



Rosalee Pamela Griffiths

August 15, 1948 - November 26, 2020

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Rosalee Pamela Griffiths was born on August 15, 1948 in the Castleton District of Balaclava, in St. Elizabeth Jamaica W.I., to Greta Chambers and Ronald Griffiths. She attended Balaclava Catholic Church, where she cultivated her relationship with God. After attending school in Balaclava, she was employed as a seamstress. Later on, she met and married Joseph “Ervin” Lloyd and of this union raised 7 children.

In 1976, she moved to New York where she worked in childcare. It was in New York City, where her work ethic was put into full effect, with her working 7 days a week to support and set a responsible example for her family. Once she established herself by becoming an American citizen, she worked tirelessly to bring her children and husband here. It was her one desire to bring up her family to provide better opportunities for them. Family was everything to Rosalee. She always remembered family here and back home, often sending items so that they were taken care of as well. She retired, upon the arrival of her grandchildren, dedicating her life to help raise them.

Rosalee was a social butterfly in her own right. She loved company and telling a good story. She had love for everybody and was a true ray of sunshine. She always greeted everyone in a cheerful manner, with a smile on her face. She was a neutral person who thought of other’s first and rather than speak a harsh word, in an uncomfortable situation, she would often say, “Well.....you know”, and your own conscious made you figure out the rest.

One of Rosalee’s greatest passions was cooking, cooking the down home traditional way with fresh ingredients. If there was an occasion, her next statement would be “What you want me to cook?” People often had their special requests, like.... a pan of Escovitch fish, some curry goat, curry chicken, oxtail, rice and peas, sorrel, and her always in demand, famous cornmeal porridge.....and she always delivered no matter what. She loved to see

others enjoying a good meal and taking delight in each other's company. This, along with the love of her family, is what truly made her happy.

After a brief illness, Rosalee departed this world on November 26, 2020, surrounded by beautiful music devoted family and friends. She was transitioned by love, into the next level of her journey. Left to continue her legacy and perseverance are her children, Sandra Crosdale, Zachariah Crosdale, Joseph Lloyd, Errol Lloyd, Raymond Lloyd, Rosemarie Lloyd, Ann Marie Lloyd; daughter-in-law, Cara Batson-Lloyd; son-in-law, Keith Stine; grandchildren, Anthony Hutchinson, Craig McLeish (sp. Robyn McLeish), Malik Nelson-Sapapi, Zach R.J. Crosdale, Dranielle Odom, Cheyenne Lloyd, Saskia Lloyd, Sulaiman Lloyd, Nyoutosh Lloyd, Khalil Kitt, Zariah Lloyd, Justin Lloyd, Bianca L. Lloyd, Takim Fraser-Lloyd, Elijah A. Joseph; great-grandchildren, Anthony J. Hutchinson, Sophia Hutchinson, Amelia M. McLeish, Aaliyah K. McLeish, Noemi Garcia, Sayid Garcia, Nevaeh Lloyd, Azai "King" Smith, Azani Rosalee Smith; sisters, Odeth Coley, Mato Coley, Junie McLeish; brothers, Ernie Griffiths, George Coley, Leebert Coley, Donovan McLeish; a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins; and god-daughters, Shamika Austin and Pishon Eggins.

The Broken Chain

We little knew that day,
God was going to call your name.
In life we loved you dearly,
In death we do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you,
You did not go alone.
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories,
Your love is still our guide,
And although we cannot see you,
You are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken,
And nothing seems the same
But as God calls us one by one,
The chain will link again.

-Ron Trummer

Out Family wishes to thank everyone for their kind expressions of sympathy in our time of sorrow. Thank you for keeping us in your thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely,

The Family of Rosalee Griffiths

A funeral service will be held on Sunday, December 6, 2020 at 2:00 PM at Tom M. Wages Snellville Chapel. The family will receive friends on Sunday from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM at the funeral home. You can view the service, which will be livestreamed, either by going to the Tom M. Wages Facebook page or by clicking the blue link, on the obituary page, on our website.

Due to the current COVID-19 regulations, our staff is committed to taking care of our guests and families that we serve. Please understand that we will be limiting the amount of people at our chapel for visitations and services. We also ask all guests and family members attending visitations and services to please bring and wear a mask.

Condolences may be sent or viewed at www.wagesfuneralhome.com. Tom M. Wages Funeral Service, a family company, 3705 Highway 78 West, Snellville, GA 30039 (770-979-3200) has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Events

DEC **Visitation** 01:00PM - 02:00PM

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Tom M. Wages Funeral Service - Snellville
3705 Highway 78 West, Snellville, GA, US, 30039

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Comments



“ A tribute video has been added.



Tom M. Wages Funeral Service - December 05, 2020 at 09:59 AM



“ Rose was loving kind I will always remember her she always say that her daughter name sandra too that's why she love me so you have my deepest sympathies sandra

Sandra Dobson - December 06, 2020 at 02:24 PM



“ RIP Anty Rose from Rayon and I. We love you... always have always will

Sharnett & Rayon Reece neice & nephew in - December 06, 2020 at 02:24 PM



“ 30 files added to the album LifeTributes



Rosalee Griffiths - December 07, 2020 at 12:41 PM



“ Wow I'm at a lost for words. I have such great memories of Ms. Rose from Bklyn Ave to all the fun that was had over by Bedford Ave. in New York. She was a spicy woman never afraid to say what was on her mind but knew how to give you that love when you needed it. I remember her dancing with us when we would all be over the house playing music and just hanging out. She was a woman that was very passionate about her children and I LOVED that about her. Ms. Rose you may be gone but NEVER forgotten. Rest In Peace your time here on this earth was well worth it and is shown by your children and your loved ones that are left behind.

Love and blessings Kareen



Kareen - December 06, 2020 at 09:52 PM



“ Today we celebrate the life of a stalwart of the family one who left a legacy that not just benefits family but a community at large I salute u my sister no longer here in the flesh but your memories live on. as sit here in jamaica to watch your home going ceremony i am thinking of a few years ago families and friends would b counting days to you coming with goodies and the sisters and friends going out to meet with other friends and enjoying the big sis little sis bonding not to mention take a washout in anti participation of our Christmas dinner. which was as if you are cooking for the entire community. I just listening to u and mama argument not mention when and mayo start about who is the foriginer here when it comes to dressing up. to all my family we mourn but not with regrets but with joy and a hope that in the sweet by and by we shall meet on that beautiful shore .my love goes out I all remember God say he will comfort those who mourrn let us the bad times but most of the good as celebrate a gem thanks to all I who cared for her in her final moment that was to go in the love that she so deserve as my bro ernie would say my baby si ster the broad face one 🙏

Sharonmcleish - December 06, 2020 at 01:53 PM



“ Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us everyday , unseen, unheard but always near, still loved and missed, but very dear. Please accept my warm regards, deep sympathy, and most sincere condolences, -Pauline McLeish

Sade - December 06, 2020 at 11:06 AM



“ 84 files added to the album LifeTributes



Tom M. Wages Funeral Service - December 05, 2020 at 09:52 AM



“ You did an amazing job raising your children. They are a great extension of you. May your Soul Rest In Peace. I pray God will give your family the strength they need. Love you Annmarie. I am so sorry for your Loss.

Michelle - December 06, 2020 at 01:36 PM



“ Thank you Ms Rose for your presence and light in my life. I love you and I felt your love like a ray of sunshine or a beautiful song that stays in one's heart and mind forever. You were always there for me in more ways than one and you knew my heart about certain life situations and gave me words of encouragement and wisdom. I will always remember you and will miss you dearly. I couldn't ask for a better mother-in-law. I love you....Caralynn

Cara Batson-Lloyd - November 30, 2020 at 05:47 PM



“ Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Rosalee Pamela Griffiths.



November 30, 2020 at 05:29 PM