



Pallbearers & Floral Bearers

Friends & Family



Expression *of* Gratitude

The Huggins family gratefully acknowledge the many act of kindness that was rendered to them during the illness and passing of their loved one. Your prayers, love and presence was greatly appreciated and will always be remembered. Continue to keep us in your prayers.



In Loving Memory

of



Sunrise: March 16, 1960 - Sunset: June 22, 2020

Marian Darlene
Huggins

Saturday, June 27, 2020
1:00 PM

Graveside Service
Boone Cemetery
Bishopville, SC 29010

Obituary

Marian Darlene Hodge-Huggins was born on March 16, 1960 in Wake County, North Carolina and was the beloved daughter of the late Royal and Mary Hodge. She attended public schools in Wake Forest, North Carolina and graduated from Wake Forest-Roseville Senior High School in 1979.

The year 1979 was a special year for my queen or should I say for the both of us. We met and decided on forever and sealed our commitment to one another by uniting in holy matrimony on October 30th in Lamar, South Carolina. 40 years later until this moment, we have remained inseparable. She was truly my best friend and “forever my Queen.”

Through the guidance of her mother and father, Darlene came to know the Lord and accepted him as her personal Lord and Savior at a young age. She continued to honor her relationship with the father by extending helping hands to those who were in need.

Prior to her health challenges, she worked diligently in the hospitality industry, specifically at the Comfort Inn and Suites of Raleigh, North Carolina as well as farming. Her leisure activities included traveling, shopping for shoes and purses, puzzles, playing handheld games, and spending time with our daughter and grandchildren. She also enjoyed talking with and spending time with Uncle Billie and her Aunt Virginia.

Darlene was stern by nature yet caring, courageous, and outgoing. She enjoyed laughing especially at her grandchildren. She was very vocal and compassionate about what she believed in and would not back down for anyone but me. Well me neither.

Darlene was so beautiful to me but her greatest attribute was her strength. As I stood by her side and witnessed her fight the greatest fight of her life, she never complained. She just fought and accepted what God allowed. As I face the days ahead without my better half, I am left to reflect on the great memories and a greater press in to God for the same strength he extended to her.

She was a devoted mother, daughter, grandmother and niece like no other. My favorite title for her was MY WIFE.

Darlene went on to be with the Lord on Monday, June 22, 2020. Our hearts are left torn having to face tomorrow without her.

She is survived by our daughter, Marion (Demarco) Jennings, FeFe the fur baby, three grandchildren, De’Marionna, De’Marion, De’ Myiah of Albany, Georgia, three sisters; Gloria Hodge of Wake Forest, North Carolina, Sharon Debnam and Roslynn (Johnnithan) Lassiter, both of Raleigh, North Carolina, three sister in laws, Lula Mae Dixon of Bishopville, SC and Sara Lee (Melvin) Reed of Franklinton, North Carolina, and Alice (Eddie) Walker of Cassatt, South Carolina, one surviving brother; Daniel Hodge, two brother in laws, Sonnie Lee (Amelia) Huggins of Louisburg, NC and Henry Lee (Shae) Enoch of Darlington, SC, a host of nieces, nephews, family friends and loved ones.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Royal and Mary Hodge, one brother Royal Hodge, Jr, three Brother-in-laws Tommy Debnam, Willie Lee, Quannie, Jr. Huggins, Sister -in-law Mary Lee Jackson.

Order of Service

Processional	
Scripture	
Old Testament/New Testament	Pastor Pamela Rufus
Prayer.....	Apostle Derrick Slater
Selection.....	Michael Ervin Weeks
Remarks.....(2 mins).....	Family & Friends
Tribute to our Grandma	
Solo.....	Kristen Jamison
Words of Comfort.....	Thomasina Lucas
Musical Tribute.....	Kristen Jamison
Recessional/Viewing	



I think about you always,
I talk about you still
You will never be forgotten and
surely you never will.
I hold you close within my heart
And there you will remain
To walk and guide me through this life
Until we meet again.
Rest in Peace, My Queen.
Lovingly Submitted
by her Husband, James.

Tribute

My aunt was my inspiration, she was my muse. It’s not about how she died it’s about how she lived. We had good times and it was a lot of fun. God called her name and she answered. No more suffering and no more pain, it’s over. She’s in a better place and we have a lot of memories. I'm going to miss her a lot but I’m not going to cry. I’m going to celebrate her life and bring her memories along for the ride. God called her home just in time. She had a good ride and she will be missed, but I will never forget her and that’s a promise. She will always and forever be in my heart and I will always love her even though I didn’t get to say goodbye. I’m not going cry but instead I'm going to live my life for her.

Your loving niece, Jamee