



Norma M. Robinson

April 3, 1935 - May 29, 2020

Norma M. Robinson, 85, of Syracuse passed away with her loving family by her side on May 29, 2020. Norma was born in Chicago, IL on April 3, 1935 to the late George A. Sparks and Mary McClellan Sparks. She has lived in Syracuse since 1951.

Norma is survived by her sister, Marva Sparks and her six children, Arthur (Jackie) Robinson, Jr., Audrey (Ernest) Matthews, Alvin Robinson, Loretta Robinson, Richard (Frances) Robinson, Pedro (Isabel) Jimenez, Jr., several grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren.

Services and burial will be private (Oakwood Cemetery). To attend the services remotely, at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 2nd, please use the link on Norma's tribute page at www.faroneandsoninc.com to watch the live webcast.

Comments



“ I have know Ms Robinson For many many years . She was always a kind woman. To the Robinson family you all had a loving mom. She will be missed

laurie Miller Smith - June 02 at 11:17 PM



“ Paula Straughter lit a candle in memory of Norma M. Robinson



Paula Straughter - June 02 at 02:26 PM



“ I have known Mother Robinson since I moved to Syracuse. She was a true Awesome woman of God. Powerful and real Mother of faith...Patricia Y. Hamilton-Hill

Patricia Hamilton-Hill - June 02 at 02:13 PM



“ I have known the Robinson family for many years. Ms. Robinson have always been sweet and kind to me. I haven't seen her in so many years. Looking at her tributes definitely shows that she touched so many lives through encouragement, inspiration, caring and love. Sending my condolences, and prayers to the Robinson family. May God give you all comfort and strength during this time of need. May she rest peacefully in the eternal presence of our Lord. May God bless you all...



Kathy Furr - June 02 at 02:05 PM



“ Sending prayers and condolences from the family of Lutishey Howze.

Angel Howze - June 02 at 01:09 PM



“ To the family of Norma M Robinson,

Know that all of you are in our thoughts and prayers. We send our heart felt thoughts to all of you, that you will always remember the times you shared together, fall back on happy memories to lift your spirits and may you find comfort in knowing that Norma' s suffering has ended and that she is in a better place.

Sincerely,

Michelle and Brian Snyder
&
Kristin and Matt Stewart

michelle - June 02 at 12:41 PM



“ Thank you for sharing this beautiful Service today. We will miss her smile and sweet spirit. Always praying. Forever Family! Evangelist Lashea Simon Mack

Lashea Mack - June 02 at 12:03 PM



“ ZINA CHANDLER lit a candle in memory of Norma M. Robinson



ZINA CHANDLER - June 02 at 11:00 AM



“ Regina Johnson-Powell lit a candle in memory of Norma M. Robinson



Regina Johnson-Powell - June 02 at 10:52 AM



“ Mother Robinson, you will be missed. I will miss our conversations and visits. Rest in heaven. We love you....The Matthews.

Eric and Bridgette

Bridgette Montgomery-Matthews - June 02 at 10:36 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Norma M. Robinson.



June 02 at 09:17 AM



“ Dear Pedro and Family,
We are so very sorry for your loss. The loss of a loved one is never easy and I'm sure even more difficult during these trying times. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Please reach out if we can help in anyway.
With our deepest sympathy and love,
Dave and Amanda Stratton

Amanda Stratton - June 02 at 09:05 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Norma M. Robinson.



June 01 at 10:38 PM



“ Mother Robinson was an insightful, encouraging woman of God - mourning her departure but rejoicing in her life in Christ!

Monica Johns - June 01 at 09:02 PM



“ My world will be the lesser for my dear friend Norma no longer being in it. From the first time I met her, I felt a drawing towards this beautiful woman who carried herself with such poise and dignity, exuding a warmth that one wanted to be near. I quickly grew to love Norma after we began spending time together. That is because, as you her family know, she is really easy to love.

I say "she is," for we know that, because of her vital faith and trust in Christ, our Redeemer, she is now fully with the One Whom she has loved with all her heart and Who has loved her from the moment He created her in her mother's womb. Because this is so, I do not mourn for her. I grieve only for us who will sorely miss her being with us here in this world.

One of the greatest sorrows of my life is that this pandemic kept me from being near my beloved friend these past months. I was so very happy when she was discharged from the physical rehab in the nursing home. When she came through the double doors into our apartment complex, my heart leaped for joy. We greeted each other with a big hug. I remember feeling as if I never wanted to let go. My friend had finally gotten to come back to her home--here we only lived across the hall from each other.

I felt as if I didn't want to let go of her. But then, because of this terrible pandemic, that is exactly what I had to do. To my deep distress, I only got to spend time with her once more.

I have so often thought of how she introduced me proudly as her "best friend" to those caring for her at the hospital and later at the nursing home. These words made my heart sing, for they made me know that my friend Norma loved me as I loved her. Our friendship is one of the greatest blessings of this journey, and I look forward to its continuing when I join her in the place that Christ has prepared for those who have given their hearts to Him.

In my prayers for my friend over these past months, I have often given thanks that, though I could not be with her, you, the family who has loved her so devotedly and whom she loved with everything in her, were. Reading that she was surrounded by all of you as she left this world, my heart was greatly comforted.

While I enjoyed so many things that Norma and I did together, the richest part of our relationship was sharing our lives and the love we had for our families. She had proudly shown me the photos of all of you, as she told stories about you. Therefore, it was a truly joyful thing for me when I got to meet some of you in person. It was also quite beautiful to observe the love and attentiveness of all of you, her children, towards your mother.

I can only imagine the sorrow that you are experiencing now. I pray that your hearts may be comforted in knowing how deeply loved you all were and by all the precious memories you have of her. And also by the hope of one day being reunited with her in the wondrous place where she will be waiting for you to join her.

Carolyn Roseman - June 01 at 05:52 PM



“ Dear Pedro and family, we are so very sorry for the loss of your Mother. You are in our Prayers and may God bring you His Peace and Love at this very difficult time.
Joyce and Jerry Reap

Joyce - June 01 at 03:11 PM



“ My heart and prayers are with the family and every one in the building where she lived sends their condolences They love Mother Robinson very much

michelle m Mckenzie - June 01 at 10:54 AM



“ Mommie I will always be with you. You have raised 7 children and you were the best Mother any child could ever have. I miss you already so much. I love you mommie.
Your youngest daughter Loretta Robinson



Loretta Robinson - June 01 at 07:49 AM



“ From Arthur and Jackie Robinson purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Norma M. Robinson.



From Arthur and Jackie Robinson - June 01 at 07:35 AM



“ Mother Robinson was a Beautiful woman of God. My prayers and condolences to the family. RIH Mother!

Margaret Worthy - May 31 at 11:50 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Norma M. Robinson.



May 31 at 06:33 PM



“ The matriarch of the family, I know that my grandmother's passing is going to be hard for a lot of people. One of my fondest memories of her was making me put orange juice in my cereal when we didn't have any milk lol. Granny always made due with what she had and taught a level of respect that will be passed down generation to generation. I'm grateful to have known my grandmother because a lot of people don't have that opportunity. She watched me grow up and she watched me say I do at my wedding. I will always remember her lively personality and energy that nobody could match. I thank everybody that has written on the tribute wall and purchased flowers. Her legacy WILL live on.



Uri Robinson - May 31 at 04:43 PM



“ My prayers and thoughts are with you as you lay our precious Mother Robinson to rest. God bless.

Evangelist Myrlene Jones - June 02 at 02:57 PM



“ The lost of a cousin, sister, and second mother that I loved so dearly. She meant so many things to so many. My heart is heavy with pain from the loss of someone as dear as my mother. Norma thank you for being in my life. I see my mother smiling you are there with her. Love you always.

Ernest Howard - May 31 at 03:54 PM



“ My condolences all of you and may God comfort y'all at this difficult time. Norma was such a nice lady with a beautiful smile my mom's old long time neighborhood friend. God bless
Jenny Jones
Laurel Maryland

Jenny Jones - May 31 at 03:46 PM



“ Aunt Norma, you were and are so loved. The last of a generation and connection to Grandma Howard. You were always there and just such a positive presence. Sending our love and prayers from Boston.

Yvonne Howard - May 30 at 08:28 PM



“ Alvin, & Loretta so sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. She is at peace now. God Bless you all in this difficult time.

Melanie Smith - May 30 at 07:37 PM



“ The Vasquez Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Norma M. Robinson.





“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Norma M. Robinson.



May 30 at 06:06 PM