



## Ruth J. Davis

August 26, 1924 - April 18, 2024

Mrs. Ruth Jean Davis, a beloved wife, daughter, sister, aunt, cousin, and friend to many departed this life on April 18, 2024, at the age of 96. Ruth Jean Davis, or as she was affectionately known, Jean, was born to the late Retha and Lillie Adams on August 26, 1927, in Little River, North Carolina. Jean was the only girl and the youngest of seven children. Jean's family moved to Baltimore where she lived until she was 10 years old; she then moved to New York. Jean graduated from high school in 1945 and later went on to earn an Associate of Arts degree. Jean had one son, Kenneth Davis (deceased) who was the apple of her eye and the joy of her life. Jean was married for 28 years to Samuel Allen, who served over 20 years in the U.S. Army. The couple traveled extensively throughout the United States until they retired to Baltimore. After Sgt. Allen's death, Jean proved that even mature hearts can find love again when she fell in love with and married Bernie C. Davis in 1984. Jean was a highly valued employee of Becton Dickenson & Company, a company that sells medical devices, instrument systems and reagents. After retiring from fulfilling careers, Bernie and Jean literally became globe trotters, cruising extensively throughout the world. Jean was a wonderful, caring friend to all who knew her. She enjoyed a life-long friendship with Gertrude Foust and Alice Hill and was also remarkably close to her daughter-in-law Cloutil.

Jean was a faithful member of the Journey of Faith Church where she loved to

worship. Jean fully embraced the growth and changes the church made throughout the years and was known for her efficacious generosity. As her health began to decline, she was particularly grateful for the newsletters the church sent and for the visits from Pastor G.

Jean is survived by her beloved husband of nearly 40 years, Bernie, her daughter-in-law Cloutil Davis, stepchildren Hiliary Davis, Sherry Davis Molock (Guy Molock, Jr.), grandchildren: Terance Shipman (Prudence Shipman), Amber Molock, Jelani Molock, Diarra Molock, great grandchildren: Jerontai McFee, Teryn Shipman, Zaire Shipman, Khalil Shipman, Bryant Harris, Makayla Molock, Oliyah Molock, great-great grandchild Jahari McFee, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Arbutus Memorial Park Cemetery

1101 Sulphur Spring Road  
Baltimore, MD 21227

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAY 2. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - West  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215

## Wake

MAY 3. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Journey of Faith  
7902 Liberty Rd  
Windsor Mill, Md 21244, MD

## Funeral Service

MAY 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“Wow!!! I really enjoyed reading about her life...very inspiring! The truth is, we never met. She and my mother, Ruth Davis from South Carolina, had the same name so her obituary caught my eye. I'm sending the whole family much love! Someone as great as she obviously was is truly missed.

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**Nia Kondo** - June 25, 2024 at 03:51 PM

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“Happy Mother Day To My Aunt In Heaven

*If roses grow in Heaven  
Lord please pick a bunch for me  
Place them in my Aunt arms and tell her  
they're from me  
Tell her that I love her and miss her and when she turns to smile  
Place a Kiss upon her cheek and hold her for a while.  
Tell her she may have left my life but she will never leave my  
heart!!!*



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**Ann Fields** - May 12, 2024 at 10:05 AM

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“ *In Loving Memory of My Auntie:  
A loving nature, A heart of gold, the very best this world could hold.  
Never selfish always kind, these are the memories she left behind.  
A silent thought, A quiet prayer for a Special Person in God care.  
God looked around his garden, And found an empty place, He then  
looked down upon the earth, And saw your tired face. He put his  
arms around you, And lifted you to rest, God's garden must be  
beautiful, He always takes the best. He saw the road was getting  
rough, And the hills were hard to climb, So he closed your weary  
eyelids, and whispered "Peace be thine". It broke our hearts to lose  
you, But you didn't go alone, For part of us went with you, The day  
God called you home. You may have left our life but you will never  
leave our heart.  
Your Niece Ann*

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**Ann Fields** - May 10, 2024 at 10:25 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.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - April 19, 2024 at 03:00 PM