



Lillian Shipman McMillon

October 14, 1926 - September 6, 2018

Lillian Shipman McMillon was born on October 14, 1926 in Colombia, North Carolina to the late James and Mammie Shipman. Lillian was granted her angel wings on Thursday, September 6, 2018.

Lillian attended the school district of St. Paul, North Carolina. She eventually moved to Philadelphia where she worked at the Philadelphia Hospital for needy children. She also used her attention to detail as she worked as a housekeeper for private clients.

Lillian moved to Richmond, Va. in the early 70's and was preceded in death by her late husband, Spurgen McMillon. She spent a lot of her time at home gardening; she was known for having a green thumb. She also enjoyed baking, bingo, fishing, and playing cards with her best friend GG (Mildred Banks). Lillian loved to spend time having family cookouts in her backyard with her son, Theodore McMillon, as the DJ.

Lillian Shipman McMillon is survived by 8 children, Diane Fowlkes (Frank), Dorothy Banks (Jack, NJ), John Harrell (Judy, NJ), Alfonso McMillon (PA), Charlie McMillon, Carolyn McMillon, Shirley McMillon, Sandy McMillon and one son preceding her in death, Theodore McMillon. She has 21 grandchildren (2 preceding in death), 41 great grandchildren, and 18 great GREAT grandchildren. She also had 6 brothers, JD Shipman (Betty), Joseph

C. Shipman (Fannie), 4 preceding in death, 6 sisters, Marie Clinton and 5 preceding her in death. Lillian also had a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

We Little knew that morning that God was going to call your name
In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same
It broke our hearts to lose you but you did not go alone
for part of us went with you the day God called you home
You left us peaceful memories your love is still our guide
and though we cannot see you, you are always at our side
Our family chain is broken and nothing seems the same
but as God calls us one by one the chain will link again.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP 14. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Family Hour

SEP 14. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP 15. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lillian Shipman McMillon*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *To: Family and friends of Lillian Shipman Mcmillion*

We are sorry to hear about the passing of your love one your in our prayers and thoughts during your hour of sorrow. "Remember that earth has no sorrow heaven cannot heal ". We Love you All Very Much. From: Your North Carolina Cousins from Clarkton NC. Cousins Zelda McEachern Family and Jean Kelly Childrens Brenda, Gail and Gigi and Piney Grove AMEZion Church of Clarkton NC. Church Family.

Lajeana Kelly (Gigi) - September 22, 2018 at 10:56 PM



“ *To be absent from the body is to be present with the lord. Love*

Jessie Batchelor - September 15, 2018 at 12:06 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 - September 10, 2018 at 10:51 AM