



## Mrs. Cleo Patra Chase

December 26, 1934 - March 6, 2024

Cleo Patra Chase was born on December 26, 1934, in Washington, DC and transitioned from this earthly home on March 6, 2024, at home in Fairfax, Virginia.

Cleo was raised in Bailey's Crossroad by her beloved parents Randolph Sr. and Arillian (Lyons) Pinkett. Cleo was born into a loving and energetic family consisting of 9 siblings. She graduated from Manassas Regional High School in 1953. She continued to live in the Bailey's Crossroads area off and on for a significant portion of her life. She also was an active member of the Social Seniors of Bailey's Crossroads.

Cleo was employed by the Fairfax County Public School System for over 20 years as a dedicated Bus driver and later bus attendant for children in the Special Education department. Prior to her employment with FCPS she worked for AT&T also for over 20 years.

Cleo was an advent reader and would give the books to family and friends for their enjoyment. She enjoyed traveling, bingo, card games and was a member of her local softball team. She enjoyed watching Baseball and the NFL on television and would call her loved ones to discuss the games. Especially if her team was winning.

She was known for her quick wit and great sense of humor. She had an infectious smile and contagious laugh. She also enjoyed eating with the ones she loved and was a fashionista with an elegant and classy style.

However, she was her most fulfilled when serving the GOD. Cleo was an active member of Macedonia Baptist Church in Arlington, Virginia since 1975. She was a member of several choirs, usher board and enjoyed traveling with the church to sing or attend service at other congregations.

Cleo was preceded in death by her husband Elijah Chase, son Terry Andre Chase, great-grandson Tazarie Emonte Butler, parents Randolph Sr. and Arlillian (Lyons) Pinkett; siblings, Alfred Pinkett, Marion (Pinkett) Harris, Randolph Jr. Pinkett, Mable (Pinkett) Woodson, Emma (Pinkett) Britton, Jean (Pinkett) Summers. Clifton Pinkett and Keith Pinkett; dear friend Esther Carter. Loved ones left to cherish her memory are two granddaughters Tara Chase (Dawayne) and Shanna Lowery (Von); nine great-grandchildren Trinity Mccoy, Dajuan Mccoy, Zoria Mccoy, Zyann Mccoy, Azyiah Lowery, Azariah Lowery, Bruce Lawrence, Divine Mccoy and Chartan Clowney; 4 great-great grandchildren; sibling Carroll Lee Pinkett; close nieces Carol Pinkett and Karen Bass; close nephews Everett Bass and Bryan Burris; close loved ones De Armond Carter, Jocelyn Carter and Blanche Terry; and a host of other family, friends and loved ones.

Cleo was the embodiment of the quote live, laugh and love. She lived a full blessed life and now gets to rest. She will be missed by many but never forgotten and forever loved.

## Cemetery Details

**Private Alexandria, VA**

## Previous Events

### Memorial Service

MAR **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Macedonia Baptist Church  
3412 22nd St. South  
Arlington, VA 22204

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