



Shirley Mae Booker

February 5, 1935 - February 24, 2006

SHIRLEY MAE HARGROVE was born on February 5, 1935 in Richmond, VA. She was the daughter of Gladys Webley Johnson and Hubert Hargrove and the granddaughter of Ollie Washington. She passed from this earth to glory on February 24, 2006 after celebrating her 71st birthday. Shirley received her education through the Richmond Public School system and she graduated from Armstrong High School. Shirley accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as her savior at an early age. In later years, she joined First United Presbyterian Church and was an active member until her health declined. In July 1954, Shirley married Bernard Booker and from this union came two beautiful daughters, Denise Booker Loving and Arletta Booker King, both of Richmond, VA. For years, the three were known as "Shirley and her girls" wherever they went. Shirley worked for years at the Order of St. Luke Insurance Company. However, she retired in 1998, from McGuire Veteran's Hospital where she worked as a travel clerk. She worked tirelessly for many years with The Compassionates, a civic organization that served the elderly. Her hobbies were traveling, playing board games, sewing and dancing. She is survived by two daughters, Denise Booker Loving and Arletta Booker King, one son-in-law, Larry King, Sr., nine grandchildren, Willie L. Loving, III, Corey L. Loving, Walter W. Woodson III, Nicholas L. Loving, Shermae N. Woodson, Larry T. King, Jr., Jamari B. King, Sherod D. King, Kristin A. Days and one great-grandchild, Mekhi A. Loving. These grand and great grandchildren were the joy of Shirley's life. Shirley is also survived by two sisters-in-law, Mozelle

Booker and Rev. Delores O. Booker along with a host of nieces, nephews and friends, including her devoted friend Bertha Starks.

Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Mae Booker*

March 25, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ *Shirley Mae Booker*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Hi! Booker's! May comfort stay close to you all hearts in losing Ms. Shirley. Seventy-one of life remind me of what the bible says at Ps.90:10 some may live to 70 years and because of special mightes other to 80 year. What would life be like when we live forever. Never dying again. I very much look forward to that time when our heavenly father will do that. I send my fellow feeling to you all. Lillian.##imported-begin##lillian c.##imported-end##*

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“ Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. Death was not something that God intended for us. The thought of death is always distasteful and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to it. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at Rev. 21: 3-5 of a new earth where there will be no more death.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. 2Corinthian 1:3-4##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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“ I can see the beautiful personality of Shirley Booker through her beautiful smile. I'm sorry you all have lost such a beautiful person. Death is an enemy which will soon be brought to nothing by means of Christ Jesus.(1Corinthians 15:25,26)Concerning that rule of Jesus, he will bring back to life all those in the memorial tombs. They shall have the privilege of inheriting a paradise earth forever. Never having to die ever again.-John 5:28,29;Psalms 37:29:Revelation 21:4) Exercising faith in this Bible promise gives us not only hope for the future, but also strength to endure. Give thanks to Jehovah...for he is good,For to time indefinite is his loving kindness.-Psalms 83:18;1Chronicles 16:34- Love to all.##imported-begin##A. James##imported-end##

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“ May comfort you on the recent death of your dear one. Tragically death touches us all, but it's something we never get used to no matter how many people we lose. It is comforting to know though that it was never God's purpose for people to die in the first place. He has a purpose to end death in the earth forever. Rev.21,3,4 says that God will wipe out every tear from our eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things will have passed away. I hope these promises from God brings your family comfort and hope as you remember happier times with your loved one. Take care.##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##

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“ To the family of the late Shirley M.Booker our deepest sympathy go out to you and all your family in this time of loss, our prayers are with you.Signed,The Kelsaw Family.##imported-begin##keith r kelsaw##imported-end##

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“ To the family of Shirley Mae Booker please except my condolences for your loss. Death is our enemy and you may have ask Why does God allow us to suffer like this? The book of Isaiah 26:16,19 says:"O Jehovah, during distress they have turned their attention to you; they have poured out a whisper [of prayer]... "your dead ones will live." He does not want us to suffer, but the bible does bring hope even though we do suffer now for a little while we can look at 2Corinthians 1:3,4 tells us he is a God of comfort. Jesus Christ knew about how his heavenly father felt and he also felt the same way because at John 5:28,29 speaks of those who have die that will be resurrected to life again here on earth. Please know these condition will not be forever. My Deepest Sympathy Shirel Halstead.##imported-begin##Shirel Halstead##imported-end##

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