



Norma D. Lockett

October 23, 1943 - November 11, 2023

THE OBITUARY OF NORMA COGER LOCKETT

Norman Cogger Lockett departed this life on November 11, 2023. She was born in Richmond, Virginia on October 23, 1943. She was preceded in death by her parents, Eugertha F. Cogger, and Norman L. Cogger, and sister Yvonne C. Webster.

Norma began her education at Baker Elementary School, Booker T Washington Junior High, and Benjamin A. Graves Junior High School. While in school she played the viola and took piano lessons from the renowned Mr. Charles Howard and participated in many recitals.

Norma graduated from Armstrong High School in 1962 and Virginia Union University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Sociology. She later received her Master of Education Degree from Virginia Commonwealth University, specializing in Early Childhood Education in 1977.

She began her teaching career in Caroline County in 1972, teaching second and third grades, at Dawn and Bowling Green Elementary School . After teaching in Caroline County for nineteen years, she transferred, to the Richmond Public School System, She taught at Summer Hill and Swansboro

Elementary Elementary School. Norma was honored to be asked to help start the new school, Miles Jerome Jones Elementary where she became the Title I Math Lead teacher. Norma has been an educator for over thirty years. She has received numerous awards and recognitions.

Norma was a loving, caring, and kindhearted person. Her hobbies in her earlier days were bowling and cross-stitching. She had a passion for teaching and love for children so much that she would bring them home to spend nights and weekends with her. They would go to church with her and family outings. She loved spending time with her family and friends. To some, she is known as Norma but to most, she is known as Boopie.

She accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior and was an active member of New Deliverance Evangelistic Church where she was a Sunday School teacher, a member of the adult usher board, and co-director for Vacation Bible School and Christian Education.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories, devoted husband, Lindsey Calvin Lockett; son, Bobby R. Highsmith Jr.; niece, Renee Taylor (Leo); great niece and nephew, Yvonne Webster and Joshua Campbell, who were the apples of her heart; mother-in-law, Anna Brown; caregiver, Fay Johnson; and a host of other relatives and devoted friends.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

4000 Pilots Lane
Richmond, VA 23222

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 9:30 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Celebration of Life

NOV **21**. 10:30 AM (ET)

New Deliverance Evangelistic Church
1701 Turner Road
Richmond, VA 23225

Tribute Wall

SO

“ Renee as you say Good-Bye to your Aunt please know you are not alone...but cared about, thought about and prayed for at this difficult time. With Deepest Sympathy and many caring thoughts. Sylvia Overton


Sylvia Overton - November 21, 2023 at 09:56 AM

GD

“ Childhood memories last forever. I shared so many of our adventures with my daughter. Our moments together will never be forgotten. REST IN PEACE Norma. Gussie

Gussie and DaShawn - November 21, 2023 at 01:02 AM

JW

“ To my cousins Junnie and Renae I was sad to hear of Boobies passing ... I thought about it she's in relationship with God and I know she's safe in his arms, I pray that God will give everything you need to get through and continue to press on I Love Yall (Lil Janet) 



Janet Wright - November 20, 2023 at 05:24 PM

TO

“ Renee, I'm sending you and your family my heartfelt condolences on the passing of your loved one, your aunt-mother. My prayers are with and you and yours during thus time.



Theresa Owens - November 20, 2023 at 03:16 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Norma D. Lockett.



November 20, 2023 at 01:11 PM



“ *Brown Family* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Norma D. Lockett.

Brown Family - November 19, 2023 at 03:38 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray* was purchased for the family of Norma D. Lockett.



November 19, 2023 at 03:38 PM



“ *Please accept our deepest condolences and know that God loves you and can restore your spirits, give you peace and strengthen you. Earl and Grace Alexander*

Earl Alexander - November 18, 2023 at 10:03 AM

EA

“ *Earl Alexander lit a candle in memory of Norma D. Lockett*



Earl Alexander - November 18, 2023 at 09:59 AM

MB

“ *I think of all the times sitting on the side of your bed and you sharing stories with me. From the moment I met you, I loved you dearly. I thank God for allowing me know you. Knowing that you are no longer pained, I find comfort, and I promise that I will always be there for your family. And I still cherish my Christmas gift. With all my heart... rest in Heavenly peace Mama Norma.*



Monica Staves Brown - November 17, 2023 at 04:15 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 - November 14, 2023 at 11:09 AM