



Ms. Barbara J. Hunter

June 28, 1932 - July 1, 2019

Barbara J. Hunter, 87, passed away on July 1, 2019. A longtime resident of Newport News, she was born on June 28, 1932 in Detroit, Michigan and raised in Beaufort, NC. After living in New York for a while, she moved to Newport News and was a long time employee of Vancosta Restaurant in Newport News until she retired in 2005.

Ms. Hunter was preceded in death by her husband, James Hunter, and her only son, Robert Jones.

She is survived by her grandsons, Robert Jones, Jr. of Charlotte, NC, and David Wilson of Hampton, Va; great-grandchildren Shawanda Johnson of Portsmouth, Va., Tatyana Jones of Georgia, Trinity Jones of Hampton, Va., Shamanerce Major, Joshua Major, and Rob Major of Newport News, Va.; one great-grandchild, Demeka Cooper of Hampton, Va.; Great-great grandchildren, Daelynn Johnson, Davonna Johnson and Damarklay Johnson, all whom she loved dearly; and a host of family and friends.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUL **12.** 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

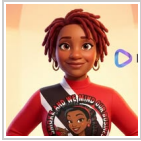
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Funeral Service

JUL **13.** 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to the family! She was a lovely woman. I remember meeting her at the food bank at my church. She always welcomed me with a smile. She loved the word. I always prayed with her. When she would see me she would always get the other ready to hear the word. She will be missed.*



Nicole Thomas-Monroe - July 23, 2019 at 09:51 AM



“ *SEPTEMBER 2010 I met "Granny" (Barbara Hunter) working at the Bus stop on the corner of Madison and Hampton Avenue. She was the 1st One Up Monday-Friday to see the children off to school safely every morning. Granny would sit on her porch in the evenings until all the afterschool buses had dropped of the children. She helped others selflessly and that is what I will cherish most about knowing her. I send my condolences to her family and friends. Thank You Mr. FISHER for always helping Granny especially when she needed it the most. I respect all the selfless acts of kindness that you showed to Granny over the years. May God Bless All who had the privilege to know Granny!*

Sister Moneka - July 12, 2019 at 06:45 PM



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“ *Ms. Barnes you will definitely be missed. I will never forget your kindness and loving spirit.*

Natisha Carter - July 10, 2019 at 04:47 PM

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Lee-Ann Lawrence - July 09, 2019 at 09:32 AM

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Barbara is our dear and treasured friend that we were blessed to know, we will miss her dearly, Lee-Ann & David Lawrence.

Lee-Ann Lawrence - July 10, 2019 at 09:10 AM