



Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Durham

March 10, 1957 - December 4, 2021

No obituary found for this tribute.

Cemetery Details

Cedar Hill Cemetery

4111 Pennsylvania Ave
Suitland, MD 20746

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Camp Springs Community Church
8040 Woodyard Rd.
Clinton, MD 20735

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Durham*

October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *My precious "Big Sister" Apostle Deborah (Debbie) as my Dad loved to call her. Though I'm sad, I rejoice that you are no longer suffering and are now in the presence and loving arms of our Lord and Savior. I will always remember how you changed from my young son's babysitter to a close family member. Your joy and love for the Lord, as well as your love for His children, will always inspire me. I have wonderful memories of us growing and learning together in the Lord and of you participating in my family events. My late Father Alfred and my Mother adopted you as their honorary daughter, forever. I treasure the times you came to visit me in Ohio and all the fun we had together. I am honored that my home was a "home away from home" where you could find peace and refreshment. Rest my Sister, until we meet again face to face in His Glory! Love and miss you!!*

Brenda Jones - February 23, 2022 at 01:57 PM

PH

“ My beloved Sis and Friend Apostle Deborah Durham! Tomorrow is destined to come, my heart dreads it so! I know I have to say my final farewell here on this side! I have so many memories of our 40 yrs. journey here on earth! Working together; rearing our children together; laughing; crying; travelling; fellowshiping; praying; having you and my Bro. Floyd reside over the renewal of Carlton's and my marriage vows, and most of all serving in the Kingdom of God, together! You will always hold a special place in our hearts! Until we meet again rest in peace beloved Sis. To God be all the glory for the many years of your awesome creativity, boldness, love and sincere commitment to the building of families, communities and to the Kingdom of God!

Love Pastors Sandra and Carlton Hill 🕊️🕊️🕊️

Pastor Sandra Hill - December 14, 2021 at 09:29 PM

SF

“ Shekinah Glory Deliverance Church Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Durham.



Shekinah Glory Deliverance Church Family - December 14, 2021 at 01:23 PM



“ Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Durham.



December 14, 2021 at 09:59 AM

BM

“ I am so Sorry to hear about the Death of a General in the Army of the Lord Apostle Dr. Deborah Durham. I thank God that I met her and was able to worship with he, her family and her church family on several occasions. The peace I find is that she now rest in the arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. I believe if she was able to speak today she would say as Apostle Paul stated in 2 Timothy 4:7-8 " I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.

As for me I choose to believe that Apostle Durham is not dead, but she has been transformed into a **NEW PEACEFUL LIFE STYLE** with our **LORD & SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST**. Praise God for Her life and Praise God for her **VICTORY:!**

Rest My Sister, Rest, You deserve it.! Love to All!

Yours in Christ Jesus,
Bishop Estavia E. Mitchell,
Tabernacle of Praise Ministries.

Bishop Estavia Mitchell - December 14, 2021 at 12:14 AM

LH

“ Deborah Ann I am going to miss our hanging outs, our talks, going shopping. Rest well my friend.

LaRuth Harper - December 13, 2021 at 02:19 PM

AH

“ Apostle, I will miss you very much. You were always down with me when it came to the Children Ministry know matter what I planed or crazy ideas I had you would say go for it and be right there with me. You would say (I Bump you) I say thank you for pushing me in to my Ministry. Even when it came to the Precious jewels dance ministry you was there
Thank you for loving me like one of your own daughter. I have so many memory eating crabs, pools parties in the backyard and sliding downing the hill in the backyard just the times we spend together laughing and having fun. Pastor Angela

ANGELA HARPER - December 13, 2021 at 11:52 AM

J(

“ Women of God, Servant, Minister, Reverend & Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Deborah, so many memories. Has I type this remembering the day God hooked us together spiritually through a dream and then for the work of the Lord. There is not enough of room to share and this is hard to type. But to sum everything my mentor, spiritual mother, friend and Apostle for 9yrs. I thank God for allowing the Christ in you and through you to be in my life for 22yrs./26yrs. All together. Mom you are with the Lover of your soul and your journey is over here on earth. Enjoy your rest in our Father God arms. Truly a gift from God I will miss you mom💕💕

Love your spiritual daughter,

Janice McMillian (Greene)💕🙌

Janice McMillian (Greene) - December 13, 2021 at 11:10 AM

TE

“ You will be missed Apostle you knew who I was and pushed me to greatness. I will always love you

Tesha - December 12, 2021 at 07:58 PM

LM

“ I will miss the times Apostle and I spent hours in Tunneycliffs Tavern on Capitol Hill. We enjoyed good meals and fun conversations about everything. It was always our time to let our hair down and just be free to be us. To my friend know you will be missed but never forgotten.

Lois Minnis - December 12, 2021 at 06:47 PM

LM

“ Let's R.O.C.K Outreach Ministries lit a candle in memory of Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Durham



Let's R.O.C.K Outreach Ministries - December 12, 2021 at 09:30 AM

AW

“ There is so much to be said about Apostle Deborah L. Durham that there is not enough time nor space in this article to put into words. I saw her in many different ways. She was an apostle, a wife, a Commander, a sister, a confidant, teacher, non-judgmental, and loving toward all people. How could so many gifts be inside of one person. Children loved her! She had the ability to see a person for who they are behind the mask. She knew how to bring out the gifts in a person. She created leaders. She showed love and mercy. She was the perfect example of a god-fearing woman. She is one I strive to be like by living the life after God's own heart. God bless the Durham family. May God continue to grow and prosper you in all areas of your life.

Alicia Weeden - December 12, 2021 at 09:10 AM

RB

“ Greetings to all, one of my greatest memory's, is when I first met Apostle mom Deborah L Durham, was over the phone when she went to see Teresa Gadsden, she was talking but I didn't see her face, so I said to myself well let me not show my face, just as I was about to get out of view, here comes Apostle mom face into the view it was to late for me, she saw me Apostle mom was smiling and she called me son, that was it I was hooked from that day on, I only known Apostle mom Deborah L Durham for a short time, but the love and care that she has shown me will last forever, because she made and shown me that I mattered, Apostle mom will always have a place in my heart, the God that was in her shown me how to look at things totally different ,missed but not forgotten servant / DeaconBrown.

Ricardo A Brown - December 12, 2021 at 09:09 AM

SC

“ My prayers are with the family. We went to college together. I enjoy how the Lord allow us to cross path.

Sidney Casey - December 11, 2021 at 08:54 PM

AS

“ I would like to my deepest condolences to the Durham family. I pray that God will continue to bless and keep each one of you. Apostle Durham was one who gave me words of encouragement when ever I called. She will be missed. 🙏🙏

Apostle Janice Swiney - December 11, 2021 at 04:42 PM

PT

“ *My Sister, my friend and co-laborer in the Lord, thank you for always being consistently consistent with me even during the hard conversations. You always accepted and welcomed me with that smile. I heard this this morning for you “ one- two unbuckle your shoe, three-four: open the door, five-six: pick up your kicks, seven-eight: come through the gate, nine-ten: COME ON IN!!!! Love hugs always*

Pamela M. Thomas - December 11, 2021 at 04:40 PM

DM

“ *NLCC would like to extend our deepest condolences and prayers to the family and church family. Apostle was truly a awesome woman of God who was a friend and sister to me and NLCC the Lord continue to strengthen you in days ahead.*

Deven McCormick - December 11, 2021 at 04:21 PM

MB

“ *Debra you were more than a sister-in-law to me. We pretty much grew up together. Some in-laws cut ties when their sibling dies but you would not let me go, you made sure I stayed connected to this family. I will really miss you.*

Meriel Brooks - December 11, 2021 at 02:08 PM

CW

“ Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Durham, a.k.a. "Dr. Rhyme". You were the very first person I'd ever known to break a nursery rhyme down to where it pointed to Jesus. You were unique. .. You chose me, a person who had (in my eyes) nothing to offer, who was broken, to be your Adjutant. And so began the rebuilding. The Lord used you to show me TRUE Leadership and how much He really loves me. Your heart was bigger than the universe and it showed. Even though I'm going to miss hearing your voice when you'd say, "Hey", with the smile that came through the phone when you'd call, somehow knowing I needed it at that time. I know you are finally getting your long overdue rest, for now, till that "great-gettin-up-morning". It was an honor to serve such royalty. I pray I served you well and I can continue to make you and the Lord smile. You prepared the way, now it's up to me to stay steadfast as I step into my destiny. Thank you for your uniqueness; I loved it. You said you loved mine as well. I will always love, appreciate and miss you more than I could ever say and more than anyone will ever know.

Cece Weeden - December 11, 2021 at 01:57 PM

CW

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Cece Weeden - December 11, 2021 at 12:40 PM

SS

“Apostle was an amazing person. I loved her dearly. I have so many beautiful memories that I will cherish always ❤️❤️ She loved God more than anything. I find comfort in knowing she's resting with God. No more pain. She told me that she was there to watch over me for my grandma.. and she truly did. Even in her own storm she prayed for me constantly and I loved her so much for that. I am going to miss her so much.. Time waits for no one.. I pray that we all make time to visit our loved ones and keep the faith. God loves us all 💜💜💜

Starlette Summers - December 11, 2021 at 12:16 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Apostle Dr. Deborah L. Durham.*



December 11, 2021 at 12:01 PM



“ *Dear Apostle, thank you for all that you put in me through Christ. I'm going to truly, truly, miss you. I love you.*

Love You Much,

Tawatha

Tawatha Boone - December 11, 2021 at 11:49 AM



“ *My memories of Apostle Durham was getting to know her and learning more about the incredible God she served. I was truly blessed to have been in her presence and all of the movie nights we all shared together. I will miss you dearly Apostle Durham.*

Wanda McDaniels - December 11, 2021 at 10:32 AM



“ *Sister each day gets harder and harder. Knowing I can only speak to you in spirit but our time in this earth has seized. I'll Always love you and hold true to my hearts your last words spoken. Peace be with you until we meet again. My precious angel rest easy.*

Ray Brooks - December 11, 2021 at 10:32 AM

YM

“ To my Sweet Apostle,
As the tears roll down my eyes and my heart feel all kinds of ways
with my mind so confused Of your departure, So many nights I
prayed that God would send me to a church that would except me
as I am and in the nick of time he did just that, I thank you for the
knowledge and the endless love you showed to me and my son
Za’Mir never holding my the way you felt about us once, With all of
your teachings and all of your corrections know that I will hold them
deep to my heart.

Thank you💔 Missing you endlessly my sweet Apostle Debra
Durham

Lonni & Zamir

Yolonda Lonni Mckenzie - December 11, 2021 at 10:31 AM

RB

“ Forgive me all, I tried this voice to text typos, anyway my very first
encounter with Apostle mom, Deborah L Durham, was over the
phone and she was talking to me, but I didn't see her face and that
was the very first time Apostle called me her son, but I called myself
trying to duck out from being seen on the phone, and here comes
her face smiling at caught me before I can leave and I was
hooked, in the short time that I have known apostle mom, the God in
her has open my eyes to look at things differently and to encourage
me to go forward, and she also allowed me to really feel like I
mattered, I'm really missing that and I'm very GRATEFUL to God for
Apostle mom Deborah L Durham, I do have more but this is were
I'm going to stop.

Ricardo A Brown - December 11, 2021 at 10:15 AM

RB

“ My very first memory of a possum mom was I spoke to her on the phone and I Heard a Voice and never saw her face and I called myself about the dog out the picture before she got in the picture and I see her face coming around and caught me with that smile and I was is hooked from there I have so many in the short time that I had with her but that was one of the greatest memory on ahead of Apostle also a memory was when she had a meeting with me and have me go back in time and look at something differently than I ever thought about and that will always remain with me miss her a lot



Ricardo A Brown - December 11, 2021 at 09:59 AM

TK

“ Today, I remember your life Apostel Deborah L. Durham and celebrate all your wonderful memories. Your great leadership and principles has made me the man of god I am. You will for ever be missed and remember in my life.



Trokon Karyeah - December 11, 2021 at 09:57 AM



“ I called her God to Deborah. She was always spot on with what she told the crew(Midge, Tiffany, and me.) sometimes Jackie and Crystal. We ran from her and Rev. Dusty constantly but they kept on us. Apostle Durham loved hard with every encounter and always spoke in and with faith! She loved her entire family blood or not. I will always remember her smile and kindness shown to me and my family.



Manyka Gaither - December 10, 2021 at 09:10 AM

BS

“ *The Swinson and Darden family send our love, prayer, and condolence to the family God bless.*

Beverly Swinson - December 09, 2021 at 10:38 PM

TG

“ *Apostle (MOM) has provided many moments with me I can recall. But the one I want to mention are her many phone calls to me. Our conversations we to edify and build up. She speak wisdom in times I was going through something at the time. Apostle-MOM was my angel and my rock in my weary situations. She taught and spoke things in my life I will always carry with me. Love you MOM!*

Teresa Gadsden - December 09, 2021 at 09:56 PM

AS

“ *Auntie Deborah, thank you for blessing me with my name, for covering me as a little girl, loving all of your nieces and nephews like we were your own, for speaking life into me and always praying for me. My heart breaks every time I think of you not being here but I hear you saying Precious, God provides. Wondering who has the sweet potato casserole secret? You will be missed Auntie.
#BrooksFamilyMatriarch*

Adrienne Stephenson - December 09, 2021 at 09:13 PM



“ We the March Family and Marshall-March Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - December 06, 2021 at 03:53 PM