



Mrs. Christene Hollin

May 16, 1931 - September 13, 2025

Christene Hollin was born on May 16, 1931, in Bluff City, Arkansas, to her parents, the late Tom and Ardie Mae Smith. She was the third child among ten siblings. Throughout her life, Christene experienced the loss of many loved ones, including her husband, Johnnie Hollin Sr.; four children: Leon Hollin, Victoria Jones, Johnnie Hollin Jr., and Jerry Hollin; eight siblings: Mae Dell Wincher, Annie Payne, Horace Smith, Hudson Smith, Garland Smith, Thomas (Joe) Smith, Ruthella Smith, and Mary Smith; as well as a special son-in-law, Harold Sanders.

Christene accepted Christ at a young age and remained a devoted lifelong member of New Hope Baptist Church in Falcon, Arkansas. At the church, she served faithfully in several roles, including Church Clerk, Choir President, and Deaconess until her health declined. Her commitment to her faith and her church community was evident in all aspects of her life.

Known affectionately by many as "Momma Tene," Christene was cherished by everyone who knew her. She found joy in singing, gardening, fishing, cooking, and helping others, but above all, she loved spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Christene cared deeply for children in her life, whether they were related by blood or simply close to her heart.

Christene leaves behind two daughters, Bertha Sanders and Peggy Edwards

(Jimmy); two sons, Glen Hollin and Bruce Hollin; one brother, Louise Smith; a special grandson, Davonte Hollin, whom she lovingly raised as her own child; and a very special friend, Luester Williams. She is also survived by numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, and a large circle of family and friends who will continue to cherish her memory.

Celebration of Life services will be held Sunday, September 21st, 2025, at R.L. Reed Funeral Home Chapel in Magnolia, Arkansas at 1:00 p.m., with burial to follow at New Hope Cemetery in Falcon, Arkansas, under the direction of R.L. Reed Funeral Home, LLC. Minister Elaine Haynie, Eulogist.

Visitation will be Friday, {Sep. 19th}, from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. at R.L. Reed Funeral Home in Magnolia, Arkansas.

“For precaution due to the COVID-19, Masks are Encouraged but Not Required While Attending the Services and During Visitation Hours. However, wearing masks ensures safety for you and others. Thank you.”

Cemetery Details

New Hope Cemetery

Nevada Rd #4
Falcon, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **19**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

R.L. Reed Funeral Home
100 Hwy 79 North
Magnolia, AR 71753
(870) 901-3536

Celebration of Life

SEP **21**. 1:00 PM (CT)

R.L. Reed Funeral Home Chapel
100 HWY 79 NORTH
Magnolia, AR

Tribute Wall

TG

“ *The Edwards Family and grandchildren purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Christene Hollin.*



The Edwards Family and grandchildren - September 20, 2025 at 11:37 AM



“ *My condolences to the family*



Debra Hendricks - September 19, 2025 at 07:49 PM

HG

My sincere condolence and prayers to the family be blessed

Hazel Gantt - September 20, 2025 at 02:38 PM

OJ

“ *praying for the family God Bless*



Olivia Yarbrough Johnson - September 19, 2025 at 07:26 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mrs. Christene Hollin.*



September 19, 2025 at 07:08 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mrs. Christene Hollin.

September 19, 2025 at 07:08 PM



“ *Mary S. Pickings lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



Mary S. Pickings - September 19, 2025 at 06:44 PM



“ *Sandra Page sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



Sandra Page - September 19, 2025 at 08:42 AM

SP

“ *Sandra Page lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



Sandra Page - September 19, 2025 at 08:40 AM

WG

“ *Wanda Gulley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



wanda Gulley - September 18, 2025 at 09:00 PM

MM

“ *Melvin Madison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



Melvin Madison - September 18, 2025 at 07:30 PM

DM

“ *Hello, sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and the family. May God continue to hold you in His loving arms as you go through this trying time. With love from your cousins, the Morris family in Chidester. Debra Morris*



Debra Morris - September 18, 2025 at 05:00 PM

KL

“ Kenya Love lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin



Kenya Love - September 17, 2025 at 01:17 PM

PM

“ Prayers for the family.



Peggy Martin-Weaver - September 17, 2025 at 12:00 PM

KT

“ Kathy, Vicki, Stacy, Tracy and Tami purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Christene Hollin.



Kathy, Vicki, Stacy, Tracy and Tami - September 17, 2025 at 09:57 AM

KL

“ Keosha Love sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin



Keosha Love - September 17, 2025 at 09:36 AM

TS

“ *Sending our prayers and deepest condolences* ”



Tressa Smith - September 15, 2025 at 11:28 PM

HF

“ *Hazel Mask Smith And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin* ”



Hazel Mask Smith and Family - September 15, 2025 at 07:55 PM

HF

“ John 11: 26

“Whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die”.

To this Loving family; you are in my prayers at this time and always. 🙏🏻🕊️ Cousin Christine

“Mama Teen” was certainly a Jewel, a Sweet, Beautiful and Kind lady with Love in her heart for everyone. I have so many happy memories of her, particularly, how she and her late Husband Deacon Hollins would sing “I’m Over Troubled Waters And I’m Glad”; along with many other songs. She kept singing and serving God, after he was called to that Heavenly home. Family, continue to trust in God; cast all of your cares upon Him; for he cares for you. 🙏🏻

💜 The Lord will give you strength to carry on. Thank God for the Beautiful memories and a life well lived. We pray to see her again on that Great day! Rest in Love and Peace “Mama Teen” Cousin

Chris, we love you but, God loves you more. 🙏🏻🕊️🌹

God bless you all and keep you in his care. 🙏🏻💚

Prayers, Love and Blessings always! 🙏🏻❤️

Hazel, Evante and Lee Smith Family



Hazel Mask Smith and Family - September 15, 2025 at 07:55 PM

SM

“ I send all love and prayers to the family. I pray for God's comfort and peace at this time. Mama Tene legacy is as beautiful as her spirit and smile and will live through each of her family, friends and everyone she touched. Keep the laughter, love and lessons close to your hearts.

Sally Muldrow - September 15, 2025 at 09:11 AM

MS

Blessings and Much Love to the FAMILY.

Mary Ann Smith, Curry - September 17, 2025 at 11:46 AM

CG

“ Prayers for the family 🙏🙏🙏
Mother Christine was would always do her
best to make sure everyone around her felt
loved and she would let you know when you
were wrong also.



Chrystal Gulley - September 14, 2025 at 08:29 PM

CP

“ Prayers to her family



Chealesa parsha - September 14, 2025 at 07:31 PM

AS

“ Alfredia Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of
Mrs. Christene Hollin



Alfredia Smith - September 14, 2025 at 06:23 PM

BW

“ May your hearts find peace through the healing power of love.
Deepest Sympathy

Brenda Williams - September 14, 2025 at 02:52 PM

CD

“ *Carla Dockery-Sanders sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



Carla Dockery-Sanders - September 14, 2025 at 09:37 AM

LW

“ *Lakesha Witcher lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



Lakesha Witcher - September 14, 2025 at 07:41 AM

LS

“ *My deepest and heartfelt condolences to Christine's family*

Lisa Blakely Sherman - September 14, 2025 at 05:27 AM

SG

“ *Shannon Guthrie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



shannon Guthrie - September 13, 2025 at 11:28 PM

BH

“ A

Christine was a blessing not only to us, but so many more people. We know she was welcomed into Heaven with open arms 💕💕 She was always a hard worker, but always with a smile on her face. Go rest high on that mountain, lady ! You have earned your blessings

💕

Bill and Sue Hamilton - September 13, 2025 at 11:27 PM

ST

“ *May the Lord comfort you all through this time. Praying for her family!*



Sharon Taylor - September 13, 2025 at 10:33 PM

AL

“ *My deepest condolences, such a beautiful soul....*

Armegine Lee - September 13, 2025 at 08:11 PM

MM

“ *Melvin Madison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Christene Hollin*



Melvin Madison - September 13, 2025 at 07:47 PM

MG

“ Praying for the family 🙏



Marjory green - September 13, 2025 at 07:20 PM

BH

“ PRAYERS TO THE HOLLINS FAMILY YOU
ALL HAVE MY HEARTFELT
CONDOLENCES 🌹



Barbara Heard - September 13, 2025 at 07:10 PM

LE

“ So sorry for your loss you have my
condolences



Loretta Evans - September 13, 2025 at 07:00 PM

BH

Sending prayers hugs and love out to tha family

Beverly Harris - September 13, 2025 at 07:37 PM