



Mrs. Rosa Lee Darden

September 29, 1949 - August 5, 2021

Rosa Lee Darden exchanged her rugged cross for her precious crown, peacefully, at her home in Columbia, South Carolina on Thursday, August 5, 2021. She was born on September 29, 1949 in Columbia, South Carolina to the late Holton Flemming, Sr. and Margaret Shaw Flemming. She was a 1967 graduate of C.A. Johnson High School in Columbia, South Carolina.

Rosa was a member of Christian Faith Fellowship Church where she served in the Women's Ministries and was an Usher. She was also a member of D.A.V.A. Woodrow Wilson Unit #4.

She was married to the love of her life, the late Joe L. Darden, Sr. and they were blessed with one son, Joe L. Darden, Jr. whom she adored. Their love lasted more than forty years. Rosa was employed by the state of South Carolina as a Mental Health Specialist until her retirement in 2006, after twenty plus years of service.

Rosa's greatest joy was spending quality time with her two grandchildren that lived nearest, Haile and Hanson. She also enjoyed shopping, traveling, bowling and Casino's. She had great friends that she loved like sisters and gathering with them, whether they were going out to eat or just to talk, were treasured times for her.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her sister, Deloris Cleveland and her brother, Holton Flemming, Jr.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories: her loving son, Joe L. (Tyra) Darden of Columbia, SC; daughters, Verna Darden Ryals of Jessup, GA, Marianne Muller and Gabi Muller both of Germany; seven grandchildren; many great grandchildren; two sisters, Sarah Wright of Columbia, SC and Margaret Harris of OH; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and many dear friends.

Cemetery Details

Fort Jackson National Cemetery

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG 13. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Christian Faith Fellowship
2625 Alpine Road
Columbia, SC 29223

Interment

AUG 13. 1:00 PM - 1:20 PM (ET)

Fort Jackson National Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Rosa Lee Darden*

October 04, 2023 at 11:33 AM



“ *Regena Priester lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Lee Darden*



Regena Priester - August 13, 2021 at 10:02 AM



“ *Joann Beverly lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Lee Darden*



Joann Beverly - August 12, 2021 at 08:30 PM



“ *Lincoln O. Lawton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Lee Darden*



Lincoln O. Lawton - August 12, 2021 at 06:28 PM

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“ To the Darden Family,
Rosa fought hard and loved even harder. She
is at rest and peace now, we will miss her on
this side of Glory. Continue to pray for others
and have the desire of love and comfort as
Rosa did.
Mattie DeBramaletta
Ms Dee



Mattie DeBramaletta - August 12, 2021 at 04:26 PM

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“ We had a lot of good times during our
traveling excursions. Rest in heaven now. You
are with Joe.



Jacqueline Tate-Gray - August 12, 2021 at 12:15 PM

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Rosa Lee Darden



DAVA Unit 4 - August 12, 2021 at 12:11 PM

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DAVA Wiodrow Wilson Unit 4 - August 12, 2021 at 12:09 PM

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DAVA Wiodrow Wilson Unit 4 - August 12, 2021 at 12:08 PM