



Joyce Felder

July 23, 1956 - July 23, 2018

Joyce Ann Lecato Felder, of Dover, Delaware, was born on July 23, 1956, to Julia M. Bess and Homer B. Lecato. She departed this life on Monday, July 23, 2018, at Kent General Hospital. She was 62.

Joyce was educated in the Capital and Smyrna School Districts, graduating from Dover High School in 1973.

Joyce had a life-long companion, Nelson Tuckson, whom she loved dearly, and he loved her right back, until he passed in 2011.

Joyce attended New Jerusalem Baptist Church from time to time, but in the words of her sister, Vivian Gibson (Niecy), she was a “no nonsense hell raiser” who loved people and people loved her in return.

Joyce birthed one child, Charles Anthony Lecato, and raised an entire island of others. She loved all of her children and grandchildren. She enjoyed her friends and family all the time she shared with them.

Joyce served in the United States Army for 11 years. Six of them were spent in Germany, from 1980 - 1986.

She was preceded in death by her father, Homer B. Lecato; two sisters,

Gertrude A. Armstrong and Mary Lee Smith; and her brother, Vernell D. Lecato.

Joyce is survived by her son, Charles "Charlie" Anthony Lecato (Tiffany); son Keith Waters; her mother, Julia M. Bess; two of her many foster children whom she raised, Niga Greenwood and April Yelverton, and a host of others; 3 grandchildren, Rahiem Lecato, Tanesha Lecato, Shai "Zera Hicks; one great-grandson, Christopher Lecato; four siblings, Joe Carter, Vivian Gibson (Leroy), Bonnie Gilbert (Walter "Peanut), and Victor Lecato; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

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Tribute Wall

JM

“ *ms joyce was a beautiful person I loved the way she talked. and she was a happy person. I will miss her deeply. she left her cat mr Bee's and her family disowned him. I will find a home for mr. Bee's he known's you went to be with the father. he misses you so much. psalms 23*

jacquelyn murray - August 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ *I am so sorry for the loss of Joyce Felder your loved one and I would like to extend my deepest condolence to the family. May you find comfort in God's words in (Revelation 21: 4.)*

JoyceA - August 07, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Isaiah 41:10 for words of comfort and peace.*

Irene - August 07, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ *Sorry For Your Loss
Jesus Loves Me
I Am Special*

Thomas Widgeon - August 06, 2018 at 12:00 AM