



Juanita Byrd

November 2, 1952 - April 25, 2025

Juanita Byrd, 72, of New Brunswick, N. J . sadly passed away on April 25, 2025.

Juanita was born to Helen Elizabeth George Byrd and Porter Williams on November 2, 1952 and was predeceased by one son, Akmid Muhammad Byrd; three brothers , Arthur Russell George , Anthony Carlos Byrd, Porter Stephen Byrd; and two sisters , Anne P. Slaughter and Francis Brown. Juanita Byrd was a radiant soul whose love for her family was the heartbeat of her life. Known for her sharp wit and infectious laughter , she brought joy and warmth wherever she went. Her sense of style was as vibrant as her personality — always elegant, always uniquely her . A true lover of nature, Juanita found peace and purpose in tending to her plants , nurturing each one with the same care and grace she gave to those around her . Her legacy is one of love , laughter, and beauty.

Juanita is survived by one son, Larry Anthony Byrd; one grandson, Jeshia Byrd; two granddaughters , Aanajah Juanita Woolforks and

Jaelyn Byrd; four sisters, Harriet Lambert, Maria J . Byrd, Jacqueline Byrd, and Elizabeth P. Oakley; and a host of nieces, great nieces, nephews , great nephews , four God children, friends , and cousins.

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Cemetery Details

Van Liew Cemetery

585 Georges Road
North Brunswick, NJ

Previous Events

Visitation Services

MAY 7. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Service
201 Sandford St.
New Brunswick, NJ 08901
(732) 545-7312
<https://www.andersonfuneralservice.net>

Tribute Wall

TJ

“ Aunt Juanita was one of my mother's best friends. I really appreciated the conversations we used to have. I'd see her and think of my mother. She assured me that everything would be alright after I lost my mother. She truly will be missed! Respect, rest in eternal peace! I love you!!

Tony James - May 06, 2025 at 05:06 PM

SH

I'm going to misssssssss you. I called you Mom Byrd we went to church
We prayed together. We laughed together and enjoying Thanksgiving was a very special treat. I will miss the deep conversations we had . I will miss how you were there for me and your grandson Jesiah. I trust and believe that God got you. I love you. I will miss you always. I will miss you and. Akmid . I will miss those phone calls please know I will take good care of your grandson and I will check on his sisters and I will never forget what you taught me me. Love you always Shani

SHANI - May 07, 2025 at 02:36 PM

CH

I will miss my Aunti we had a different relationship, if she didn't tell you off she didn't love you. The lost of her son Akmid was hard for Aunti, she never accepted his passing. I took her to see Mike Epps in Newark I did get to see her smile. Not knowing at 12:00 that nite leaving was Akmid birthday, in the car she cried out Baby I miss you!! My Aunti was a strong woman who raised her boys on her own. She was very neat and clean some say she was mean under all that she was a Queen. The lost of Wayne Akmid father was her strongest pain, so after Akmid it was too much for her heart.. Rest easy Aunti your nephew love you always 🌹🌹🌹💔💔💔💔💔💔💔💔 Charlie😞

Charles - May 08, 2025 at 02:27 AM