



## Virginia Imadojemu M.D., M.Sc.

April 16, 1961 - October 25, 2022

Virginia Imadojemu, M.D., M.Sc. was born on the 16th of April 1961 in Port Harcourt, Rivers State, Nigeria. Her father was the Late Pastor Alexander Alalibo and her mother is Patience Alalibo, formerly Inko-Tariah. Dr. Imadojemu obtained her medical degree from the University of Lagos College of Medicine in 1984. She came to the United States to join Harris Imadojemu in 1984. They married and lived in North Carolina, where their three children were born. They moved to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, in 1989 and made it their home. Dr. Imadojemu completed her residency in Internal Medicine, and fellowship in Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine at the Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center. She joined the faculty there from 1995 until 2015, reaching the rank of Associate Professor. She then practiced at WellSpan Pulmonary & Sleep Medicine until her death. She was particularly accomplished in the field of Sleep Medicine, receiving a prestigious National Institutes of Health Research Career Program Award in 2002 for a project entitled, "Neurocirculatory Responses In Obstructive Sleep Apnea."

Dr. Imadojemu was a woman of immense faith in God and a stalwart of her community. She and her husband have served as surrogate parents to many local students as well as individuals and families who immigrated to the Harrisburg area. She deeply enjoyed decorating her home and welcoming others into it. Above all, she loved God and enjoyed spending time with her family.

Virginia Imadojemu passed on peacefully in her home on October 25, 2022 following a long journey with breast cancer. She is survived by her beloved husband, Harris Imadojemu, her mother Patience Alalibo, her children Sotonye (Thomas) Imadojemu, Osazee (Kasey) Imadojemu, and Tohan Imadojemu, her siblings Arnold Alalibo, Judy Alalibo, and Phillip (Trudy) Alalibo, her grandchildren, Odaro Dichter, Tarim Dichter, and Theodora Imadojemu, and many beloved nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Blue Ridge Memorial Gardens

6701 Jonestown Rd  
Harrisburg, PA 17112

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

NOV 19. 8:30 AM (ET)

Redeemed Christian Church of God  
3600 Vartan Way  
Harrisburg, PA 17110

## Viewing

NOV 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Redeemed Christian Church of God  
3600 Vartan Way  
Harrisburg, PA 17110

## Service

NOV 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

RW

“ I recently learned of Dr. Virginia’s passing. She was a wonderful doctor for my husband. My belated sympathies.

Rose E. Walmer - February 05, 2024 at 07:51 PM

JE

“ I worked with Virginia during her time at Hershey Med, and I was also fortunate to be a student of hers during my residency at HMC. She was truly a wonderful, caring human being. So sad to hear about her passing.

Joe Enama - May 25, 2023 at 09:54 AM

AN

“ My husband & I were both patients of her’s at Hershey Medical Center. What an incredible person & one of the best physicians who has ever treated us. God Bless to her family.

Ann - December 31, 2022 at 01:35 PM

JM

“ I just learned of Dr. Imadojemu's passing. Although I haven't seen her in years, I am so sad. She was simply the best doctor. Her TLC-- her willingness to connect the dots for my complex set of medical issues-- saved my quality of life. May the memory of this most wonderful human being be a blessing.

Janna Match - December 20, 2022 at 12:13 PM

JU

“ I truly loved Dr. Imadojemu for the way she treated me as a patient She made you feel as if you were her only patient and fixated only on you, on your problem. I've never had a Doctor like her and I miss her every day. I know all who had contact with her loved her. She was flamboyant and she rocked it. A beautiful soul inside and out. I still cry over her.

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**Judy** - December 20, 2022 at 11:27 AM

AY

“ Thinking of you at this difficult time. It was a pleasure to care for Dr. I.

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**Alyson Y.** - December 06, 2022 at 07:09 AM

EV

“ My husband and I was patients of Dr. Virginia. She treated us with respect and would focus her attention on our concerns. She would be patient and cared to answer any question that my husband or myself had. A great caring Dr. and a great human being who loved and enjoyed her field with passion. She will be missed. Our condolences to her family. May God give them peace a strength in this painful time. God bless.

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**Evelyn Ramirez-Nelson Valle** - December 01, 2022 at 01:40 AM

MF

“ I had been a patient of Dr. Imadojemu for several years. She always listened thoughtfully to my concerns and was quick with encouragement. My sincere sympathy to her family and friends.

*Mary Ann Fischer,  
Lebanon, PA*

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**Mary Ann Fischer** - November 30, 2022 at 06:21 PM

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“ My mom is older (90+) and was seeing "Dr Virginia" as she called her. Dr. Virginia would be patient and answer any question that my mom had. She treated her with respect and would talk to her patient (my mom) and focus on her where some doctors would focus their attention on me. She went above and beyond and recommended physical therapy thus doing anything that could give a better quality of life.

*A caring, bright, beautiful woman and physician -- she is missed.*

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**Lorri** - November 29, 2022 at 08:12 PM

AH

“ I met Virginia in residency at Hershey. She was a year ahead of me and was always a joy to be around. She was brilliant and friendly and was a skilled physician. I was so happy when she came to Lebanon to provide care for our patients and everyone I referred to her loved her and appreciated her attention to detail and excellent care. She will be missed. My prayers to your family. I did not know she was ill and I just found out about her passing.  
Anne Hayes, MD

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**Anne Hayes** - November 28, 2022 at 02:30 PM

VS

“ I am so sad to hear. She was the best dr.I have ever. I will definitely miss her. May God Bless her and her family, during this difficult time.. RIP VIRGINIA.

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**Vicki Swartz** - November 27, 2022 at 12:38 PM

CO

“ Thank you for coming into my life. You always had been so uplifting in our conversations. You gave me encouragement to carry on with my life. You explained so thoroughly the medical terminology into lay terms so I could understand. You will be sorely missed. R.I.P. God be with you.

*My thoughts and prayers to your family.*

*Cathrie and David Ogurcak 🙏*

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**cathrie ogurcak** - November 26, 2022 at 07:23 PM

MF

“ It is with great sadness to hear of Dr. Imadojemu's passing. She has been a compassionate, kind, thorough, and good natured doctor and will be sorely missed.

*My prayers and condolences to her family.*

*Meg Flaherty*

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**M. Flaherty** - November 26, 2022 at 05:44 PM

SC

“ Loved her as my doctor

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**sharon carbaugh** - November 26, 2022 at 11:15 AM

DS

“ To family of Dr. Imadojemu, sorry to hear of the passing of her. She was a wonderful Dr. Treating her patients with great respect & compassion. She will be greatly missed at the office. I pray that god will grant you peace & strength in this time of grief. May she rest in peace!!!! Thank you Dr. Imadojemu for being a wonderful Dr. That was filled with care & compassion for all your patients. Rest in peace my friend!!!!



Dawn Smith - November 25, 2022 at 08:46 PM

CH

“ Carole Hummel  
Virginia was a wonderful Doctor, she was a very caring and thorough Doctor. She took the time to listen and answer all your questions. She will be sadly missed!



Carole Hummel - November 25, 2022 at 05:16 PM

SG

“ As a patient of Dr. Imadojemu, I cannot imagine finding a more kind doctor. My deepest condolences to her family and friends. May love surround you and faith sustain you during this difficult time. Scott Gerhart



Scott Gerhart - November 25, 2022 at 01:23 PM

SB

“ We were so sad to hear that Virginia passed away. She was a friend, colleague, and neighbor (at one time). She was the kindest person you will ever meet. Her celebration of life on Saturday was very moving and revealed so much about her. She will be missed.  
Sandy Blosser and Craig Lahar

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**Sandralee Blosser** - November 21, 2022 at 02:03 PM

TS

“ Wow, we're stunned. She was such a great doctor, very thorough and friendly. Always took the time to listen. She will definitely be missed by me and my family (who also went to her).



*Brian Shaak (Teresa Shaak)*

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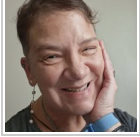
**Teresa Shaak** - November 17, 2022 at 02:00 PM

JD

“ Virginia was a gentle soul and wonderful colleague. May you all rejoice in her life well lived and remember that “blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.” Matt 5-4.

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**Joe Daley** - November 16, 2022 at 11:31 PM



“ *Dr. Virginia was my Sleep Specialist. She was so kind and patient. She always took plenty of time to listen to me and we always had such good conversations. She was not only my doctor but my friend. I will miss her terribly. My heart goes out to all of her family in their time of grief.* Annie Bowers



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**Annie Bowers** - November 16, 2022 at 09:44 PM

DS

“ *One of the most wonderful and caring physicians I have ever come a cross. A great loss to her family, those she cared for and the world at large.*

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**David Silber** - November 16, 2022 at 08:17 PM

AO

“ *It is so sad to hear of Virginia's passing. She was a beautiful person, and a cherished colleague.* Ann Ouyang

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**Ann Ouyang** - November 16, 2022 at 04:11 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virginia Imadojemu M.D.,M.Sc..*



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November 16, 2022 at 12:32 PM

SD

“ I am so sorry to hear of Virginia’s passing. I worked with her in internal medicine. She truly loved her patients and did whatever it took to care for them. Prayers of comfort and healing at this difficult time.

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**Sandy Dymond** - November 16, 2022 at 10:07 AM