



Flower Attendants

Family and Friends

Pallbearers

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Acknowledgement

The family of Ruby Dean Shorter Moon wishes to express thanks to each of you. We offer our most sincere gratitude for the love and all the kind gestures of condolences extended during our hours of bereavement. May God's richest blessings continue to be with you and your families.

The Family of Mrs. Ruby Dean Shorter

Special Acknowledgment

The family extends special thanks to Gloria Ali and all loving caregivers. Thank you for your compassionate care, dedicated service, and unwavering support of Ruby Dean and her family.

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Celebrating the Life of Mrs. Ruby Dean Shorter Moon

Sunrise
October 4, 1935
Sunset
June 16, 2026



Saturday | June 20, 2026
11:00 AM

Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church
**1881 Ben Arthur Road
Dawson, Georgia**

Reverend Dennis Shorter, Eulogist
Reverend Dr. Derrick T. Calhoun, Pastor

Her Life's Journey

Mrs. Ruby Dean Shorter Moon, beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and sister, affectionately called "Dean" by her siblings, passed away peacefully and entered her eternal home on June 16, 2026, at the age of 90, to wear her crown. She was born on October 4, 1935, in Dawson, Georgia, to the late Johnnie and Rena Billings Shorter. She graduated from Carver High School in Dawson, Georgia, and received a Certificate of Completion from La Roberts Modernistic School of Beauty Culture in Brooklyn, New York.

Ruby Dean lived a life rooted in kindness, faith, and devotion to her family. She was happiest when surrounded by the people she loved and could often be found tending her garden, where amaryllis, Hindu rope, and Mexican heather plants flourished under her attentive care. To Ruby Dean, flowers were more than plants—they were reminders of beauty, hope, and life's ever-changing seasons.

Ruby Dean accepted Christ at an early age and was a member of Saint Matthew Missionary Baptist Church. She enjoyed serving the church in many capacities. Her true love was singing in the choir. Dean remained a faithful and devoted member until her health declined.

For over thirty (30) years, Ruby worked at the Terrell Lee Service Center, where she cared for mentally challenged clients. She was also a master beautician. Ruby Dean enjoyed watching television, chewing bubble gum, and caring for her plants.

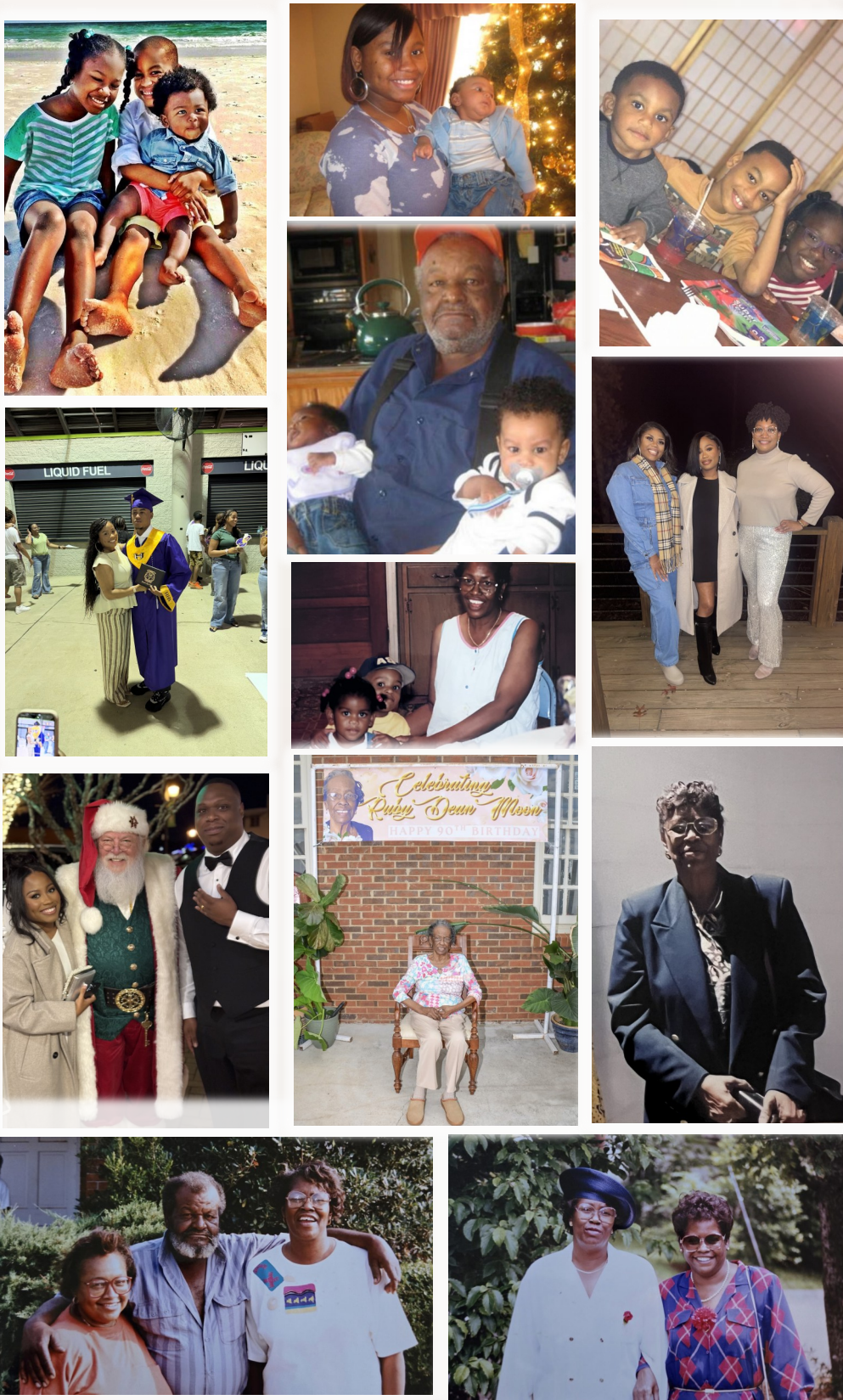
Ruby Dean was preceded in death by her husband of fifty (50) years, John Moon, and two siblings: Charlie Will Shorter and Mary Lee Lou-is.

She is survived by her son, Terence (Stephanie) Moon; daughter, Lisa (Chadwick) Moon Willis; five grandchildren: Brittney (Brandon) Brown Floyd of Brunswick, Georgia; Dana (Demario) Brown Wright of Atlanta, Georgia; Kaylin (Darius) Brown Johnson of Union Point, Georgia; Terence Bernard (Daysia) Moon II; and Tristan John Bernard Moon of Dawson, Georgia; eight great-grandchildren: Caiden Hann of Nashville, Tennessee; Journey Adeayo Adegbite, Brandon Lashawn Floyd, Jr., and Bryce Patrick Floyd of Brunswick, Georgia; Dakota Austin Griggs, Daisy Jae Johnson, and Daavi Jolie Johnson of Union Point, Georgia; and Teghan Lue Moon of Dawson, Georgia; one brother, David Lee (Bernice) Shorter; one sister, Margie Shorter Haley; three sisters-in-law: Mary L. Johnson Manning (Joe) of Atlanta, Georgia, Catherine Johnson Watts of Albany, Georgia, and Abbie Coleman Johnson of Huntsville, Alabama; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, and other family members whom she loved dearly.

We loved her, but God loved her best.

Ruby Dean's life was a beautiful garden, and her love will continue to blossom in the hearts of all who knew her.

Precious Memories



Order of Celebration

- Processional
- Prayer of Comfort
- Selection
- Old Testament
- New Testament
- Reflections
(Open—Two Minutes, Please)
- Selection
- Eulogy
Reverend Dennis Shorter
- Acknowledgments
C.O. Holloway's Staff
- Recessional
- Interment
Cedar Hill Cemetery
Dawson, Georgia