



Juanita N. Barrett (Sanabria)

April 25, 1958 - October 3, 2019

Juanita was born in North Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, the daughter of Frederico and Mabel Sanabria.

Juanita received her education at Dobbins High School. Juanita went into the Army shortly after graduating. She married James Barrett in 1977, and later they divorced. After 10 years of traveling with her husband and kids in the army, the family moved to Chestertown in 1990, where she worked for 29 years at Chestertown Hospital as a dietary service manager. Everyone there loved her.

Juanita joined Bethel Church and was a member of the choir and served on the culinary committee.

She loved cooking, decorating, going to the slots, spending time with her children and grandchildren, and going on family vacations.

Juanita was preceded in death by her father, Frederico; grandmother, Julia; grandfather, Tyson (dad); and brothers, Jorge and Luisito.

Juanita, who had a heart of gold and would do anything for her family and friends. She was the mother of four children, Nakia, Natasha (Laron), James and Nalanda; grandmother of 18 grandchildren: Rhiana, Ry'mira, Ta'Niya,

Bre'asia, Jayon, Tayona, Nikaya, Rhynell, Shamiya, Joel, Jy'meir, Jhace, Jhani, NaRiyah, Jakai, Wyatt, Judah, and Tru; two greatgrandchildren, Miliana and Shyhee; grandmother figure to Aaliyah, a sister to Dorita, Carmelita, Tyler and Angelita Sanabria; mother-in-love, Yvonne Brown; godson, Jerome Lewis; had a host of nieces and nephews and very close friends, who will all truly miss her.

Tribute Wall

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“ *She was Mom away from home always welcome us kids with open arms in her home , treated us like her own, I will never forget you Rest in Heaven Mom*”

Melvin Freeman - October 10, 2019 at 12:24 PM

SM

“ *To the family sorry for you lost*”

Sharon McClinton - October 08, 2019 at 02:22 PM

MC

“ *Juanita, You will always be remembered no matter what your presence, love, and kindness will forever be with us Rest easy my friend until we meet again. Michelle Crouch*”

Michelle Crouch - October 07, 2019 at 06:39 PM

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“ *She was a great friend to my sister Arlene (Hardy)Butler. They were like sisters. Juanita always did whatever she could for Hardy. RIP Juanita. You will be greatly missed by Hardy. Norene Wilson*”

Norene Wilson - October 04, 2019 at 06:33 PM