



## Violet Kearsse

September 7, 1928 - April 7, 2024

Violet Kearsse of New Brunswick, NJ died April 7, 2024. Services will be held Wednesday, April 17, 2024, at Tabernacle Baptist Church, 239 George Street, New Brunswick. The viewing will begin at 9am, followed by the funeral at 10am. Pastor Ryan Buckland will officiate.

Violet Kearsse was born September 7, 1928. She was the daughter of the late Elizabeth Amanda Weaver Berry and Charles Richard Berry, Sr. She passed from this life on April 7, 2024, at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital, New Brunswick, New Jersey.

A lifelong resident of New Brunswick, she attended the New Brunswick School System. She met and married her sweetheart, John William Kearsse, Sr., on September 18, 1948. From that union, they were blessed with seven children, the couple was married for sixty-seven years until John's passing on August 12, 2016.

At ninety years old, she gave her life to the Lord and was baptized at Tabernacle Baptist Church, New Brunswick, New Jersey. Ms. Vi, as she was called, loved to play board games with residents at her Livingston Avenue residence. She occasionally liked going to the casino.

Violet was predeceased by her parents, Elizabeth and Charles Berry, Sr.; siblings, Willa Berry, Martha C. Berry, Charles R. Berry, Gloria Berry; husband, John W. Kearsse, Sr. and son Gilbert Brian Kearsse.

Violet leaves to cherish fond memories, 7 children, John W. Kearsse, Jr.,

Constance M. Kearse, Beverly Barnes, Gloria Kearse, Hope D. Atkinson, Roger Bruce Kearse; 13 grandchildren; 22 great grandchildren; 7 great-great grandchildren; niece, Beatrice Green; nephew, Alfred Berry; sister-in-la Robin Briggs and a host of friends.

Special acknowledgements: Rev. Linda Wilson, Deaconess Denise Hughley, Bona Powell, Felicia Ortiz, Alice Carter and her cherished Pokeno group.

# Previous Events

## Church Viewing

APR 17. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Tabernacle Baptist Church Of New Brunswick  
239 George St  
New Brunswick, NJ 08901  
(732) 545-4063

## Church Service

APR 17. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Sending our Deepest Condolences to the family. Praying for comfort in your time of loss.*

*Sheila and Donald Ransom* 🙏❤️🙏

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**Donald Ransom** - April 16, 2024 at 10:03 PM