



Shirley Jean Rollins

January 10, 1937 - August 25, 2023

Born on January 10, 1937 in Wilson, NC to Johnie W. Jones and Marie Lofton Jones, Shirley Jones (Rollins) joined her parents and the rest of her siblings in relocating to Washington, D.C. where she matriculated in the D.C. public schools, eventually graduating from Spingarn High School in 1954. She later enrolled in Miner Teacher's College. During a brief break in her college years, she married Leroy J. Rollins, Sr. in 1958 and later graduated in 1959 with a degree in biology. After graduation she was hired to teach general science at Kelly Miller Junior High School in Washington, D.C. She and her husband were blessed with the birth of their son Leroy J. Rollins, Jr. in 1964. She went on to obtain a masters degree in counseling from Bowie State College and transitioned to become a counselor at Kelly Miller Junior High. She was promoted to Assistant Principal and was later transferred to Hine Junior High School to assume that same position until her retirement in 1993. Shirley was a gifted and highly respected educator and administrator who was loved and remembered by her fellow educators and students.

Shirley was predeceased by her parents, Johnie and Marie Jones, her husband Leroy J. Rollins, Sr., and siblings Robert Jones, Cecelia Krider, Ruby McCoy, Johnie W. Jones, Jr., Charles A. Jones, and Joan Bullock. She is survived by her son Leroy J. Rollins, Jr., sisters Annetta Lawson (Freddy) and Scarlett M. Wilson, MD (Charles) as well as a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Lincoln Memorial Cemetery

4101 Suitland Rd
Suitland, MD 20746

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

MARSHALL-MARCH FUNERAL HOME OF MD
4308 SUITLAND ROAD SUITLAND MARYLAND 20746
SUITLAND, MD 20746

Tribute Wall



“ *Marshall-March Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Shirley Jean Rollins*



Marshall-March Funeral Homes - September 05, 2023 at 05:00 PM



“ *Shirley Jean Rollins*

October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *Bootie and Scarlett,
We are so sorry that we were unable to attend Jean's service. Age has slowed us down tremendously. You are in our thoughts and prayers. We love you cousins!
Jr and Rose*



Grover Jones Jr - September 07, 2023 at 09:13 PM

 CJ

“ My Aunt "Dr. Shirley Jean Rollins" Educator, Teacher, Principal , Neighbor, Family. I will miss our conversations had about the World and what is wrong with it. Also going to be some time when I don't look at your home when leaving the neighborhood and stopping by to fix the television for you. Love You Aunt Jean tell everyone Charl said Hello. Your Neice Charl Jones and Great Nephew Gregory Smith.

Charl Jones - September 06, 2023 at 08:39 AM



“ 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 - September 01, 2023 at 05:04 PM

 CJ

Dr. Shirley J. Rollins. "Aunt Jean". I will miss my Aunt, Neighbor, Family the talks we had about the World and what wrong with it. My Condolences to LeRoy cousin, her son.

Charl Jones - September 05, 2023 at 08:39 PM