



Mary Walker Corbin

April 24, 1945 - June 4, 2021

Celebrating the Life of Mary Walker Corbin

“I’m Still Here”

We celebrate the life of Mary Jane Walker who came into the world on April 24, 1945, the only child of William and Hilda Story Walker. Mary Jane hails from the Jackson Ward community of Richmond, Virginia and has been preceded in death by both her parents.

Mary Jane received her formal education in the Richmond Public School System being a proud graduate of Maggie Walker High School, the Mighty Green Dragons. She furthered her education at Virginia Union University for her undergraduate degree and Virginia Commonwealth University for her graduate degree. While at Virginia Union, she became a member of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. through the Nu Chapter and continued to follow her passion for community service through the Alpha Phi Zeta Chapter.

She married her life partner of 56 years, Marshall Corbin. Their union was blessed with two children, Marshall and Marlene.

Mary Jane accepted Christ at an early age and began her Christian walk as a part of Hood Temple AME Zion Church. She later united with Mount Olive Baptist Church, Glen Allen, having been a member for more than forty years.

While at Mount Olive she served in multiple capacities as a trustee, choir member, usher, and church financial secretary.

Mary Jane was employed by and retired from the Richmond Public School system having served as an educator for over 31 years. The majority of her career was spent at Thompson Middle School where her cohorts/cluster can attest to her energy and passion for her students. After retirement she volunteered at Children's Hospital for multiple years having been recognized as one of their outstanding volunteers.

Mary Jane leaves to cherish the memories: husband, Marshall Corbin; son, Marshall F. Corbin, IV; daughter, Marlene F. Corbin; three granddaughters, Monae Coley, Marjanae Coley, and TaShayla Royster; cousins, Charles Story (Cynthia) and Rhonda Brandon (Kevin); mother-in-law, Margaret Corbin; a host of nieces, nephews, brother-in-laws, sister-in-laws, other relatives and friends.

She will remain forever in our hearts and would want us all to always remember "and this too shall pass."

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUN **10**. 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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

Celebration of Life service with live streaming on website

JUN **11**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Mary Walker Corbin, Please Click the Link below.



March Funeral Homes - June 08, 2021 at 06:33 PM

RG

I have fond memories of Mary Jane. She had a very special way of lighting up your heart with fun and happiness. She was full of joy and love. Condolences to the family.

*Rose Beech Graham
M L W class of '62*

Rose Beech Graham - June 14, 2021 at 12:45 PM



“ *Mary Walker Corbin*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM

ES

“ *Mary will be remembered by those who had the honor to know her for her kind spirit. May her soul now rest in eternanl peace*

E. MCKINLEY SPELLMAN - June 11, 2021 at 03:14 PM

TB

“ *Sending love and prayers to the Corbin Family. Soror Corbin's beautiful soul and witty personality will be very much missed. Tamika Brewer-Johnson*



Tamika L Brewer-Johnson - June 11, 2021 at 02:08 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Walker Corbin.*



June 11, 2021 at 09:43 AM

FL

“ *F. Scott, K.Cooke, G. Bowie, and Mr. & Mrs. Lowe purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mary Walker Corbin.*



F. Scott, K.Cooke, G. Bowie, and Mr. & Mrs. Lowe - June 08, 2021 at 11:55 PM

MM

“ *Corbin Family:
Our condolences in the loss of your loved one. We will continue to uplift you in our prayers
Cloyd & Margaret Moore*

Mr & Mrs Cloyd Moore - June 08, 2021 at 06:45 PM

SJ

“ May God’s love and your memories of her laughter and joyful spirit stay with you and bring the comfort you need to make it through this most difficult time. May the peace of God be with you. ... In friendship , Serena Starks Jones and family



Serena Starks Jones - June 08, 2021 at 06:35 PM

JC

“ Janice Corbin lit a candle in memory of Mary Walker Corbin



Janice Corbin - June 08, 2021 at 01:53 PM

JC

Aunt Mary Jane,
There is so much to say,Iwill love and cherish all the fun times we had at Grandma's House....and at all the games.
I will carry that LOVE FOR YOU ALWAYS ❤️💋

Janice Corbin - June 08, 2021 at 01:57 PM

MB

“ Sending prayer of comfort and peace in your time of grief. Celebrate her life and cherish those memories that you created with her. She will forever be with you and watching over you.



Monique Brewer - June 08, 2021 at 09:45 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 - June 07, 2021 at 04:01 PM

EW

My deepest sympathy is with you. I will miss Mary's laughter and encouraging words. I believe she is resting in heaven.
Edna Wright

Edna Wright - June 08, 2021 at 06:49 AM

BL

While no one and nothing can fill the hole created by the loss of Ms. Mary my friend, I know that she would want you to think of all the joy, love, and laughter that remain in your heart. I am thinking of you and sending heartfelt sympathies and condolences. May God continue to bless and keep you.

Brenda Lowe - June 10, 2021 at 09:09 PM

YM

Sending much love to the family. Continue to keep your hands in God's hand.

Youlette McCullough - June 11, 2021 at 01:28 PM