



Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop

November 21, 1964 - January 25, 2025

Sarah Ann Bishop, "Say-ran" "Mookie" was born Sarah Ann Randle in West Point, MS to the union of Catherine Gardner and Jessie D. Randle on November 21, 1964. An avid Green Wave football fan, Sarah moved to Starkville, MS after marrying Rory Bishop - Starkville Yellow Jackets' biggest fan. The house was divided when the games began.

Sarah Ann accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at Fountainhead Baptist Church in West Point, MS. Sarah Ann quickly realize how much of a jokester she was, and through all of the jokes and tricks she managed to get her high school diploma from M&I College in West Point in 1983. After graduation she joined the workforce in different retail outlets until she became a CNA and worked at Starkville Manor and The Carrington nursing homes. This was her last position she held before becoming a stay at home mom to her adopted son- her boy, Kendrikus Bishop.

Sarah Ann had a BIG personality that commanded attention, would light up a room and make anybody laugh until they cried. She was one of the most caring individuals you could ever know and showed it in different ways by sacrificing her time and energy to help support others. On any given day, you could find Sarah Ann, and her road dog, Tara, all over Starkville going from store to store and church to church, buying and collecting food, clothing,

toiletries and the like to distribute to others who were not able to do so themselves. It was not uncommon for anyone, even strangers, to walk into their home and get a hot meal or a quick snack. She was known for this care and love throughout the golden triangle area. She was a strong believer and became the church by being the hands and feet of Jesus.

Sarah Ann Bishop transitioned over to eternal life on January 25, 2025, at the age of 60 at St. Dominic Hospital in Jackson, MS. Sarah was a giver, even unto death, as she was an organ donor. Gifting life to someone else. She was preceded in death by: her mother, Catherine Gardner; her father, Jessie Randle Sr.; her brothers: Donell Gardner, Bobby Randle, Ervin Gardner, William Gardner and John Randle; her sisters: Essie Bell Randle and Josie Mcfan; and a Brother-in-law, Sgt. Kendrick Bishop, Sr.

She leaves to cherish her memories: her Husband of 30 years Rory Bishop; her son, Kendrick Bishop of Starkville, MS; stepdaughter, Adrian Bishop of Boston, MA; Brothers: Perry Gardner (Lynda) of Flint Michigan, Edward Saul (Darlene) of Chicago, IL, Henry Randle (Carlton) of St Louis MO, Jessie Gardner (Ella), Frank Randle (Wanda), Daniel Randle, Charles Randle; and Sisters: Mary Johnson (Stanley), Linda Faye Randle all of West Point, MS, Hattie Randle, Minnie Randle of St. Louis, MO; Mother-in-law, Mary Ann Bishop; brother-in-laws: Kelvin Bishop, Marcus Bishop (Suprenda) all of Starkville, MS, Eddie James Skinner of CO; sister-in-laws: Tara Bishop, Latricia Bishop (Charlie), Elizabeth Frazier-Bishop all of Starkville, MS, Kena Keys (Thomas) of Olive Branch, MS and Trish Skinner of OH; 5 grandchildren in Boston; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and neighbors who greatly miss her presence.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Hairston and Hairston Funeral Home Chapel - Starkville
112 Earnest H. Jones Jr. Dr.
Starkville, MS 39759

Chapel Service

FEB 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Starkville, MS 39759
(662) 323-5854

Tribute Wall

MS

“ *Macie Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Macie Sanders - February 14, 2025 at 11:29 PM

BJ

“ *Bonita Jordan sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Bonita Jordan - February 11, 2025 at 09:01 PM

GH

“ *So sorry for the loss*

Gary L Hart - February 09, 2025 at 09:31 PM

RC

“ *Robin Cooper sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Robin Cooper - February 08, 2025 at 03:12 PM

MC

“ *Mary Clark lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Mary Clark - February 08, 2025 at 01:58 PM

LG

“ *Love you sis in law*



Lynda Gardner - February 08, 2025 at 01:19 PM



“ *WPHS CLASS OF 1987, we stand with you, our brother Frank Tank Randle, on the passing of your sister. We love you.*

Yolanda Ewing-Tate - February 08, 2025 at 11:41 AM

BF

“ *Sending Prayers and Condolence to the Bishop and the Randle family. Also to all of her many friends and loved ones. You will truly be missed by all, my friend. R.I.P SARAH!* 🙏🙏🙏🙏💖



Bessie Ferguson - February 07, 2025 at 09:39 AM

MM

“ Marguerite Moore sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Marguerite Moore - February 06, 2025 at 09:52 PM

BR

“ Billy Randle lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Billy Randle - February 06, 2025 at 07:52 PM

BR

Cuz you will truly be missed!
Every time we ran across each other you would always have that beautiful smile on your face
Rest well and we shall meet again!!!❤️🙏❤️🙏

Billy Randle - February 06, 2025 at 07:56 PM

YC

“ Sending love and prayers to the Bishop and Randle families. Always cherish your precious memories. 🙏🙏🙏🌹

The Bardwell and Cox Family 🙏



Yvonne B Cox - February 06, 2025 at 07:31 PM

RL

“ Rhomeka Lathan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Rhomeka Lathan - February 06, 2025 at 06:45 PM

GR

“ Glenda Roberts sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Glenda roberts - February 06, 2025 at 06:14 PM

RR

“ Praying for the family, Sarah was a sweet loving person ! She will be missed! Minister Pam Robinson and family!

Robinson Robinson - February 06, 2025 at 05:35 PM

LB

“ Latricia Bishop lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Latricia bishop - February 06, 2025 at 02:44 PM

LB

“ Sarah was a True sister. She loved everybody. She was never met a stranger. She was there with a heart full of gold for anybody. God plucked a good one, when he chose her. I loved he so much. Rest in peace my sweet sister.

Latricia bishop - February 06, 2025 at 02:40 PM

JM

“ Rest in peace. Sending my sincere condolences to love ones.

Juanita Manning-Tate - February 06, 2025 at 07:29 AM

RM

“ Till we meet again a true friend love always



Ron Miller - February 06, 2025 at 02:54 AM

KW

“ King Watkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



King Watkins - February 06, 2025 at 02:35 AM

KW

She was a very sweet classmate

King Watkins - February 06, 2025 at 02:36 AM

VJ

“ 🙏🙏🙏

Virginia Jones - February 06, 2025 at 01:30 AM

LO

“ *Lucretia Orr lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Lucretia Orr - February 05, 2025 at 10:27 PM



OUR PRAYERS AND CONDOLENCES ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY DURING THIS TIME MAY GOD PEACE LOVE JOY AND COMFORT BE WITH YOU ALL IN JESUS NAME AMEN. 🙏❤️🙏✝️🙏

February 06, 2025 at 12:05 AM

LM

“ *Lillian Manning lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Lillian Manning - February 05, 2025 at 10:25 PM

EM

“ *Emma Mays lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Emma Mays - February 03, 2025 at 03:12 PM

LB

“ *Laketia Brooks sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Laketia Brooks - February 02, 2025 at 07:00 PM

MJ

“ *Rest up Sis until we meet again.*

mary johnson - February 01, 2025 at 11:20 PM

BR

“ *Barbara Roberson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Barbara Roberson - February 01, 2025 at 10:22 AM

MC

“ *Mary Clark lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Mary Clark - February 01, 2025 at 09:01 AM

RM

“ Sarah I'll miss you so much! Comfort to the family!



Rita Madison - January 30, 2025 at 05:09 PM

RM

“ We'll miss you my love! You were a pillar of kindness how you selflessly cared for others. You took care of anyone in need. Rest on my sista! Until we meet again! God called you but gone too soon for me.....
Regina McDowell - Starkville



Regina McDowell - January 30, 2025 at 05:06 PM

RB

“ Renee Meshell Bullock lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Renee Meshell Bullock - January 30, 2025 at 11:39 AM

FR

“ Faye Randle lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Faye Randle - January 30, 2025 at 10:42 AM

AN

“ *Annie Norman sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Annie Norman - January 30, 2025 at 10:38 AM

TS

“ *Love you Aunt*

Tjuana Smith - January 30, 2025 at 09:54 AM

KW

“ *King Watkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



King Watkins - January 30, 2025 at 07:26 AM

KG

“ *I love you always and forever TT*



Kila Gardner - January 30, 2025 at 07:04 AM

BJ

“ Bruce And Dana Jefferson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Bruce and Dana Jefferson - January 29, 2025 at 11:39 PM

AB

“ Sending my heartfelt condolences to the entire family,praying for strength & comfort 🙏🙏🙏



Ann Bishop-Harris - January 29, 2025 at 04:25 PM

BH

“ BARBARA WILLIAMS HILL sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



BARBARA WILLIAMS HILL - January 29, 2025 at 01:52 PM

HG

“ Helen Glenn lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop



Helen Glenn - January 29, 2025 at 01:18 PM

RM

“ *Rodney & Towanda Miles lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Sarah Ann Bishop*



Rodney & Towanda Miles - January 29, 2025 at 10:23 AM