



Barbara Lee Davis

November 11, 1940 - April 28, 2014

Barbara Lee Jones was born on November 11, 1940 in Richmond, Virginia. On April 28th, 2014, Barbara Lee joined her mother Pansie, her father Howard, and her sister Lillie on the “Golden Street of Heaven.” Barbara grew up in Richmond and at an early age she attended Good Shepherd Baptist Baptist Church with her father and mother.

At the age of 12, Barbara met her lifelong friend, Ethelyn Howard Parker and William Smith, (Brother Martin DePorres), who invited her to worship with their families in the old Pollard House on 27th Street. Barbara was one of the first members of Holy Rosary Catholic Mission under the Redemptorist Priests and was baptized by Father Raymond Schantz.

Barbara began her formative education in the Richmond Public Schools, graduating from St. Patrick’s Catholic High School class of 1959. Barbara began her professional career at the Medical College of Virginia. She worked as a Laboratory Technician in the Neurology Department under Dr. Cary Sutter. Barbara retired from the Pathology Department after more than 30 years of dedicated service.

She was married to Richard Arlen Davis, and to this union one daughter, Kimberly Maris Davis was born. She was a member of the American Business Women Association. She enjoyed cooking and she could make the best

potato salad and fruit cake you could put in your mouth. One of her prized accomplishments was having her recipe, "Barbara's Fruit Cake" published in the Holy Rosary Cookbook. One of her part-time ventures was selling "Avon" not for financial gain, but for the friendship of her clients. Barbara was known for her summer cookouts, not only did you leave full of her delicious potato salad, and crabs, you left with a gift as well..AVON!

She was an active, involved, committed and dedicated member of the Holy Rosary Catholic Church.

Barbara was instrumental in organizing the Black Lay Caucus Choir. She was a trail blazer, traveling with the choir to other Catholic Churches rendering Black Gospel music in Virginia, as well as other states. She also served as a sponsor for the Holy Rosary Youth Group. She was a member of the Holy Rosary Adult Choir, chairman of the Liturgy Committee, Eucharistic Minister, and served on Pastoral Council. One of Barbara's many accomplishments was being a part of the planning process for our own Monsignor Walter C. Barrett, Jr's First Mass Celebration at Holy Rosary Church.

Leaving to remember and cherish her legacy is her loving daughter, Kimberly Parker (Richmond, Virginia), three grandchildren, Terrence Parker, Sr. (Jennifer), Summer Davis, Sabrina Parker, four great grandchildren, Cambria, Victoria, Tatianna and Terrence, Jr.; two nieces, Ashley and Pansie; two nephews, Corey and Chris; a host of godchildren, among them two devoted, Alexis Harris and Charmaine Tennyson, other relatives and friends, among them three devoted. Ethelyn Parker (Puddin), Josephine Thrower and Doris Fultz.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

4000 Pilots Lane
Richmond, VA 23222

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAY 1. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Family Hour

MAY 1. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Service

MAY 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

Holy Rosary Catholic Church
3300 "R" Street
Richmond, VA 23223

Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara Lee Davis*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss, may Jehovah give you and your family comfort in your time of need. 1 Corinthians 1:3,4.*

Carolyn - May 03, 2014 at 05:31 AM



“ *Our family would like to express condolences to The Davis Family. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's Word The Bible where He assures our dear loved ones of the hope of a resurrection back to a restored paradise earth. He even assures us at 1 Corinthians 15:26 that "the last enemy death will be brought to nothing". Our prayers are with your family.*

linn & family - May 02, 2014 at 04:49 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss, may Jehovah give you comfort in your time of need.*

Carolyn - May 01, 2014 at 02:45 PM

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“ You have my sincere condolences on the loss of your loved one. I know the death of a loved one brings much pain to our hearts. Jehovah God knows the pain you are feeling. In his word the Bible he says at (Psalms 147: 3) "He heals the broken hearted; ones and he is binding up their painful spots." So Jehovah God is waiting to heal your broken hearts. God promises us at (Acts 24:15) "There is going to be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous." A life without tears death and pain will soon be a reality. May Jehovah God of all comfort be with you and your family (2 Corinthians 1:3-4).

For more encouragement please visit www.Jw.org.

sherries lee - May 01, 2014 at 08:03 AM

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“ To the Family of Barbara Davis:
I wanted to write to share some comfort with you since losing the death of your loved one. When we lose someone in death the hope we have is with God and his promise of a resurrection. John 5:28 says that the ones in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out. So as long as we are in God's memory then we have that hope. And The bible tells us at Titus 1:2 that God cannot lie, so we can look forward to seeing our loved ones again. What a wonderful hope. Well if you have any comments or questions please e-mail me.

Faye - April 30, 2014 at 12:37 PM

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“ *I was saddened to read of the loss of your loved one. I personally experienced the grief of losing my loved ones. However, there is comfort to know the Holy Scriptures gives the assurance that God will end death, pain and sorrow. Rev 21:4
For the ones we have lost in death, there is a promise for them by means of the resurrection. John 5:28,29*

Williams Family - April 29, 2014 at 07:17 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 - April 29, 2014 at 04:49 PM