



Darlene Jane Gibson-Stewart

July 21, 1937 - May 22, 2022

DARLENE JANE STEWART, of Baltimore, MD, built quite the legacy in her 84 years with us. Born and raised in Philadelphia, PA, Darlene always had a strong sense of family. She is survived by: her brother, Charles Gibson; her husband, Charles Stewart; her children, Eric and Michelle; her grandchildren, OmAllah, Eric, Alexis, Brandon, N'Dera, Kaiy, Destiny and Camille; her great-grandson, Ebrahmin; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

She was a woman who shared her truth through anecdotal stories, dancing and poetry recitations while holding space for you to honor yours. Ask any of her family about line dancing, and why she refused to eat tomato soup or polenta. Darlene proudly attended Girls High and later Temple University in Philadelphia.

It was at Temple that she met Chaz, her beloved husband of 62 years. Lene and Chaz are notoriously inseparable and a strong example for anyone who was fortunate enough to meet them.

Mrs. Stewart valued education, having taught in the school systems for 42 years. After she retired, Mrs. Stewart could still be found teaching if her students were smart enough to listen.

Darlene was a woman of leadership and service; to the Order of the Eastern Stars, the Daughters of Isis, her church and her community.

Mean Lene was a survivor! After beating breast cancer more than fifty years ago, she battled with lung cancer for the last ten years of her life. Whether you got rounded up into Mean Lean's posse or not, you got to bear witness to an unwavering symbol of grace, strength and hope.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 3. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center
5616 Old Court Rd.
Randallstown, MD

Wake

JUN 4. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ To view the service of Mrs. Stewart please click the link that says View Webcast.



March Funeral Homes - June 04 at 08:56 AM

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“ I will truly miss you. You were my mentor. I will miss going to breakfast with you and Chaz every Saturday. Love you -Jill.

JILL RILEY - June 05 at 03:15 PM



“ Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Darlene Jane Gibson-Stewart.



June 02 at 01:02 PM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - May 25 at 10:21 AM