



Ms. Diane Bethea

June 4, 1949 - September 19, 2021

Ms. Diane Bethea, 71, of Dinwiddie, VA, was called home on September 19, 2021 at Chippenham Hospital, Richmond, VA. Diane was born on June 4, 1949 to the late Alberta and Herbert Bethea Sr. in Petersburg, VA.

She was preceded in death by two siblings, Herbert L. Bethea Jr. and Katherine Bannister.

Diane attended Petersburg Public Schools and graduated from Peabody High School in 1968. She worked at Brown and Williamson and Southside Virginia Training Center for a number of years. She was the owner/operator of "The Corner Grill" Restaurant in Petersburg, VA. Diane enjoyed traveling, cooking, reading, and giving the gift of laughter to everyone she met.

She is survived by her daughter, Chris Bethea Adu of Dinwiddie; son, Timothy Bethea (Barbara) of Richmond; Barbara Bethea; eleven grandchildren, Jessica, Justin, Jasmine, Jennifer, PJ, Mikiel, Dawid, Tasha, Ezra, Yonah and Amaris; five great-grandchildren, Madison, Mackenzie, Messiah, Ja'kayla, and baby Olyvija; a devoted friend of many years, Annie Harvelle Franklin; along with a host of nieces, nephews, family members, and friends.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at Dinwiddie Memorial Park, 7324 Church Rd., Petersburg, VA on Friday, September 24, 2021 at 12PM with Rev.

Dr. Antonio A. Tucker, Sr. officiating. Public viewing will be Thursday, September 23, 2021 from 2PM - 8PM.

Final Care and Compassionate Services are being provided to the family by the professional staff of Tucker & Fisher Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 415 Halifax St., Petersburg, VA 804-324-5529.

Cemetery Details

Dinwiddie Memorial Park

7324 Church Road
Petersburg, VA 23803

Previous Events

Bethea Public Viewing

SEP **23**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Tucker and Fisher Funeral Home
415 Halifax Street
Petersburg, VA 23803

Bethea Graveside

SEP **24**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Dinwiddie Memorial Park
7324 Church Road
Petersburg, VA 23803

Tribute Wall

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“ Sending our deepest condolences to the family, along with prayers. Been a while since I have seen Diane but we goes back to the Federal Street days. Some fond memories to remember along with laughs. Those memories I will cherish forever. Gone but never will be forgotten.
Rip Cuz



Bertha Bland (Cookie) - September 24, 2021 at 10:41 AM

DB

Extending my heartfelt condolences to the family of Diane. We grew up in the same neighborhood and attended the same school. She will be remembered in my thoughts and prayers. RIP

Delores Johnson Bland - September 25, 2021 at 01:07 AM

DB

Rest in Heavenly Peace Diane

Delores Johnson Bland - September 30, 2021 at 11:02 PM

GO

“ I am So Sorry to hear of the passing of Ms. Diane. One of our Own from SVTC. Condolences to her Children and her family and Friends. Keeping the Family in prayer during this Sad time.



Germaine Oliver - September 24, 2021 at 03:43 AM

VS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May the love of family, friends and special memories bring you comfort.*



Vilma short - September 23, 2021 at 09:24 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Life Tributes*



M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - September 23, 2021 at 11:57 AM



Chloe D Hill

My condolences to the family; she will be missed but not forgotten 🙏

Chloe D Hill - September 23, 2021 at 04:11 PM

DW

My condolences goes out to the family

Dianne Wilson - September 25, 2021 at 07:11 PM

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Dianne Wilson - September 25, 2021 at 07:11 PM

CC

“ *Dear TIM and CHRISANNE, I am truly sorry for the loss of your Mom. I haven't seen you all in years and I'm sending you My Love. Mrs. Carol Couretton HENRY, JACKSONVILLE, FL.*

Carol C. Henry - September 22, 2021 at 08:17 PM

TW

“ *Theresa Williams lit a candle in memory of Ms. Diane Bethea*



Theresa Williams - September 22, 2021 at 03:35 PM

AG

“ *My deepest condolences* 🌸



angelique s gilliam - September 22, 2021 at 03:29 PM

JA

“ *Words cannot even begin to express our sorrow. We would like to extend to Timothy, Chris & the Bethea family our heartfelt Condolences. Sending prayers of strength & comfort during this most difficult time.*

*Love,
Robert & Jewel Adams*

Jewel Adams - September 22, 2021 at 11:03 AM

HL

My sincerest condolences to the family of my classmate Diane Bethea. Sending prayers 🙏❤️ and love.

Hazel Lundy - September 26, 2021 at 08:32 PM

MA

My deepest sympathy to the family...Diane & I go back to our childhood days playing everyday together on and around Federal Street. My prayers are with each and everyone of you...God has each and every one of you.

Margie Taylor GOODWIN 🙏

Margie - September 27, 2021 at 03:46 PM