



Arvis Ann McGhee

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Arvis Ann McGhee was born in Camden, Arkansas on December 29, 1940. She was the first child of Zin O. McRae and Flora Dean McRae, and affectionately called by her middle name, Ann. Arvis attended Lincoln High School in Camden, Arkansas and upon graduation, entered AM&N College in Pine Bluff, Arkansas where she graduated with a Bachelors degree in Business Education. Following college, Arvis taught elementary school and continued her career in education as a substitute teacher and school clerk. She retired from the San Diego Unified School District following over 50 years in the educational system.

Arvis' favorite bible scripture was the 23rd Psalm. She was a dedicated member of Bayview Baptist Church, where she served as a bible school teacher and a member of the food distribution ministry. She was also active in the women's ministry, Studies in Christian Living bible study, and the Silver Strands ministry.

Arvis enjoyed participating in "The Pokeno Social Club," a sisterhood of women who supported each other and their families. Arvis loved to laugh, spend time with her family and dear friends, shopping, playing games like Yahtzee and Scrabble, and cuddling with her granddog, Nala.

Arvis was preceded in death by her husband Ridgely L. McGhee, son Darius J. McGhee, father Zin O. McRae, mother Flora D. McRae, and brother Zin O. McRae, Jr.

Arvis had a fierce love for her family. She leaves to cherish her memory, her daughter Leslie R. Cunningham (Dwayne); daughter Brenda D. McGhee; daughter-in law Roshauna McGhee, grandson Jaylen V. Cunningham, great-grand children: Qi'Irie McKines, Mikel McKines, Damoni Weaver, and Dyani Weaver; two sisters: Zinnette McRae Lamb of Bethesda, MD; Floretta Babbs (Junious) of Little Rock, AR; three sisters-in-law: Marva Cooper of Camden, AR; Rose Ivory of Little Rock, AR; and Annette Lewis (Roscoe) of Dallas, TX; one brother-in-law: Louis McGhee (Ollie) of Alexandria, LA; and a host of cousins, nephews, nieces, and a multitude of great friends.



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Lucille Sherman Lowe lit a candle in honor of Arvis.



June 25 at 11:35 AM



Zinnette Mcrae Lamb & The Hale Family posted:

We are so saddened by the loss of our beloved sister and aunt, Arvis Ann McRae McGhee. We find comfort in the knowledge that Arvis is no longer suffering and that she is at rest. We continue to pray for our family's strength during this difficult time. With love, Zinnette McRae Lamb and the Hale Family Nicole, John III, John IV and Ashleigh

June 22 at 9:22 AM



Dru Byars & Family sent a Crystal Cross Bouquet to the McGhee family.



June 22 at 3:10 AM



Dorothe Chambers-Camden, Ar lit a candle in honor of Arvis.



June 21 at 5:56 PM



James & Dolores Armstrong lit a candle in honor of Arvis.



June 21 at 4:49 PM

JA James & Dolores Armstrong June 21 at 4:54 PM
Love you Cousin. Rest in Paradise.



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Lucy Levett lit a candle in honor of Arvis.



June 21 at 3:29 PM



Dorothy Chambers June 21 at 5:59 PM

May God's grace bring strength, comfort, and healing in this time of sorrow. Dorothy Chambers, Camden, AR



Lucy Levett June 21 at 3:36 PM

Praying for God's comfort, strength and peace during this time and forever. We know that to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. May you find comfort in knowing that we shall one day reunite with our loved ones in Heaven. Thank you for allowing Blessings Beyond Care Services to provide care services in your time of need. Mrs. McGhee's beautiful smile will be missed, but she will never be forgotten.



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the McGhee family.



June 20 at 10:50 AM



Daric And Kinetra Washington lit a candle in honor of Arvis.

Rest in Love Aunt Arvis. Continued prayers for my family. With Love, Daric and Kinetra Washington - Little Rock, AR



June 19 at 6:45 PM



Bernice Shipley posted:

Wishing you and your family strength and peace. Willie and Bernice Shipley

June 18 at 10:43 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Arvis by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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