



## Delores Moore

April 12, 1937 - June 15, 2022

Delores Moore, daughter of the late Odell Davis and the late Mary Ann Lyles, was born Monday, April 12, 1937, in Harrisburg, PA.

Delores graduated from the former William Penn High School. Her husband, Deacon Edgar Moore, and their children were near and dear to her heart. Lovingly known as “Mother Dear” by her family, Delores was a devoted homemaker as well as a devoted babysitter for over twenty years. She loved caring for children as if they were her own. She also cared for her sons’ friends, Felt, Banks, Pops, Stew, Clea and Bob Hume, to name a few, always making sure they had plenty to eat and even making their favorite foods.

Delores was united in Christian fellowship with Goodwin Memorial Baptist Church where she served with numerous ministries including the Nursery Ministry. She was the first in the Moore Family to join Goodwin. Her steadfast faith, love and devotion to her church led her children and her husband to join.

Among her pastimes were playing board games, cards, BINGO or just hanging out. Delores also loved spending time with her siblings, long phone conversations with family and friends, decorating for the holidays, especially Christmas, cooking, going out to eat at her favorite restaurant, Hoss’s, watching movies and listening to the music of her favorite artists, Al Green, R. Kelly, Lionel Richie and James Cleveland.

Delores and her husband supported the Harrisburg Cougars. She was a member of the Cougar Club which raised money for the student athletes. During track season, everyone looked forward to her fried chicken which she made for the State and District Track Meets.

On Wednesday, June 15, 2022, Delores transitioned from time to eternity joining her parents; her husband, Deacon Edgar Lee Moore Jr.; daughter, Valerie D. Moore-Patterson; and her sister, Mercedes Washington.

Delores leaves a legacy of love, faith and commitment to be honored and cherished by three sons, Keith Moore (Ruth), Stephen Moore (Bonita) and Lionel Moore, all of Harrisburg, PA; two daughters, Joyce Moore of Harrisburg, and Tanita Brockenbrough (David) of Dover, DE; four siblings, Anna Jackson, Melvin Davis (Betty), Thelma Stevens (Theo) and Calvin Lyles, all of Harrisburg; thirteen grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren, other family members and friends.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY YOUR NAME.

# Cemetery Details

## Paxtang Cemetery

401 Kelso St.  
Harrisburg, PA 17111

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

JUN 27. 8:30 AM (ET)

Goodwin Memorial Baptist Church  
2447 Green Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17110

## Viewing

JUN 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Goodwin Memorial Baptist Church  
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Harrisburg, PA 17110

## Service

JUN 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

FW

“ *My condolences and prayers to the family. Frances Waters*



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**Frances Waters** - July 09 at 08:46 AM



“ *Rest in Heavenly Paradise my Dearest Grandmother!!* ❤️❤️❤️

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**Terrance Tatum** - July 02 at 01:32 PM



“ *My condolences and prayers are with you Joyce and the entire family. I will keep the family in prayer.*



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**Nanette Burnett** - June 27 at 10:23 AM

RF

“ To the Family of Delores Moore:

*On behalf of the Emperors Music Group, this is to express our deepest and heartfelt condolences for the passing of your dear mother and loved one. We join with you in the Celebration of her life! Delores was the devoted wife and better half of our friend, fellow Emperor and lead singer, Edgar Moore. We always viewed them from a musical point of view. Together, they were a duet and even parental figures because they were a married couple when Edgar joined the Emperors. Delores was always that foundational voice in Edgar's life whether it was music or some other of Edgar's various interests.*

*Theirs was a picture of true love and marriage that Songwriters like myself, and others, like to imagine and write about. Delores and Edgar were the real thing!!! As members of Goodwin Memorial; and God having already been the tie that binds in their relationship, all they needed was each other to get by. Truly, there was no mountain high enough; no valley low enough, no river wide enough, no wind, no rain that could keep them apart. She was a true helpmate with her husband Edgar that scripture speaks about. Like playing musical instruments and songs that come in different keys, God made people different also; and as life has its sharps, flats, and dissonants in most every life and relationship, Delores and Edgar maintained the necessary intervals to make things work. As wife, mother, grandmother, relative and friend, Delores wore many hats; and, if we might say, she wore them all well.*

*As we celebrate Delores' homegoing, I'm reminded, personally, of the last time being in her presence, together with Edgar and Keith at their home. We were rejoicing and thanking God for our time together with The Emperors. Might we all rejoice, today, together, in thanking God and Delores for her life well lived, and for her having touched all of our lives. We pray that the Moore Family, relatives and friends will be comforted in knowing that Delores left a rich legacy they could be proud of and to learn from.*

*Yours in Christian Love; and God's Servant in Christ,*

*Rev. Dr. Bobby Fulton  
A Founding Member of the Emperors*

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**Rev. Dr. Bobby Fulton** - June 26 at 04:30 PM

DW

“ I love my aunt I will miss you love you always From Darryl Washington

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**Darryl Washington** - June 26 at 01:56 AM

PG

“ Rest softy my bingo friend. One of the sweetest people I ever met.

Portia Elaine Geter - June 25 at 08:17 AM

JN

“ To the Moore and Lyles family  
We where so sadden to hear of the passing of Lori she was such loving caring woman by all who knew her a beautiful blessed woman who will missed but never forgotten.  
May each and everyone one find peace knowing she is resting peacefully in the arms of the Lord AMEN.  
Loving summit  
Calvin and Amber Neal and family



Jean Neal - June 24 at 05:47 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Delores Moore.



June 23 at 05:35 PM

CG

“ Rest in peace my Bingo buddy, may God comfort your family at this time.



Crystal Gumby - June 23 at 09:46 AM

LS

“ My condolence to the family and friends God bless you all stay strong love one another praying for you all sorry for your loss the Dubois shoffner family

Leivada Shoffner - June 22 at 11:52 AM

SJ

“ *Sugie Johnston lit a candle in memory of Delores Moore*



Sugie Johnston - June 22 at 11:26 AM

SJ

*My codolances to the Moore & Davis families. GOD BLESS. Sugie & Ricky.*

Sugie Johnston - June 22 at 11:29 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Delores Moore.*



June 22 at 10:30 AM

DW

“ *Daryll Pops Williams lit a candle in memory of Delores Moore*



daryll pops williams - June 22 at 08:49 AM