

HONORING & CELEBRATING
THE LIFE OF

Mary Jane Queen Collins

*Loving
Daughter
Sister
Mother
Friend*

*She played the
Game of Life
with grace, strength,
and a winning heart.*

SUNRISE: APRIL 25, 1937 ♥ SUNSET: JULY 25, 2026

Thorntons Funeral Home, P.A.
3439 Livingston Road, Indian Head, MD 20640
Rev. Gloria Savoy- Eulogist



Order of Service

Opening Selection: Rev. Barnes
(Rough Side of the Mountain)

Scripture Readings: Old and New Testament - Glenda Gray

Prayer of Comfort: Rev. Gloria Savoy

Music Selection: Parham
(I shall wear a crown)

Acknowledgments/Reflections/Expressions (Please keep it at
2 minutes)

Poem Reading

Reading of Obituary: Debbie Swann

Music Selection: *Dancing in the sky* (Dani and Lizzie)

Eulogy: Rev. Gloria Savoy

Closing Prayer: Rev. Gloria Savoy

Music Selection: Take Me to the King

O B I T U A R Y

Celebrating The Life Of Mary Jane Queen Collins

Mary Jane (Dent) Queen Collins (better known as Mary Jane) was born on April 25, 1937, to the late William and Mary Dent. She was just that special that she had a second Mom, the late Cecelia Warren. Mary Jane was called home on July 25, 2026, at her home with family and friends. On August 2, 1958, Mary Jane married John (Jimmy) Queen and 11 children were born. Then later she met and married Phillip Collins and they enjoyed each other until his death. Mary Jane loved being around family and friends, going to the casino, playing cards ~~to~~ and bingo, and loved cooking...especially on Sundays. A good home cooked meal every Sunday and her radio playing while she cooked. You could smell her sweet potatoes when you walked in the door. She loved to see Jimmy Gray and his wife Glenda, and Debbie Swann comes over; she would say "I have my card players". The love they had for her was real. And we cannot forget her boo, Margie Day. She would smile and say, "Hey Boo". Mary Jane was educated in Charles County Schools.

She worked at McDonough High School in the kitchen. She left the school to be a cook at Charles County Nursing and Rehab until she retired at age 65. She decided to sit home for a while until she went back to work in the kitchen at Genesis Health Care in LaPlata until she turned 70 and she started to enjoy her retirement.

Mary Jane was preceded in death by her husbands Phillip Collins and John Queen, son John (Butch) Queen, daughter Barbara Ann Queen, grandsons Antonio Cobey and Demonte Johnson. Sisters Sarah Proctor, Thelma Montgomery, Annie Stewart, Nellie Davis, Ethel Jones and Betty King. Brothers William Dent and John Johnson. Sisters-in-law Bert, Annie, Delores, Cecelia, Isadore, Pauline, Naomi, Catherine and Louise.

She leaves behind a legacy of love and cherished memories her daughters Linda Kelton (Ernest), Mary (Dot) Jennifer, Carolyn Bowman (Ivan), Karen Price (Floyd), Phyllis Chew (Lionel), Cathy Payton (William). Sons Anthony (Vincent) Queen, William (Joe) Queen (Yvonne), Elroy Queen (Margie). Sisters Margie Baltimore and Emma Lee and brother Andy Johnson. Mary Jane had 18 grandchildren, 47 great grandchildren and 7 great great grandchildren. Two sisters-in-law Dollie Reeves and June Proctor. Two stepsons James (Sonny) Riley and Rudolf (Bootsy) Riley.

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Poems & Reflections

Our Loving Mother

We don't know what to say, or even how to begin
We never thought a day would come that you would see the end.
Now that day is here, and all that it's worth,
You were our angel, right here on Earth.
We watched you as you laid there and nothing we could do,
As we stood there and prayed over top of you.
We have cried so many times, as you were fading away,
We held onto your hand, throughout the night and day,
You were slowly drifting, and you were out of our reach,
We said we love you a thousand times, but we couldn't hear you speak.
This was God's will, and it was meant to be,
We know He'll take care of you, as he takes away our Queen....

Love you forever Mom

'Our Grandmother'

Your soft tone voice and your helping hand,
Your hugs and kisses, we won't have them again.
You were our flower that always seemed to bloom,
You were our special light that lit up any room.
Your smile by itself gave us confidence,
Your laughter was never fake, it was always innocent.
You are so greatly missed, that's one thing for sure,
You are going home, through Heaven's doors.
Get your beauty rest Grandma until we see you again,
Thank you, God, for giving us this amazing woman

Love you Grandma



When I Say Goodbye



Let me spread my wings, so I can fly
Through the clouds and rainbows, up high in the sky.
I have met my maker, His arms were open wide,
He said come with me my child, so He welcomed me inside.



'Oh boy' I said, I do like what I see,
I saw all my loved ones, who passed before me.
You should have seen my smile, as I grabbed onto my chest,
It's an honor to be in Heaven, He only takes the best.



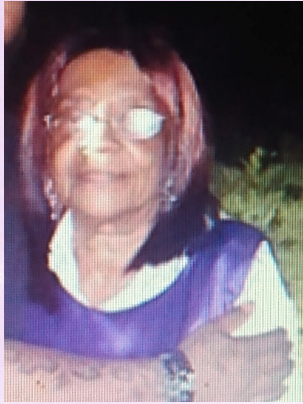
So don't cry for me, as I go away,
My new home is in Heaven, and now I'm here to stay.



Love You All
Mary Jane







Pallbearers:

Trent Queen
Kenneth Thompson
Reginald Kelton
J.C. Kelton
Elroy Queen (JR)
Travis Griffith

Honorary Pallbearers:

Lorenzo Cobey
Tyrek Elden

Interment

St. Catherine's Catholic Church
7865 Port Tobacco Rd
Port Tobacco, Md 20677

Repast will follow

Acknowledgments

We deeply appreciate your kind expressions of sympathy
in our time of great sorrow. Thank you for keeping us in
your prayers.

The Family

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