



Ms. Joyce L. Palmer

August 24, 1946 - February 8, 2018

“...weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.” Psalm 30:5

Joyce, daughter of the late Daniel Summers and the late Nancy Brooks Cobb, was born in Hume, VA, on Saturday, August 24, 1946.

A graduate of John Harris High School, Harrisburg, PA, Joyce pursued higher education at Strayer College, Washington, DC. She retired from Tyco Electronics, formerly AMP Inc., Harrisburg. Joyce had a green-thumb for growing plants and also enjoyed reading, art, traveling and her SilverSneakers fitness membership. With her sweet smile and sweet spirit, Joyce’s greatest gift was the love she shared with family and friends.

United in Christian fellowship with The First Baptist Church of Steelton, she faithfully served with the Ushers Ministry (former President) as well as with the Missionaries, Hospitality-Greeters and Choir Ministries.

On Thursday, February 8, 2018, in her seventy-first year, God in His Infinite Wisdom and Divine Love, called Joyce into eternal life joining her parents, husband, Kenneth Palmer, nine siblings and other loved ones.

Sharing the pain of the sudden transition of this devoted mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend are her son, Shaun Palmer and his wife Melanie; four grandchildren, Shaun, Anaya and Daniel Palmer and Ryan Fleming; two great-grandchildren, Adrian and Adriana Palmer; one sister, Estelle Thompson and husband William; one brother, Sterling Summers and wife Gwen; niece, Minerva (Jackie) Daniel; devoted friends, Joyce Spivey and Betty Price;

devoted family friend, Mrs. Nellie Banks; other relatives and friends who will all cherish many special and irreplaceable memories.

We thank God for the blessing of sharing Joyce's Journey!

Lovingly Submitted, The Family

Previous Events

Flower Delivery

FEB 13. 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Steelton
1850 S. 19th Street
Harrisburg, PA 17104

Viewing

FEB 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

FEB 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AJ

“ *Ann Jones lit a candle in memory of Ms. Joyce L. Palmer*



Ann Jones - March 02, 2018 at 04:20 PM

SC

“ *To my friend Joyce- All I can say is I never thought I would miss seeing your baseball hat knowing when you came home by closing your door and saying there's Brandi. I am learning now what it's like to loose a dear friend. Love, Suzanne, Brian & Brandi*

Suzanne Colahan - February 12, 2018 at 03:08 PM

WJ

“ *Condolences to The Family & Friends of Joyce Palmer--we were shocked and saddened to learn of the passing of Joyce Palmer. We remember and will miss her warm smile and bounteous spirit and laughter. Joyce showed frequently that she loved her church and community and she served in a variety of ministries. We pray for your comfort at this hour of grief and loss.*

Dr. W. Braxton Cooley, Sr, Dr. Iris H. Cooley, & Family.

William B Cooley Jr - February 12, 2018 at 01:50 PM

CH

“ *Claudia Hart lit a candle in memory of Ms. Joyce L. Palmer*



claudia hart - February 12, 2018 at 10:58 AM

BG

“ *Oh my! I am so saddened to see Joyce has passed. What a sweet spirit with the most engaging smile. The world's light is dimmer without her. Family you have my deepest condolences. May you accept the loving comfort of our Heavenly Father as you continue life without a very special part of it. God bless you all*

Brenda Glenn - February 12, 2018 at 10:41 AM

JA

“ *YOU WERE MY BRIDGE OVER TROUBLED WATER*

I MISS YOU

JD



JACKIE - February 11, 2018 at 10:55 PM

JS

“ My condolences to the family of the lost of a sweet person that I came to like and love. I'm also sadden of your lost, I can truly say your mother, grandma, sister and friend had a heart of gold. Love too you all.
Respectfully,
Jessie (Peachie) Stern



JESSIE STERN - February 11, 2018 at 08:27 PM

RV

“ A True Class Act💖 A Beautiful Friend & Comforting Neighbor, Missing You ,Peace Be Upon The Family🙏

Robin Venneri - February 11, 2018 at 07:35 PM

TW

“ To the family you have my deepest condolences. A long time friend who enjoyed life to the fullest.

Theresa Wise - February 11, 2018 at 11:23 AM