



Alice W. Brian

April 15, 1939 - August 29, 2022

Alice Wayne Brian was born a twin girl in Rusk County, Tx to Wilmer & Cleotic (Hendon) Whitehead. She attended Gaston School, graduating in 1957. She then married Jerry Wallace Brian & had two sons, Rick & Kelly. In the mid 1960's Jerry got a job & the family moved to Anchorage Alaska. Jerry lost his life in an accident at work in the Cook Outlet oilfields in Dec of 1970. Alice stayed in Alaska & raised her two sons as a single mother. She was a very determined person & did whatever she needed to do to provide for her sons. She waited tables, worked clerical jobs & finally worked for 20 yrs for IBEW Chugach Electric, where she retired. Later, in the mid 1990's she married Jack Buchannan. When retirement time came they decided to move to Arizona in 1999. Jack passed away July of 2000. Her two sons moved from Alaska to Arizona to be near their Mom after she lost Jack. Her son Rick passed away in 2010. Her son Kelly continued living near his Mother. Her sons had been deeply devoted to her. She passed away August 29, 2022 in Arizona after a battle with cancer.

Alice was preceded in death by both her husbands; her son, Rick Brian; her sisters: Margaret Douglas (Fred), Catherine Cates (Casey), Marie Ross (Bill), Hazel Wade (Bobby), Opal "Chris" Thorne (Bob), her twin sister, Jane Capps (Gene), Jo Pankratz (Glen). her brothers: LaVerne Whitehead (Lorene), James Whitehead (Betty), Buddy Whitehead (Faye) & Billy Whitehead (Rita). She is survived by her son, Kelly Brian of Arizona. Grandchildren: Jerry Brian of California, Breanna Brian, Zack P. Brian & Hannah "Dominique" Brian, all of

Alaska. Two great-grandchildren: August Brian & Lila Hoefmeister, both of Alaska.

A Memorial graveside service will be held at 11 am, Monday, June 5, 2023 at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Rusk Co, officiated by Brother Steve Butler. Her cremains will be placed with her first husband, Jerry Wallace Brian.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Hill Cemetery

Hwy 323
Henderson, TX 75652

Previous Events

Memorial Graveside

JUN 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DO

“ *dom lit a candle in memory of Alice Brian* ”



dom - March 13 at 08:08 PM

DO

“ *Dom lit a candle in memory of Alice W. Brian* ”



dom - January 22 at 11:24 PM

DO

“ *went to go see your house a while ago.. i miss you* ”



dom - November 12, 2025 at 01:40 PM

DO

“ *goodnight, another week gone by.* ”



dom - August 01, 2025 at 08:49 AM

DO

“ dom sent a virtual gift in memory of Alice Brian



dom - July 21, 2025 at 02:59 PM

DO

“ another week another i miss you



dom - July 17, 2025 at 10:58 AM

DO

“ i see your smile everytime i look in the mirror

dom - July 14, 2025 at 03:23 AM

DO

“ dom lit a candle in memory of Alice Brian



dom - July 14, 2025 at 03:23 AM

DO

“ *dom lit a candle in memory of Alice Brian*



dom - July 04, 2025 at 08:15 AM

DO

“ *PGA is today.*



dom - July 03, 2025 at 10:08 AM

DO

“ *just finished a long work week, the stories i wish i could tell you of what i saw this week*



dom - July 03, 2025 at 10:07 AM

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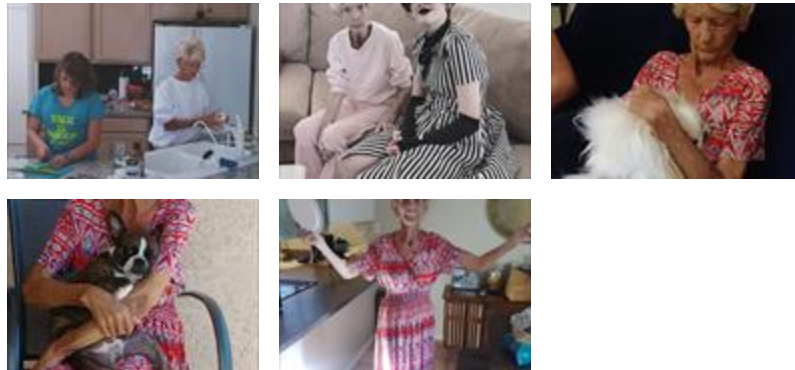
“ *dom sent a virtual gift in memory of Alice Brian*



dom - June 30, 2025 at 08:41 PM

DO

“ 11 files added to the tribute wall



dom - June 29, 2025 at 03:11 PM

DO

“ dom sent a virtual gift in memory of Alice Brian



dom - June 29, 2025 at 03:06 PM

DO

“ miss you nanny



dom - June 29, 2025 at 03:05 PM

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“ *Annette Lochridge lit a candle in memory of
Alice Brian* ”



Annette Lochridge - May 30, 2023 at 06:37 PM