



Doris "Dot" Blackmon

August 12, 1931 - April 13, 2022

Doris (Dot) E. Blackmon was born in Greenville, South Carolina on August 12, 1931 to Ebb and Jessie S. Blackmon. She was one of (10) children: six girls and four boys: Ebb, Jr. Catherine Dawson, George Blackmon, James Blackmon, Mamie Kelly, Harold Blackmon, Jesse Blackmon, Margaret Tucker and Patricia Harris. Doris and her family were introduced to Seventh Day Adventist through a tent effort which were held in Greenville, South Carolina. After the tent effort the Blackmon family began to attend church services on Sabbaths (Saturdays) and camp meetings during the summer.

Doris attended Sterling High, for one year, which was the only Black High School in Greenville, South Carolina. She and her family moved to New Haven, CT (Oak Street) on November 5, 1948, with the hope of pursuing a new educational system that would lead to new promises and opportunities.

Doris landed a dream job at Seamless Rubber Company in New Haven, CT. Dot (Aunt Dot), known by many, worked at Seamless Rubber Company for 25 years.

Sister Doris Blackmon became an active worker for the Lord at the Mount Zion SDA Church. She was a church pianist, Sabbath School Teacher, Senior Choir Director, Deaconess and usher. She spent over three decades working in the cradle roll room. If you ever walked by the cradle roll room, you would

hear the melodious sounds of children accompanied by Sister Doris Blackmon on the piano. Upon retiring from the Seamless Rubber Company, she took a year off to rest. Once the year was completed, she began her new career in the childcare industry (The Harris & Tucker School) as a Senior Volunteer for Agency on Aging, which she did for over 25 years.

Doris Blackmon was a Child of God, kind to everyone she met, an entertainer/hostess, very intelligent, a cook, fashionista, pianist, master duck pin bowler, queen of telling jokes, a table games genius, a puzzle.

guru and a world class traveler. She also played a huge role in introducing all of her nieces and nephew to the art of playing the piano and musical experiences.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAY 1. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Zion Seventh Day Adventist Church
335 Putnam Ave.
Hamden, CT 06517

Viewing

MAY 1. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

MAY 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

Hamden Plains Cemetery
Hamden, CT

Tribute Wall



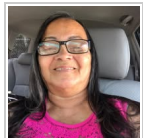
“ *Doris "Dot" Blackmon*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Thank you for always being so loving and kind to me and to Milaana, for your help in raising her during her first few years while she attended H&T and simply for just being you. Rest peacefully, Aunt Dot. My sincere condolences to the entire family.*

Tara Brooks - April 30, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *Aunt Dot-you we're always the life of the family with your beautiful smile and corny jokes. You will be deeply missed. Love you much.*

Gaynell Martin - April 29, 2022 at 10:53 AM



“ *"Aunt Dot" as we called her was like a second mother to the kids on Lander Street. She would be the first one to call us out on something she deemed was wrong and just as quick to greet you warmly. She always had such a beautiful smile. My condolences to the family. May she rest peacefully.*

Lynn Ferrebee Woods and family

Lynn Woods - April 27, 2022 at 09:35 PM

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“ To Kim, Karen, and Patsy my Friends Of Harris and Tucker My Prayers Are With You ! Because Aunt Dot Was a Special Aunt and a Special Lady As Well Love 💕 Much Cleo

CLEOPETERSON - April 27, 2022 at 08:47 PM

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“ From my Family to yours with Much Love and Prayers and also Hugs

Cleo and Mike Peterson 🕊️😊



CLEOPETERSON - April 27, 2022 at 08:40 PM