



SPRINGER-ALEXANDER
Virginia Diane

CELEBRATION OF
Life
FOR

SUNRISE January 1, 1949
SUNSET June 1, 2026

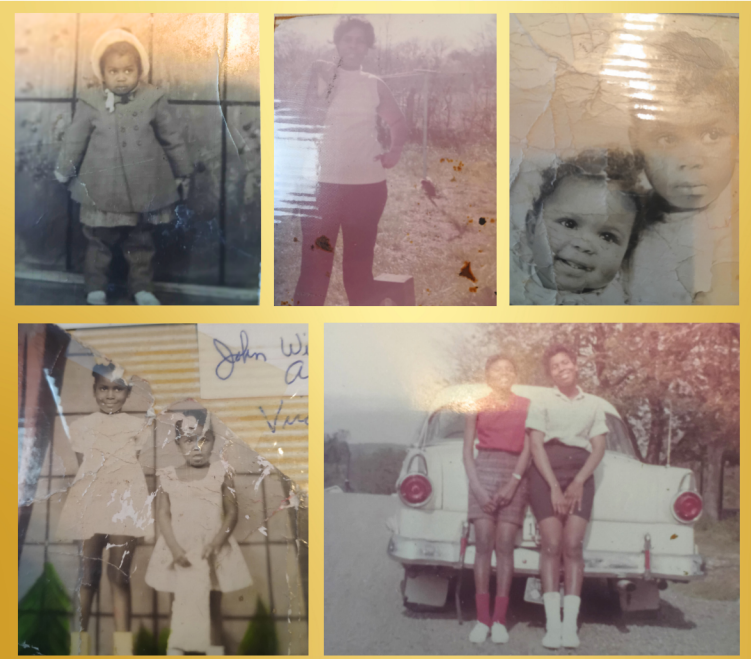
THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 2026

Family Visitation: 6:00 P.M.
Funeral Service: 7:00 P.M.

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Acknowledgements

The Springer-Alexander family wishes to express their deep appreciation for your presence, prayers, and kind expressions of sympathy during this difficult time. We are deeply grateful for the meals, the flowers, the stories shared, and the endless prayers during the duration of Sis Alexander's illness. A special thank you to Ascension Saint Thomas Rutherford, The Waters of Smyrna, Gentiva, Sand Hill Church of Christ, and Nelson & Sons Memorial Chapel for their exceptional care, continued support, and guidance. Your kindness will always be remembered by the family.



A Legacy of Love

Your beautiful digital visits are through,
But the love that you gave us remains ever true.
Our hearts bear the ache of a world without you,
Yet we smile through the tears for a mother we knew.
You built a grand legacy, broad and so deep,
Full of moments and memories we safely will keep.
Oh, how you loved us, and how you were loved,
Our sweet, gentle Punkin, now watching above.

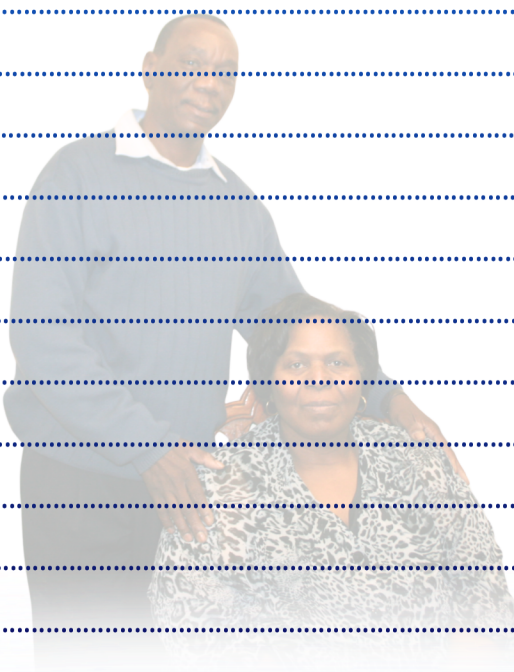
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Order of Service



Processional.....	The Family
Selection.....	Bro. Broderick Chunn
Scripture.....	Bro. Luis Vera
Prayer.....	Bro. Broderick Chunn
Selection.....	Bro. Brandon Nelson
Obituary.....	Read Silently
Words of Comfort.....	Bro. Ernest Taylor
Selection.....	Bro. Brandon Nelson
Words of Comfort.....	Bro. Demond Stone
Eulogy.....	Bro. Albert Nelson
Prayer.....	Bro. Broderick Chunn
Recessional Song.....	Bro. Demond Stone

Flower Bearers
Family & Friends

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Sis. Virginia Diane Springer-Alexander

Mrs. Virginia Diane Springer-Alexander, affectionately known to all as “Punkin”, peacefully departed this life at the age of 77 on Monday, June 1, 2026, at The Waters of Smyrna in Smyrna, Tennessee.

A Beautiful Beginning & Foundation

Virginia Diane was born on New Year's Day, January 01, 1949, in Davidson County, Nashville, Tennessee. Growing up in the vibrant heart of Nashville, she received her early education through the Davidson County Schools. Driven by a natural desire to heal and comfort others, she went on to earn her Nursing Degree, setting the stage for a lifetime of dedicated service.

Love, Family, and Devotion

At an early age, Diane was united in holy matrimony to Stanley Springer, Sr., who preceded her in death. Together, they laid a beautiful foundation of love and family. Later in life, she found love again and wed Perry Alexander. For 34 wonderful, blessed years, Diane and Perry stood side by side as devoted partners in life, sharing a deep bond, countless memories, and an enduring devotion to one another.

A Lifetime of Selfless Service

Diane's professional life was a reflection of her giant heart. Armed with her nursing background, she worked for many years as a Behavioral Social Worker. She dedicated her career to uplift, counsel, and advocate for displaced individuals and recovering addicts. She saw value in everyone and spent her days helping people rebuild their lives with dignity. Before retiring from Renewal Hause Recovery Home for Women and Children, Diane worked as a Life Enrichment Administrator. Beyond her career, "Punkin" always had time to show her love and care for other families. Although she wasn't a social bee, her doors and her heart were always open to anyone in need.

Her Greatest Joy

Nothing brought a brighter smile to Punkin's face than her family. In her later years, her absolute greatest joy was staying connected to her vast legacy. After many hours of learning how to text and video chat, she deeply cherished spending hours looking at photos and chatting via video calls with her many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Distance was never a barrier to her love, and those digital moments of laughter and updates were the highlights of her days.

Her Enduring Legacy

Diane “Punkin” Springer-Alexander was deeply loved by her many cousins and friends, leaving behind a legacy of absolute selflessness, warmth, and joy. She leaves to cherish and mourn her precious memory: Her loving husband: Perry Alexander; daughters: Danita, Latricia, and Fredricka; One son: Stanley Springer, Jr.; One sister: Sandra (deceased); Six protective brothers: John William, Michael, Barry (deceased), Alan, Orrin (Claudia), and Joseph (Yolanda); Sixteen grandchildren; Twenty-two great-grandchildren; A host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives, and lifelong friends.

Though her physical presence is gone, her bright spirit, her compassionate soul, and the love she so freely gave will live on forever in the hearts of everyone who knew her. Rest in peace, Punkin.