



## Cora Evon Baylor

August 29, 1950 - February 19, 2024

Cora Evon Baylor, 73, of Henrico, County went to be with the Lord on February 19, 2024. Cora was born on August 29, 1950 in Richmond, Virginia to Vester Vernell Tyler an Ryland Baylor, Sr.

She attended Richmond Public Schools and graduated from Armstrong High School.

Cora was baptized and a loyal member of Trinity Baptist Church.

Cora was employed with the State of Virginia. She worked in several different agencies during her career such as: Virginia Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC), Department of Corrections (DOC) and Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) where she retired. She also worked for Hardees, Food Loin and a brief time in janitorial services.

She always had a smile and a giving heart. Cora loved to watch TV game shows: Family Feud, Wheel of Fortune, Jeopardy and Pyramid to name a few. She also liked cross word puzzles. Her favorite past time was playing BINGO. She also was a avid bowler in her younger years.

Cora is preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Mintri Tyler ; six uncles, Percy, Fred, Ira, Joseph, June and George Tyler; one aunt, Sarah

Tyler and one nephew, Jake Bellamy.

She is survived by two brothers, Ryland Baylor, Jr. and Joseph Baylor, Sr. (Rosa Bellamy Baylor); four nieces and four nephews; two aunts, Barbara Tyler and Celestine Tyler; a devoted and special friend, Forrest White; a host of other relatives and close friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Chestnut Grove Baptist Church Cemetery

10472 Williamsville Road  
Hanover, VA 23069

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

FEB **29**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *View and Download the Funeral Program*

March Funeral Homes - February 29, 2024 at 10:53 AM



“ *March Funeral Homes created a To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Cora E. Baylor, Please Click the Link below. in memory of Cora Evon Baylor*



March Funeral Homes - February 29, 2024 at 10:31 AM

AB

“ *Cora was a joy to work with at DEQ. No matter her mood, it took almost nothing to bring out that bright, beautiful smile. I enjoyed our talks about growing up in Hanover. May she rest in peace.*

*Allan Brockenbrough*

Allan Brockenbrough - February 29, 2024 at 10:46 AM

MM

“ *We were kids in high school-Best Buds- I adopted your family and called you Cuz when our paths took us in different directions. We missed each other but when we did meet I felt our closeness and I will never forget. I love you Cuz Mookie.*

Margaret Morning - February 29, 2024 at 07:45 AM

AG

“ Sending ny heartfelt condolences to the Baylor family and friends. Cora will be missed by all. Classmate, Alma Campbell Gates AHS Class if 1968



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**Alma Campbell Gates** - February 28, 2024 at 11:38 AM

TG

“ So sorry to hear. Yes Cora was a wonderful soul. I loved seeing her in halls at work and flirting with her! She always made me laugh.  
Tom Griffin

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**Tom Griffin** - February 27, 2024 at 05:04 PM

DW

“ I worked with Cora for a number of years. She always had a bright smile and a hearty laugh for the folks she liked...I'm fortunate to have been one of those people. I will miss you, Cora.  
David

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**David Whitehurst** - February 27, 2024 at 03:57 PM

DM

“ I so enjoyed working with Cora. She was so hard working and always was so nice and pleasant. I'm sorry to hear of her passing and I wish her family peace and comfort.

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**Doris McLeod** - February 27, 2024 at 03:39 PM

AS

“ Cora was so sweet to me when I first started at DEQ back in 2017, and her stories never failed to make me laugh- I will remember her so fondly for her kindness and great sense of humor. My deepest sympathy to her family and loved ones, for she will be dearly missed.

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**Austen Stevens** - February 27, 2024 at 03:38 PM

CE

“ Please accept my deepest condolences. I had the pleasure of working with Cora and she was always smiling, gracious, and spoke a kind word. I wish you all peace during this difficult time.

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**Chris Evans** - February 27, 2024 at 11:57 AM

JB

“ Cora was always there for us at DEQ. If something needed to get done, she made sure it got done. She was never a stranger to anyone and always had a great sense of humor.

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**James Beckley** - February 27, 2024 at 09:27 AM

JK

“ I have known Cora since 1993. We worked together at the Department of Environmental Quality. She always had a smile on her face and was willing to help you.

We used to walk during lunch and on Tuesdays after work, we would go to see a movie along with our friend Monica.

I will miss her dearly. Rest in Peace my friend. I will always love you.

Julia King-Collins

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**Julia King-Collins** - February 24, 2024 at 08:39 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.

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**March Funeral Homes** - February 22, 2024 at 04:24 PM

PM

My condolences to the family, friends and coworkers. Cora was a great coworker and friend to me during my time at DEQ. She was always kind to me. I always appreciated her honesty and humor. Her memory is a blessing.

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**Previn Melvin** - February 23, 2024 at 11:37 AM

RS

*I worked with Cora since 1994 and consider her a special friend. She had a wonderful attitude and was quick witted. Ever since she retired we have missed her and now she is in a better place. Cora introduced me to Lee's Famous Recipe Chicken which is one of my favorite eats and now every time I go by there or go to eat I will think of her beautiful smile and happy personality.*

**Roger Stewart** - February 27, 2024 at 09:40 AM

SG

*I am so sorry to learn of the passing of my true friend. We worked together at what was then Blue Cross Blue Shield and had great times together as friends. Truly a "Blessing" to anyone that knew her. Even though we drifted apart, I always remembered the good times and your caring personality. Rest in peace my friend.*

*Sylvia Grooms*

**Sylvia Grooms** - February 28, 2024 at 12:55 PM

MH

*Cora was my classmate at Armstrong High School and we graduated in 1968. She had a very sweet and pleasing personality. I thought she was a very nice person. My condolences to the family . May God continue to bless you all.*

*Mildred Taylor Hill*

**Mildred T. Hill** - February 28, 2024 at 02:03 PM

LC

*I was saddened to hear of Cora's passing today. I too worked with Cora at Blue Cross and Blue Shield after her graduation. Cora was also a bridesmaid in my wedding in 1972. We lost contact over the years, but I will always remember her infectious smile and the good times we shared. My heartfelt sympathy and comfort to the family during this time of bereavement.*

*Lorraine G. Claiborne*

**lorraine claiborne** - February 28, 2024 at 08:53 PM

PN

*Cora and I were classmates at Armstrong High School. A little after graduation she moved and we lost contact. I ran into her 3 months ago at Golden Coral and we talked for a long time. Cora was a sweet person, had a beautiful smile. It sadden me to read about her passing. My condolences and heartfelt sympathy to her family.*

*Patricia Y. Newsome(Davis)*

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**Patricia Newsome** - February 29, 2024 at 09:30 PM

MW

*Heartfelt condolences to Cora's Family. As young adults we went out on Friday or Saturday nights. Always ask her Cousin about her. Rest in Peace my Friend.*

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**Mary Woodley** - March 05, 2024 at 02:53 PM