



Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore

July 10, 1949 - October 23, 2021

Legacy of Life

Doris LaVerne Mashore, beloved daughter of the late Doris Gladys and Cornelius Aylett Mason was born on July 10, 1949, in Richmond, Virginia.

Doris was educated in the Richmond Public Schools. She grew up in a Christian home with the nurturing of the Lord. Her parents instilled moral values and urged Doris to strive for the best that life had to offer. She was a member of First Baptist Church of South Richmond. She instilled in her children the true spiritual journey – church involvement, so much so, that her children are emerging to serve the Word and her only son became a minister.

Her career led her to Bank of America as a Project Analyst for over thirty years of dedicated service. After a corporate conversion, she was recruited as a consultant. She later transitioned herself into a homemaker. She was not a fan of the kitchen, however, she loved for her family to bring her various types of meals and everything she desired. In her leisure, she enjoyed reading, watching television, listening to music, and spending time with her family. Doris affectionately was known to her family as “Momma” and to her grandchildren as “Nanna”. She was an amazing, mother, aunt, family member and friend, who would do anything to help you in any way.

She was formally married to Leroy Mashore, Sr. now deceased. From that union three children were born. Doris enjoyed the warmth and happiness of being with her family and welcomed the opportunity to share in the joy of gatherings. Though she was a beautiful woman of few words, when she spoke, the wise seeds she sowed in the different soils of her children's and grandchildren's minds and hearts were with purposeful prayer to cultivate her family's development and future growth.

Doris was a very considerate and warm-hearted person who had a great impact on everyone she met. She had a heart of gold. She was truly a kind and giving person who made everyone feel special, loved, and appreciated. Doris will be remembered as a person who never denied giving a helping hand. She lived her life by loving her family through their failures and successes amid sacrificing herself to help them see their innate worth. Her presence and smile altered space and time for those she encountered. Many people adored her because without judgment she offered others her best even during her own weaknesses. Enjoyable was her smile and authentic was the essence of her being. We will miss our beloved mother. A mother who embedded foundational rectitude within her children, of which she exemplified, that led her children to God, who are ultimately changing their lives.

She is preceded in death by her grandparents, John and Ruby Turner; parents; two brothers, Alfonso, and Ronnie Mason; sister, Ruby Mason; grandchildren, Johnisha Stephens; Brooklyn R. Mashore and Pilar M. Mashore.

On Saturday, October 23, she peacefully entered into eternal rest at her residence surrounded by her loved ones. Doris proudly passes her legacy to her children and challenged them to set their goals high as she leaves fond and proud memories to her beloved son, Dr. Leroy Mashore, Jr. (Donna); two adored daughters, Taronda L. and Tanika V. Mashore; seven caring

grandchildren, Tyesheia Stephens, Rashad Charles, Kayla N. and Tahjanique Q. Mashore-Jackson, Taemon L., DeQuan T., and loving caregiver Tah'jee S. Mashore; thirteen great-grandchildren; beloved sister, Karen Yolanda Brooks (Michael); beloved brother, Kenneth Mason; dear nieces, nephews, other relatives and caring friends. Her circle of friends was modest; however, friends dear in her heart were Juanita, K.P., Kathy, Dot-T, and Gayle amongst others. May this beautiful, loving, and caring angel rest in the peace of heaven with her lineage.

An adoring daughter of Jesus Christ, her eternal glow will always shine in our hearts.

Cemetery Details

Maury Cemetery

2700 Maury Street
Richmond, VA 23224

Previous Events

Public Viewing

OCT **29**. 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM (ET)

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

Celebration of Life with live streaming

OCT **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
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Tribute Wall



“ *To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore, Please Click the Link below.*



March Funeral Homes - October 28, 2021 at 10:32 AM



“ *Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My heartfelt condolences to the Mashore family. LaVerne and I worked together for many years at Bank of America and became very good friends, She will be missed by me and by all who knew her and loved her. Hugs.*

*Kathy Green
Fort Mill, SC*

Kathy Green - November 02, 2021 at 01:43 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Karen Brooks - October 30, 2021 at 06:15 PM

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“ *The Johnson Family would like to extend their condolences to the family of Laverne. She was a sweet and beautiful person inside and out and always wore a beautiful smile. May God comfort and strengthen the whole entire family during this time of sorrow. The Johnson Family*

Johnson Family - October 29, 2021 at 07:42 PM

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“ *Karen Brooks and Family
Our Condolences ,love and prayers To you
and your family..*

RIH LaVerne



Ms. Edna Austin ,Ms. Barbara Lewis - October 29, 2021 at 06:17 PM



“ *Doretha Smith lit a candle in memory of Doris
LaVerne Mason Mashore*



Doretha Smith - October 29, 2021 at 08:10 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family
of Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore.*



October 28, 2021 at 09:23 PM



“ *Latonia Penn lit a candle in memory of Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore*



Latonia Penn - October 28, 2021 at 06:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore.*



October 28, 2021 at 10:58 AM



“ *We know that there is no word we can say to take the pain away, but please know that our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*



*W,P,J,J,C,W, and C
The Patron's Family
Chesterfield, Va*

Pearlene - October 27, 2021 at 08:02 PM



“ *Wayland Baptist Church Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore.*



Wayland Baptist Church Family - October 27, 2021 at 05:40 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore.*



October 27, 2021 at 03:00 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Doris LaVerne Mason Mashore.*



October 27, 2021 at 02:37 PM



“ *I'll miss seeing your beautiful smile. You were always so pleasant when you visited us at church (Wayland Baptist Church).*

Katrina Hembry - October 27, 2021 at 12:07 PM



“ *LaVerne and I exchanged GIFs on a weekly basis. They were at random times and it didn't matter whether it was a.m. or p.m. I will miss that lovely smile and the giggle that accompanied her smile. You are a cherished memory.*

Dana Cosby-Briley - October 26, 2021 at 02:45 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 - October 26, 2021 at 11:00 AM