



Barbara Ann Dallas

July 6, 1956 - September 19, 2019

Barbara Ann Dallas (nee Minott)

Barbara Ann Dallas, 63, passed away Thursday, September 19, 2019 at the home of her daughter, Keisha Dallas, in Orlando. Barbara was born July 6, 1956 in St. Andrew, Jamaica to the late John Arthur and Ignota Elouise (Campbell) Minott. She was the beloved mother of Keisha, Kevin and Sabina; the beloved sister of George, Pauline, Jackie, Genevieve and Winsome. She was the beloved aunt to Andre, Steve, Mark, Roxanne, Nicola, Omar, Tamara, Stephanie and many other nieces, nephews, cousins, family members and friends. Our mother enjoyed the simple things in life. She grew in Vineyard Town in Kingston, Jamaica. She attended Foster's Pre-primary, Mavis-Ville Preparatory, Excelsior High School and the University of Technology where she qualified to become a High School Business Education Teacher. She taught Business Education subjects for several years at Camperdown High School, Kingston, Jamaica, preparing students for business careers and for higher education; she met and married Alton Dallas and immigrated to South Florida. She attended Sheridan Vocational Technical School in Hollywood, FL where she became a License Practical Nurse (LPN). She practiced as a nurse for 29 years. Her patients called her their "ANGEL." The care and compassion she had for them made them feel loved and appreciated. Growing up our mother helped everyone she could and looked for nothing in return. She was giving, loving, kind, accommodating, smart, humble, funny, happy, determined, forgiving, encouraging, and honest to the bone no matter what! She touched

many people, family, friends, neighbors and strangers. Barbara will always be remembered as a loving and kind hearted person devoted to her faith. Friends are invited to attend a visitation Wednesday, September 25, 2019 from 5-8pm at A Community Funeral Home & Sunset Cremations, 910 West Michigan Street, Orlando. A Funeral Service will be held Thursday, September 26, 2019 at 11:00 am at the funeral home followed by burial in Greenwood Cemetery, Orlando.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **25.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

A Community Funeral Home & Sunset Cremations
910 W. Michigan Street
Orlando, FL 32805
(407) 841-4424
<https://www.acommunityfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

SEP **26.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

GC

“ I just found out that Barbara died; we were at CAST in 1974 - 1977 one of the souls you always want to be with, fragrantly adorned in radiance light. In soto voce I whisper silently and pray to meet such spirit on Earth as in Heaven?

Grace Claire - January 02, 2021 at 09:53 PM

BM

“ My sincerest condolences to Jackie, my high school classmate and friend, and family, the Minott family and the Dallas family of our beloved Barbara. May you find comfort in the fond memories of her. May her soul rest in peace.

Warmly remembered by
Bev Macko and family.

Bev Macko - September 27, 2019 at 10:34 AM

DL

“ I have had the pleasure of attending high school with Barbara. I knew her family and was also a friend if her sister Jackie. Barbara always had a smile and was very gentle and even tempered. May Barbara rest in peace. To her entire family I wish you God's blessings. May you all find the will to continue although your lives will never be the same. Sincerely, Dorothy Lawrence.

Dorothy Lawrence - September 26, 2019 at 04:45 PM



“ *NikkiNik Thompson sent a virtual gift in memory of Barbara Ann Dallas*



NikkiNik Thompson - September 26, 2019 at 10:33 AM



“ *My condolences to auntie Barbara and the family. She was sweet to my daughters and I, and she will be truly missed. Rest In Peace angel*



NikkiNik Thompson - September 26, 2019 at 10:29 AM



My condolences to the family of Auntie Barbara. It was a pleasure being in her presence

NikkiNik Thompson - September 26, 2019 at 10:53 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Dallas.*



September 24, 2019 at 06:30 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara Ann Dallas.*



September 24, 2019 at 02:26 PM



“ *Sabrina D. purchased the Garden of Sweet Memories Casket Spray for the family of Barbara Ann Dallas.*



Sabrina D. - September 24, 2019 at 12:43 PM

KE

“ Dear Keisha
I will always love you Kevin and Sabrina.

For Barbara Ann

I never knew a day without my beloved sister Barbara until the 19th September 2019, she was approximately two years older and she was a guide for me all these years.

I relied on her loving, caring and honest self to be a shining light and a beacon. She was the best of us I often say. We played as children, went to church and school together and we shared our friends.

The sisters who came before us focused on the arts at Excelsior High school, Barbara was the first to embrace the sciences, she was brilliant and excelled at Biology and Chemistry and Mathematics. As a result of her scholarship, I followed in her footsteps and this changed my life, analytical skills, and perspectives on life.

As a teenager she gave her life to Christ and was baptized. She had always since that time kept God at the center of all her decisions, and guided us when we had problems accordingly. She was one of the family's prayer warriors. "Never forget to pray."

She got married and wherever she was I felt welcome and at home. She shared the joy of mothering her children and her gentle spirit could not be missed.

When I had my daughter, Barbara loved Stef very much and shared all the wisdom she had gained on her journey unselfishly with the next generation.

Barbara always wanted to please God first. I am sure that she has gone to be with the Lord and she will hear "Well done good and faithful servant, you have been faithful over a few things I will make you ruler over many."

- Winsome

Keisha - September 24, 2019 at 08:22 AM

PK

Well said Winsome. Couldn't be any less. May her soul Rest In Peace.

Pauline Kerr-Morrison - September 25, 2019 at 11:32 AM

KE

“ **TRIBUTE TO AUNTIE BABS**

Auntie Babs found a heart shaped leaf in her garden earlier this year, which she shared with Marlon and I to remind us of the beauty of our love and that God's message of love was present everywhere, we just needed to look around us. Similarly, when a spectrum of green, blue, yellow lights reflected onto her doorsteps, revealing to her the peace and reassurance of God's presence in what may have otherwise been lonely and tough moments, she shared her revelations with everyone she came across, encouraging those who were struggling through their own doubts and challenges, always with a blessing.

God manifested himself to Auntie Babs in so many moments like these, and she passed her encounters with him to each of us, in a similar way to Jesus how He shared parables to reach his disciples and us all centuries later.

Auntie Babs' prayers and messages of love have made me a better daughter, niece, aunt, wife and mother to be. I know that just as Jesus' parables have grown in meaning to me and increasingly been my guide, so too will her influence grow in their meaning, on each reflection, and with each memory, in the various seasons of life

Keisha - September 24, 2019 at 07:56 AM

KE

Written by Stephanie

Keisha - September 24, 2019 at 07:57 AM

GS

OUR SYMPATHY TO BARBARA'S FAMILY

As you mourn the loss of someone so special, remember she is gone home to join her Royal Family in her eternal home so in our sadness lets celebrate, her laugh that echoes, her memories and her life continues to inspire. May God grant you peace and comfort each day.

Love you.

Granville & Sonia

Granville & Sonia Saunders - September 26, 2019 at 08:27 AM

KE

“ *Keisha lit a candle in memory of Barbara Ann Dallas*



Keisha - September 23, 2019 at 11:41 PM

KE

“ *11 files added to the tribute wall*



Keisha - September 23, 2019 at 11:41 PM

KE

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Keisha - September 23, 2019 at 11:33 PM



“ My condolences to the family of my beloved cousin Barbara. I take comfort that because of her faith I am ensured I will see here again. Gone too soon but safe in the arms of the Saviour.
Lennox.



Lennox Campbell - September 23, 2019 at 02:53 PM

SW

“ My deepest condolences go to Barbara's three children, her sisters, brother, as well as her other dear relatives and friends. Barbara was a woman of deep faith, courage and kindness. I was always impressed by her strength and positive attitude, as she underwent very serious illness and treatment. May she find eternal rest and may God provide comfort and strength to her loving family during this difficult time.

Sybil Williams
Pembroke Pines, FL.

Sybil Williams - September 21, 2019 at 12:16 PM