



Delores Barnes

August 14, 1934 - April 20, 2011

Portsmouth – Delores Thomas Barnes, known as Ms. Dee, 76, of the 5900 block of Dunkirk Street, was called home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, April 20, 2011. She was born in Norfolk County, VA. Mrs. Barnes was the widow of Wright Barnes, Jr. She was a member of Grove Church . Mrs. Barnes leaves to cherish her memory her daughter, Della B. Jones (K.O.); three sons, Rev. Harold Barnes (Betty), Donnie Barnes and Deryl Barnes; three sisters, Virginia Saunders, Geraldine Wright and Mable Thomas; a brother, Percy Thomas (Deloris); six grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

A viewing will be held from 4 pm until 7pm on Monday, April 25, 2011 at J. T. Fisher Funeral Services, 1080 N. George Washington Hwy., Chesapeake, VA. A life celebration service will be held at 1:30pm on Tuesday, April 26, 2011 at Grove Church, 5910 West Norfolk Road, Portsmouth with Dr. Melvin O. Marriner, Senior Pastor, officiating. Burial will follow at Olive Branch Cemetery, Portsmouth. The family has entrusted J. T. Fisher Funeral Services to handle the final care arrangements.

Previous Events

Service

APR **26**. 1:30 PM (ET)

Grove Church
5910 West Norfolk Road
Portsmouth, VA

Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Delores Barnes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - April 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Barnes Family,

I was, so, very sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. I will always remember her bright smile and her kindness throughout the years.

I know that she will be, dearly, missed; yet, remembered as one filled with mother's giving love.

Godly peace and love to all of you.

Love, in Christ,

Jeannine and Families##imported-begin##Jeannine D.

Gaines##imported-end##

May 14, 2011 at 03:50 PM



“ *Della and Family,*

I Loved your mothers smile, she warmed my heart whenever I saw her and spoke with her. May you find comfort in the truth, that your mother is resting with our Lord. Allow God to be your comforter as well.

*Warm Regards,
Sis. Della Boothe##imported-begin##Della Boothe##imported-end##*

April 27, 2011 at 08:20 AM



“ *Della and K.O.*

May God's healing strength be within you.##imported-begin##Deborah Banks##imported-end##

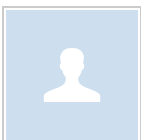
April 26, 2011 at 11:49 AM



“ *Our condolence goes out to you and your family. May God continue to bless you and strengthen you in your time of sorrow.*

From the Thompson family##imported-begin##Janet Thompson##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 09:45 PM



“ *May the wonderful memories of your mother's love be with you.*

My deepest sympathy...Elnora Terrell Midgett (a.k.a. Noe)##imported-begin##Elnora Midgett##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 09:37 PM



“ My prayers and thoughts are with you Della and The Barnes family. May God keep and comfort you all. Be Blessed. I will miss her and the prune cake that she always made. Remembering a childhood day at Ms. Dee's house "shaking that pear tree".##imported-begin##Alfreda Elliott##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 08:29 PM



“ To Harold, Donnie, Daryl and Della, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your families at this. I enjoyed the times I spent with her during my visits to VA. She will be missed.##imported-begin##Mona Jamison##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 06:45 PM



“ To Deryl Barnes and family; on behalf of your friends at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard Laboratory. We were deeply saddened to hear of your loss and our hearts go out to you and your family in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Lyndon Clark##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 02:40 PM



“ Ms. DEEBABY was a very sweet lady who always had a smile on her face every time I would see her whenever I would visit with my cousin Anita Grant. I'm praying for you and your family May God continue to bless and keep you and shine down his grace upon all of you. Dionne Alexander ATL Ga.##imported-begin##Dionne Alexander##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 02:32 PM



“ Aunt Dee, may God share all of his glory with you. You've been truly sweet and a very dear aunt. May you rest in peace, for your labor is over. To your family. Peace. From Marvin and Denise Williams-Saunders in Seattle Washington. ##imported-begin## Marvin Saunders ##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 02:01 PM



“ I will truly miss you Aunt Dee. Mama Geraldine, Aunt May, and myself knew how much that you loved going out with us on Saturdays to shop and ride afterwards. You wasn't able to go with us for a while, but we still had memories of you riding with us. Jeff will give you your final ride. Thank you for all that you've done for me, mama, and our immediate family, and I love you for that. Rest in peace Aunt Dee. ##imported-begin## Iris Wright ##imported-end##

April 25, 2011 at 07:28 AM



“ *To the Barnes family sorry for the passing of your mother. God bless and keep each of you.* ”

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###imported-begin###julie (elliott) carter###imported-end###

April 24, 2011 at 08:53 PM



“ From Derrick and Ann Hightower (Mom). We send our payers to the Barnes Family.##imported-begin##Derrick W Hightower##imported-end##

April 24, 2011 at 06:50 PM



“ HAROLD, SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU.##imported-begin##MRS. DURUE FOOTE##imported-end##

April 24, 2011 at 06:44 PM



“ Sorry to hear about the lost of a wonderful and sweet cousin. Cousin Dee B was kind to all and will be missed for her smile and laughter. She truly was a lovely lady and respected by all.##imported-begin##Marilyn Thomas Stewart-Wahl##imported-end##

April 24, 2011 at 05:33 PM



“ "My deepest sympathy goes out to my classmate, Harold, the family, freinds,colleagues and neighbors on the passing of their beloved Delores."##imported-begin##Lamont Simmons##imported-end##

April 24, 2011 at 05:28 PM



“ My prayers are with the family at this time. I was in school at Norfolk County High with Virginia and other members of the family. Cherish all your precious memories.##imported-begin##Mary J. Abbyss##imported-end##

April 22, 2011 at 09:31 PM



“ TO HAROLD DONNIE DARRYL AND DELLA.FROM THE PORTER FAMILY;WE ARE SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT THE PASSING OF YOUR MOTHER.YOU ALL WERE THERE FOR US WHEN WE LOST OUR MOTHER AND WE WILL BE THERE FOR YOU.DON LEE,ANNA CAROL WILLIE LUCILLE,CALVIN WILLIAM,AND BERNARD.DEE WAS LIKE A AUNT TO ALL OF US AND WE WILL MISS HER.WE DO HAVE A LOT OF GOOD MEMORIES TO REMEMBER AND THATS A GOOD THING.##imported-begin##LUCILLE PORTER##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 05:07 AM



“ DEEBABY, YOU WERE ONE OF A KIND I WILL TRULY MISS YOU.DELLA DARRYL,DONNIEAND HAROLD HANG IN THERE YOU ALL WILL BE ALRIGHT.SHE WAS A STONE SOLDIER AND A TRUE AND DIVINE MOTHER. I WILL MISS COMING OVER TO THE HOUSE AND SOON SHE SAW ME SHE WOULD ASK ME ,WHAT DO YOU WANT, AORANGE.SHE KNEW THAT WAS EXACTLY WHAT I WANTED.I WILL ALWAYS THINK OF THE MEMORIES FROM THE PAST.##imported-begin##LUCILLE PORTER##imported-end##

April 21, 2011 at 04:55 AM