



MAUDE ANNA ALEXANDER

September 15, 1929 - October 11, 2013

ALEXANDER, MAUDE ANNA WHITE, 84, of Louisville, passed away Friday, October 11, 2013.

A devoted Christian; Maude was a loving, early childhood educator, textile and mixed media artist, poet, puppeteer, and storyteller.

She is survived by her beloved husband of 57 years, Jesse N. Alexander Jr., children; Jesse N. Alexander III, Virginia Alexander, Rhonda Glenn, and James Alexander Sr., grandchildren; James Alexander Jr. and Jessica Alexander; sister, Mary Wilford; brother, Rev. Charles R. White; nephews and nieces.

A memorial celebrating her life will be held 7 p.m. Wednesday, October 16, 2013 at Treyton Oak Towers, 211 W. Oak St.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the TOT Employee Scholarship Fund.

Tribute Wall

BB

“ One of the sweetest peas this side of heaven. Mr. Alexander, Jessie, Virginia, Rhonda and Jimmy, the memorial was beautifully executed. It was a privilege to be a witness to the love and creativity your wife and mother shared. There will never be a Kwanzaa that I won't think of her. Love you all.

Betty Baye - October 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Sister Alexander, Precious and Gentle, Gifted and Passionate she was a friend and a jewel in the kingdom of Christ, the Church. She is off to well deserved rest. Virginia, bless you and your father and sibllngs. Much Love to you in Christ.

Pastor Garry M - October 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ HEAVEN HAS GAINED A BEAUTIFUL FLOWER -NAUDE HAD A HEART OF GOLD A SMILE THAT COULD MELT YOUR HEART

JEANITTA HINKLE - October 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I never met Mrs. Alexander but her son is my uncle. He is so good to my aunt! God bless you rest in paradise.

Jazminne Haywood - October 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ Loving memories of a lovely lady.

Ann S - October 17, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *Mrs. Alexander was a very beautiful person. She was loved by many and I admired her greatly.*

Deloris White - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *My recollections of working with Maude go back to the 1990's when she and I both worked at John F. Kennedy Montessori. Since those years our paths have rarely crossed, but when I saw her picture in the paper this morning a deep sadness came over me. Hundreds, even thousands, of people cross our paths in this lifetime, however only a few touch our hearts and souls with their kind and generous spirit. Maude remains in my thoughts and heart as such a person - warm and caring but a valiant advocate for the welfare of children. Maude's soft-spoken and gentle manner combined with her creativity made a difference in the lives of the children and adults in her circle of influence. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends with the sure knowledge that her spirit has touched many, like me, who carry the essence of her spirit into the fabric of our daily lives and work. May Maude rest in peace as we carry her kindness and gentle nature with us to a waiting generation. May God's blessings surround you, her family and friends, in this time of grief. With my deepest sympathy, Patti Barron.*

Patti Barron - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

VW

“ To the Alexander family, Ms. Maude was a very special LADY!!! An outstanding artist and designer of many artifacts, a teacher, mentor and special friend...She always had a word of encouragement for everyone. Her contributions to the Louisville Community are too many to name. My husband and I will always remember the quite notes she sent for encouragement and support. It was an honor to know her. Abundant blessings and Peace to the family With warmest regards, Valerie and Robert White

Valerie White - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

FO

“ Mrs. Alexander was an exceptional person, friendly, very kind. and a great teacher, She was so kind to my mother while she lived in TOT. I will miss her . I am glad I was fortunate to know such a grand woman My prayers are with the family.

Faye Owens - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

YP

“ RIP Ms. Maude, my thoughts and prayers are with her family during their time of bereavement. I always admired Ms. Maude, she was a fine, outstanding and strong woman of God. To God be the glory for the things He has done!

Yvonne Parker - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Our sincerest sympathy to the Alexander family. Maude was a dear friend and neighbor when we lived in Montclair, NJ. We were newly weds when we moved to Montclair and our first encounter with Maude was when my wife locked herself out of our house and Maude passed by and saw her sitting on the porch. We had not met but Maude invited my wife to come down and stay at her house until I came home from work in New York city. We soon became friends with the whole family. We will remember her for her crafts, puppets, teaching and as a good friend.

James and Clementine Baker - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Will miss that smile that was not just for anyone, but for everyone. Just know that I will be looking for that smile to tell me you wanted to say hello. Love you, Auntie.

Joy Renee Alexander - October 16, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Virginia - it was wonderful to have met your mother through the LAFTA group. Thank you for sharing her with us. I know she will be missed but hopefully all the fond memories of her life will get you through the roughest spots. Best wishes, Felice Sachs

A friendOct - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Our sincerest sympathy for your loss and our ultimate joy that you have had this time with such a lovely soul. May you cherish your memories of time well spent and the love shared. - S.Bass and family

A friendOct - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

VH

“ *Maude was one of the dearest, sweetest, kindest persons I have ever known. She will be greatly missed. Love and prayers to the family in this difficult time,*

virginia H - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ *To Jesse, Virginia and family, Maude was my friend. I will miss talking with her. Love to all of you.*

Bonnie Lash Freeman - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GA

“ *My heart and prayers are with the family at this time.*

Gay Alexander - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *To Cousin Jessie and Family: Earth has no sorrow that Heaven can not heal. With deepest sympathy.*

Margaret Clay and Family - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

FT

“ *To the Alexander Family, your mom was a great lady. She was my reading teacher in the sixth grade. My condolences to the family. She will be missed. She is now at peace.*

Frank Taylor - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *My sincere condolences for your loss. May your memories provide comfort.*

Toni Baker - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *Mrs. Maude Alexander taught my daughter at Kennedy Montessori, a wonderful start to her learning experience. I saw her a few years ago and she continued to bless me with her wonderful spirit. You are in my prayers.*

Margaret Wilkerson - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ *To Jesse & Family: The greater the love the greater the loss. With deepest sympathy.*

Jannene Winstead Oct - October 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM