



## Mary Ann Johnson

October 22, 1928 - February 21, 2019

Mary Ann Johnson, 90, of Chesterfield departed this life, Thursday, February 21, 2019. She was born on October 22, 1928 to the late Mary Johnson in Brooklyn, New York. She is preceded in death by her grandsons, Derek A. Berkley, Darren A. Berkley and Lester L. Berkley III; brother, William Lee Johnson; and a best friend, Zulene Seabron.

She was educated Brooklyn and Ashland Public School System. She was a member of Fourth Baptist Church in Richmond, Virginia.

Mary formally worked at the Palace Nursing Home for many years and retired from the facility. She was a hard, dedicated worker that loved to help others. Mary was a provider to her family and would often prepare meals for family. The joy of Christmas and Thanksgiving dinners were welcomed at her home with her family members. She will be remembered for reading her bible, always praying with her glorious smile, love of family and a strong faith in God. She had a feisty spirit, enjoyed sitting on the front porch and most all watching her religious television shows.

She leaves to cherish her loving memory, three daughters, Rebecca Anderson (Larry), Kathleen Butler, Victoria Berkley; four sons, Lester Berkley Jr. (Alfreda), Vernon Berkley (Agatha), Reginald Berkley and Thurman Berkley (Andrea); grandchildren, Veronica Berkley, Nakesha Berkley, Tamaria

Harrison, Margo Williams, LaKeshia Butler, Thurman Berkley Jr., Lashiek Johnson, Malcolm Berkley, Charina Berkley-McMullen, Davon Berkley, Angela Graves, along with other host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great great-grandchildren; nieces, Elizabeth Holden, Loretta Lewis and Ann Lee Wolfolk, other great and great-nieces and nephews; and a host of other relatives and friends, especially her caring friend, Anita Miller..

In Loving Memory of a Special Grandma

The day you left and gained your wings, our heart just broke in two,  
We wish you could have stayed with us; but heaven needed you, too.  
You left us with memories, and we love you dearly  
still not matter how much time goes by we always will.  
You were a very special person with kindness in your heart,  
and the love we had together, grows stronger now we're apart.  
We know we can not bring you back, although we wish it everyday,  
but we all know a piece of us went with you, the day you went away!

Love your granddaughter . . . Margo Williams

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 1. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Wake

MAR 1. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

## Celebration of Life

MAR 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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



# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Ann Johnson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Reggie & his California Family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Mary Ann Johnson.*



**Reggie & his California Family** - February 28, 2019 at 08:42 PM



“ *Morningside Apartments purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mary Ann Johnson.*



**Morningside Apartments** - February 28, 2019 at 04:11 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Johnson.*



February 26, 2019 at 08:18 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.

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**March Funeral Homes** - February 21, 2019 at 02:32 PM