



Carolyn Harrison Smythe

April 21, 2024

Carolyn Ann Harrison Johnson Smythe, on Sunday, April 21, 2024 at University Medical Center New Orleans. Born on January 6, 1941, the only daughter of the late Jacob Greenup Harrison and Bernice Dorsey Harrison, in New Orleans she was a lifelong resident. Survived by her only child, Catrice Ann Johnson-Reid (Winston); adoring grandson, Collin Andrew Reid; brothers, Jacob and Oliver, Sr. (Lynette) Harrison; sister-in-law, Vera Harrison; nephews, Jonas (Daisy), Oliver, Jr. (Keira), and Matthew Harrison; nieces, Opal H. Ford (Eric), Jade H. Dervil (Jean), Melissa H. Fortuna (Lawrence) and Jace Harrison; godchildren, Christina Smith and Michael Harrison, and a host of other relatives and friends. Preceded in death by her parents, brother, Melvin Harrison and both husbands, John Henry Johnson and Tony Smythe. Relatives and friends, clergy and parishioners of Corpus Christi-Epiphany Catholic Church, Joseph S. Clark High School, Dillard University, employees/retirees of the Orleans Parish Public School System (William O. Rogers, Valena C. Jones, John Dibert and Stuart Bradley), State of Louisiana Workforce Commission, St. Augustine High School, Still A Friend of Mine, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. New Orleans Alumnae Chapter and DST Divine 89 are invited to attend a Mass of Christian Burial at Corpus Christi-Epiphany Catholic Church, 2022 St. Bernard Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70119, Saturday, May 4, 2024 at 10:00am. Visitation at 9:00 am. Interment at St. Louis #3 Cemetery and Mausoleum. Arrangements by D.W. Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Ave. Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to

sign the online guestbook.

Cemetery Details

St. Louis #3 Cemetery

3421 Esplanade Ave
New Orleans, LA 70119

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 4. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Corpus Christi Catholic Church
2022 St. Bernard Ave
New Orleans, LA 70117

Funeral Service

MAY 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

Corpus Christi Catholic Church
2022 St. Bernard Ave
New Orleans, LA 70117

Tribute Wall

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“ Carolyn was such a wonderful friend and I looked up to her as a big sister. We met our first year at Stuart R. Bradley, and had been friends until her passing. Along with another Carolyn, we were inseparable, sharing so much together. She will be truly missed. Keeping you all in my prayers. Love , Jean Chester

Jean Chester - May 03, 2024 at 04:22 PM