



Bernice Rustin

October 8, 1931 - December 30, 2017

Bernice Rustin, 86, of Mechanicsville, Virginia departed this life on Saturday, December 30, 2017, at the Saber Health Care Group, Autumn Care of Mechanicsville Medical Center. She was born to the late Herbert and Clara Rustin on October 8, 1931 in Richmond, Virginia. She was preceded in death by her son, Wilbert "Sam" Rustin.

Bernice attended Henrico County public schools. She was employed by the Richmond City Public School System for 25 years where she worked in facility maintenance. After retirement, she continued public service with the Hanover County Public School System.

Bernice gave her life to Christ and selflessly served others with a giving spirit, evidenced through her undying loyalty to friends and family. She was a member of the Young Sportsman Hunt Club and enjoyed cooking special meals for them upon their return. Bernice always enjoyed being around her family and dear friends.

She leaves to cherish her loving memory, Geraldine Heiskill and devoted daughter, Ava Tunstall-Harris (Herman); four grandchildren, Dr. Kimberly R. Allen, Crystal Heiskill, devoted Sam Tunstall and Nicole Jones (Chequan); four great-grandchildren, Allen, Logan, A'aliyah and Brice, several devoted cousins, Gwendolyn Spurlock, Barbara-Jean Minor and Veola Hodges, three

nieces, five nephews, a devoted friend, Bertie-May Jackson and a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

I've Changed My Address

I've changed my address to Heaven

. . . I've crossed the Great Divide.

I know there's no sorrow or crying,
because I've reached the other side.

I am so happy to be here for the Lord Himself I see.

I've changed my address to Heaven, I bid this world goodbye.

I now live forever with Jesus in my new home in the sky.

Cemetery Details

Rustin Family Cemetery

2261 Piping Tree Ferry Road
Mechanicsville, VA 23111

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 5. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Wake

JAN 5. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
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Richmond, VA 23222

Tribute Wall



“ *Bernice Rustin*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *We Love You So Much Nannie* ❤️



Nicole Jones - January 04, 2018 at 05:17 PM



“ *Kim Allen lit a candle in memory of Bernice Rustin*



Kim Allen - January 04, 2018 at 03:37 AM



“ *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 - January 02, 2018 at 03:05 PM