



Roslyn Smith Trent

March 22, 1946 - December 2, 2015

Obituary

“I Aspire To Inspire Before I Expire”

Our beloved Roslyn Smith Trent, 69, born March 22, 1946 in Richmond, Virginia to the late Annie Elizabeth G. and Eugene Smith. She was called home to the pearly gates of heaven on December 2, 2015. She was preceded in death by her son, Terrence Hicks.

She received her education from the Richmond Public School Systems where she attended Armstrong High School. After high school, she enlisted into the United States Army Reserve in 1973, the 80th Division serving her country proud. In 1974, she was employed by the City of Richmond as a Deputy Sheriff where she remained for 13 years. During that time she was promoted to work at the John Marshall Court Building in the Civil Processing Department. She furthered her career at Beaumont Juvenile Correctional Center for eight years.

Roslyn was an amazing person with a beautiful spirit who loved her family unselfishly. To know her, was to love her. She was a member of Rising Mt. Zion Baptist Church for many years, under the leadership of Dr. Roscoe Cooper, III, whom she received her spiritual guidance. She loved her church family and all they had to offer. She opened her arms, home and kitchen to

everyone who entered her doors. She always said, "She never met a stranger that she didn't accept".

She leaves to cherish her memory two caring daughters, Ramona Trent and Brandy Ballard; eight grandchildren; one great-grandchild; brother, Eulas Gaddy (Effie); sister-in-law; Janie Smith; and a host of other relatives and friends.

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Don't spend too much time in mourning, tears are for the sad.

I left to be with Jesus and this should make you glad.

Don't waste your hours in grieving, no need to feel distressed,

I was tired of life's frustrations and had to get some rest.

Don't vex yourself with questions or try to reason why,
for you will see me by and by.

Don't lose the love I gave you, feed it with your care,
grow it with devotion and spread it everywhere.

Don't fret because my leaving came in such a way.

We'll have another meeting in God's eternal day.

Author Unknown

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Tribute Wall



“ *Roslyn Smith Trent*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I knew Roz when she worked for the cleaning company and I worked at First Health Cox Road. She was a wonderful person and I know she will be greatly missed. So very sad to hear of her passing. Your family will be in my prayers. God Bless all of you.*



Judy Taylor - December 10, 2015 at 03:06 PM



“ *Sorry for your, may GOD give you comfort in your time of need. 2Corinthians I :3,4.*

Carolyn - December 05, 2015 at 06:28 AM



My condolences to the Trent family. Love uncle Marvin

Marvin Martin - December 06, 2015 at 06:00 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 - December 03, 2015 at 03:27 PM

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I love this lady. I work at Virginia farm burea ins. We always talk about her kids. She was a loving person.we talk about god. She was a joy to know. I know sh e in a happy place. Bless all her family rip. You will be miss. Carolyn frank.

Carolyn frank - December 13, 2015 at 10:26 AM