contentment To Your New Found Home"... Sincerely' Brother M. Marks"



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**Michael Marks** - February 11, 2020 at 11:55 AM