



Fannie Mae Holland

September 17, 1944 - January 19, 2024

Fannie Mae Holland (Harris) was born September 17, 1944 in Monroe Louisiana to Willie Byrd Oliver and Barry James Barker. She graduated from Carroll High School in 1962. She married the love of her life, Isador Holland Jr, in 1965. A devoted wife and mother, Fannie balanced the challenge of being a military spouse with actively supporting her children in their activities. She volunteered as a chaperone, organized fundraisers, and led Girl Scout activities.

Fannie graduated from the University of Louisiana at Monroe with a Bachelor of Social Work Degree. She worked at the Council on Aging and Alzheimer's Association. She was a board member of the Northeast Sickle Cell Foundation. Fannie also held a leadership position in the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary (DAVA). She was extremely passionate about the Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Conference she organized. She had a strong drive for giving back, exemplifying her commitment to her community.

Fannie was a proud member of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority. She was an extremely active member of Progressive Baptist Church. Her favorite color was royal blue and she had a fondness for jewelry, especially pearls. She was an enthusiastic reader. She enjoyed watching all sports, but she especially enjoyed tennis and football. Fannie was an avid bowler and joined many leagues throughout the years.

Fannie passed away peacefully, surrounded by family, at her daughter's home in Powder Springs, Georgia on January 19, 2024.

Fannie was preceded in death by her husband, Isador Holland Jr, mother, Willie Byrd Harris, grandmother, Mahalie Mims, and her brother Charles Oliver.

Fannie is survived by her three daughters: Sherri (Marlon) Patrick, Cherri (Augustine) Esezobor, and Isadora (Felix) Walker. Her legacy lives on through her grandchildren: Thomas, Andria, Christine, Stephanie, Joshua, Chelsie, Malcolm, Demetrius, and Koa, as well as her great-grandchildren: Madison, Micah, Ariyon, and Xaiden. She is also survived by her brother Robert (Elaine) Oliver II, three sister-in-laws and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Previous Events

Chapel Service

JAN 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Alice Chapel of Miller Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

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“ *C. D. HECKARD lit a candle in memory of Fannie Mae Holland*



C. D. HECKARD - January 31, 2024 at 10:09 AM