



## Alma Royal-Becton

May 17, 1922 - November 10, 2013

Mrs. Alma Royal-Becton received her heavenly wings on November 10, 2013 at 2:30 pm. She was born on May 17, 1922 to Eugene Smith and Fannie Tillman Smith.

Alma was the beloved widow of her first husband Dudley Royal Sr., and is the widower of the late Christopher Becton. She was a very active member of Progressive Baptist Church where she and her late Aunt Alma William Green were original members of the church and where she raised her five children and grandchildren. During her tenure, prior to her long illness, she lovingly gave many donations and financial blessings to her church, Progressive BC, over many years and was blessed to see the first renovation of the original building during the 1960 time, which was later destroyed by fire and have since been rebuilt at its current location.

She is survived by her five children, Barbara, Martha, Dudley, Charles, and Alma. Four sisters, Vivian, Shirley, Dorothy, Yvonne, and one brother Calvin Smith. Alma has 14 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren 8 great-great grandchildren.

Friends and families of the community and members of the Greater Ebenezer Baptist Church, Resurrection Life Worship Center of Leesville, LA, and Progressive Baptist Church of New Orleans are invited to attend.

Funeral services will be held at Greater Ebenezer Baptist Church, 2100 St. Roch, New Orleans, LA. Viewing will be held from 8-9 am and services 9-10 am. Interment to follow at Mount Olivet Cemetery, 4000 Norman Mayer

(Gentilly), New Orleans, LA

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Olivet Cemetery

4000 Norman Mayer Blvd.  
New Orleans, LA 70122

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 16. 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM (CT)

Greater Ebenezer Baptist Church  
2100 St. Roch Ave.  
New Orleans, LA

## Service

NOV 16. 9:00 AM (CT)

Greater Ebenezer Baptist Church  
2100 St. Roch Ave.  
New Orleans, LA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Pure Faith Pillow was purchased for the family of Alma Royal-Becton.*



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November 15, 2013 at 12:53 PM



“ *Mama I am going to miss you so so much I just can't seem to find the right words to express my inner feeling right now because it is hurting me so much knowing that you are not going to be here with not just me but the rest of the family but mama your mission is completed so rest on imma miss you and maybe we will meet again.I love you kissssssssss your grandson Reginald Davis*

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**Reginald Davis** - November 14, 2013 at 04:58 PM