



Deloris Johnson

April 11, 2021

Ms. Deloris "Lo" Johnson, 80, of Charleston, entered into eternal rest on Sunday, April 11, 2021.

A Celebration of Life Service for Ms. Johnson will be held on Friday, April 16, 2021, 12:00 Noon, at the Smith-McNeal Funeral Home Chapel.

A WALK-THRU VIEWING for family and friends will be held on Thursday, April 15, 2021 from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM at the Smith-McNeal Funeral Home, 2119 Dorchester Rd., N. Charleston, SC 29405.

MASKS are required for all attendees.

Interment: Frost Cemetery, Huger, SC.

Ms. Johnson is survived by her children: Celestine (Elias, Sr.) Frost, Marvette Ferrette and Annette Johnson; grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, great-great-great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

She was a School Crossing Guard for Charleston County School District.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

APR **16**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Frost Cemetery
1156 Frost Lane
Huger, SC 29450

Tribute Wall

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Shirley McPherson - April 15, 2021 at 11:59 PM

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This picture was taken December 2018 at my mother's (Beatrice Jenkins) 70 plus Surprise birthday dinner celebration. My mom is Uncle Elias'oldest sister/Sister-in-love of Aunt Tiny.

Shirley McPherson - April 16, 2021 at 12:29 AM

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“ *To Aunt Tiny, Uncle Lias and our family, we just wanted you all to know that our prayers and deepest sympathy goes out to you. Our memories of 'mama Lo' goes back over 40 years. She was always the same. We want you all to know that we are here for you. Let's cherish the memories good and bad; but we know that the good outweighs the bad- and we praise God for that. We thank God for the years He allowed us to know her. May God strengthen and comfort you day by day. You all have taken care of her the very best of your ability. Y'all done AWESOME! Gods blessings. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. So long 'Mama Lo'- we will see you in that Great Gettin' Up Morning.
With our love and deepest sympathy, Evie, Bea, Bubbles, Yolanda, Junnie, Ashley and our family*

Shirley McPherson - April 15, 2021 at 11:04 PM

“ Greetings to the Johnson family.

I live on Carolina St. in the Westside Neighborhood where Mitchell Elementary School is located. For many years, I had the opportunity to watch Deloris, a very special crossing guard on Shepard Street, greet and hug every child she accompanied arm in arm across this busy intersection. There is a red light at this crossing spot so I got a chance to directly observe her love and compassion for these children first hand as I waited for the light to turn green. In fact, a few years ago, I mentioned to her that I found her love for these children both inspirational and motivating as she starts their day feeling special and valued by a caring and loving adult. She actually offered me a hug and from then on when we were lucky enough to be stopped by the red light, we too got our special hugs to start the day from this special lady named Deloris.

Unfortunately, the children were routed away from the Shepard Street crossing and Deloris was moved to another block nearer the school before her retirement. I continued thinking of her every day and still do to this day.

As a professional therapists versed in childhood trauma, we are beginning to realize both the prevalence and impact of childhood trauma affecting a child's ability to learn and control their emotions and behavior. The nurturing of caring adults can be a lifeline for a child and I believe that Delores provided such a lifeline for many of the children who received her special gift on a daily basis. I also know that interacting with children was as meaningful for Deloris as it is for these children - she loved these kids.

I want the family to know that I believe Deloris has impacted so many from her role as crossing guard and that I am truly grateful to have known her and be touched by her loving kindness. Meeting members of her family over the years and seeing their loving compassion for each other has been an honor. I will continue to miss her smiles and those hugs and am truly grateful that i got a

chance to know and love such a special person, now one of God's angels.

*Godspeed, Deloris on your journey.
In love, Pat and Mike (the Brothers)*

Pat Patrick - April 15, 2021 at 01:56 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deloris Johnson.*



April 15, 2021 at 08:27 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deloris Johnson.*



April 14, 2021 at 07:09 PM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Sheila Frasier - April 12, 2021 at 06:21 PM

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“ *Sheila And Christine Frasier And Family lit a candle in memory of Deloris Johnson*



Sheila And Christine Frasier And Family - April 12, 2021 at 06:10 PM