



Shirlean Dockery

September 29, 1936 - July 11, 2016

In the evening hours on July 11, 2016, God, in his infinite wisdom and mercy, called Shirlean Dockery from labor to reward.

Shirlean Dockery, affectionately called pig, daughter of the late Matthew Dockery and Lizzie Medley, was born on September 29, 1936 in Mt. Gilead, North Carolina.

Shirlean was employed by Bradley Coat factory and The Visiting Nurses Association until her retirement in 2011. She enjoyed her retirement years meeting up with friends at the Derby and Ansonia Senior Day Care Centers and her favorite pastime of doing word search puzzles and reading bible stories. Her genuine love for others was exemplified in her daily living. She always had a kind word for anyone she talked to.

Her legacy lives on through her son, Pastor Chester Dockery, Sr(Kathy) of Derby CT, daughters Lynnette Dockery of Meriden, CT, Jacqueline Dockery

(fiancé Rodney) of Toano, VA, 9 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren, Cousins, who were more like her brothers and sisters: Etta, Waetina, TC, Mary Dean, Charles, Augustus, and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

She was predeceased by her brother, Zander Leak

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

769 Ella T Grasso Blvd
New Haven, CT

Previous Events

Wake

JUL **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McClam Funeral Home
95 Dixwell Ave
New Haven, CT 06511
(203) 786-4732
mcclamfuneralhome@yahoo.com
<https://www.mcclamfuneralhome.net>

Calling Hours

JUL **16**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Calvary Temple Christian Center
319 Barnum Ave.
Bridgeport, CT 06608

Service

JUL 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Cemetery

JUL 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Shirlean Dockery*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Evadale Daniels lit a candle in memory of Shirlean Dockery*



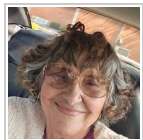
Evadale Daniels - July 28, 2016 at 10:15 AM



“ *Our condolence for the lost of a loved one.*

Stephen & Brigitte

Stephen Taylor - July 19, 2016 at 06:51 AM



“ *Shirley Parker lit a candle in memory of Shirlean Dockery*



Shirley Parker - July 15, 2016 at 10:12 PM

DL

“ On behalf of our Family, we send our most sincere condolences to the Dockery Family. We all grew up on Truman Street together as one big family and we will miss "Big Sis" or "Pig" as she was affectionately called. Those were the days when the village helped to raise each others children. "Big Sister" will not be forgotten. I am grateful that God will receive her with hands wide open.... for most importantly, she knew who God was! Praying for the whole family.

Sincerely, The Pattons (Mrs. Lucille Patton, Maceo & Renee Patton & Bruce Patton) and The Lawson (Bishop Lonnell & Deborah) & The Bond (Shelley & Arthur) families.

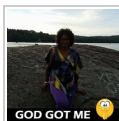
Deborah L. Lawson - July 15, 2016 at 10:41 AM



“ Linda Keith lit a candle in memory of Shirlean Dockery



Linda Keith - July 15, 2016 at 08:15 AM



I introduce to mrs. Shirlean Dorkery by my homemaker, her lovely daughter, Ms.Lnette dockery, whom was always by her side, no matter where she was at.

Linda Keith - July 15, 2016 at 08:32 AM

CT

“ Words to express how I feel about this sweet woman escape me. Mother Dockery was funny, warm, loving and I can go on... Sunday after Sunday he made my husband and myself laugh at some of her remarks... I miss her already and my heart aches because I truly loved her. Rest in Jesus

copastor Jenice Thompson - July 15, 2016 at 12:34 AM

DF

“ Donald McRae & Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Shirlean Dockery.



Donald McRae & Family - July 14, 2016 at 02:24 PM

AM

“ Grandma wasn't actually my biological grandmother but my spiritual grandma . Grammy I Love You So Much 🍷 Thank You For All The Stories & All The Jokes All The Love 🍷

Sleep Easy Gramm 🍷🥹

Alexus Martin - July 14, 2016 at 12:52 PM

JA

My dear friend RIP I know you start to work for the Lord already. You will be miss

juliet Anderson - July 15, 2016 at 12:01 AM


Oddette
Staple

“ *Mother Dockery is one of the sweetest persons I have ever come to know. When I started regularly visiting Calvary Temple Christian Center in 2013, she was one of my first and quickly became one of my dearest friends. I looked forward to seeing her in church every Sunday. Mother Dockery was so warm and cuddly and gave some of the biggest, longest and sweetest hugs I have ever gotten! We would chit chat after church ever so often and she would have me giggling which would quickly escalate to guffawing before our conversations ended. I remember last year when my Mom passed and I finally went back to church after months of not wanting to leave my house. I saw Mother Dockery that first Sunday been back and I told her my Mom passed, she hugged and kissed me through my tears and whispered "Don't worry I'll be your Mom now".....I now have two guardian angels watching over me....I am so thankful to have met such a wonderful person and offer my sincerest condolences to the Dockery family during this difficult time.*

Oddette Staple - July 14, 2016 at 09:27 AM

DF

“ *Donella Fields lit a candle in memory of Shirlean Dockery*



Donella Fields - July 13, 2016 at 07:12 PM