



## Verna Dean Gaspard

December 27, 2017

Verna Dean Gaspard entered into rest on Wednesday, December 27, 2017 at the age of 65. Husband of Donald Gaspard Sr. Daughter of the late Arvene Owens and Ruby Owens. Mother of Tracy Owens Jackson (Kevin), Donald Gaspard Jr. (Jakoa), Marvelle Gaspard-Baker (Randy), Roynell Gaspard, Stephanie Gaspard (Andre) and Shantal Gaspard (Nate). Sister of Rayville Lewis (Helen), Robert Owens, Eldora Martin (Lindsey), Linda Faye Owens, Lindsey Ray Owens, Rene Owens (Erin) and the late Rocky Owens.

Grandmother of Marquis Montgomery, Thaila Dillon, Kailyn Baker, Kameron Baker, Jamie N. Welsh, Donald Gaspard III, Kyndal Jackson, Kelsey Jackson, Dillon Gaspard and the late Decatur Gaspard. She is also survived by 3 goddaughters Angela Price, Roshanda Salvant and Kamecha Salvant and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends. Verna attended Southwest Community College in Mississippi and was a Retired Teacher of the Orleans Parish School Board where she taught juveniles at the Orleans Parish Prison.

Relatives and friends of the family as well as employees of the Orleans Parish School Board and Domino Sugar Refinery are invited to attend the funeral service at 11:00 AM on Friday, January 5, 2018 at Rhodes Chapel, 3933 Washington Ave. Visitation will be from 9:00 AM until 11:00 AM. Interment: Providence Cemetery. Please visit [www.rhodesfuneral.com](http://www.rhodesfuneral.com) to share online condolences.



# Cemetery Details

## Providence Park Cemetery

8200 Airline Dr.  
Metairie, LA 70003

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 5. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Rhodes Funeral Home - Washington Avenue  
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## Service

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