

Acknowledgements

Your sympathy in our recent loss will long be remembered. Thank you for keeping us in your thoughts and prayers. In the many ways you have helped us in our time of need during the loss of our loved one, Barbara Chambliss, we are forever grateful. We sincerely and deeply appreciate your kindness. May God keep you and may God Bless You.

-The Family

"I'M FREE"

*Don't grieve for me for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard him call,
I turned my back and left it all
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of day
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish for you the sunshine of tomorrow
My life's been full, I've savored much,
Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch
If my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief
Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.*

- Anne Lindgren Davison

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Homegoing Celebration



Barbara Denise Chambliss

Sunrise

APRIL 24, 1960

Sunset

APRIL 24, 2024

**FRIDAY MAY 3, 2024
FAMILY VISITATION 11AM
FUNERAL SERVICE TO FOLLOW AT NOON**

**WESTWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH CENTER
2510 ALBION STREET
NASHVILLE, TN 37208**

OFFICIANT PASTOR BARTON ELLIOTT HARRIS

Obituary

Barbara Denise Chambliss, aged 64, of Nashville, TN, passed away on April 24, 2024, on her birthday. Born to Rose Ella Henry and Willie Lee Chambliss in 1960, Barbara's warmth and kindness touched all who knew her.

Barbara was a proud graduate of Maplewood High School and dedicated her professional life to serving her community in various roles. She was known for her unwavering commitment as a school crossing guard, a vigilant museum security guard, a meticulous member of hospital hygiene services, and a friendly face in customer service. Her work ethic and genuine care for others were evident in every task she undertook.

Family was the cornerstone of Barbara's life. She is survived by her devoted son, Major Joshua Chambliss and his wife Eboni; her loving siblings, Henry Chambliss, Robert Chambliss, Gloria Chambliss (deceased) Florence Tibbs (deceased); her cherished grandchildren, Joshua Jr."Marki" and Bryce; and a host of nieces and nephews, including Sebrina (Terrance) Hill, Valarie Franklin-Hernandez, Daniel Tibbs, Donnyelle Tibbs, and Charles (Marvina) Smith.

Barbara's interests were simple yet profound: spending quality time with friends, family, and loved ones. Her presence was a source of joy and comfort, and her memory will be treasured by all who had the privilege of knowing her. Barbara's legacy of love, compassion, and kindness will continue to live on through the many lives she touched.

Order Of Service

PASTOR BARTON ELLIOTT HARRIS, OFFICIATING

CALL TO SERVICE		Pastor Barton Elliott Harris
SELECTION	"Troubles Of The World"	Voices Of Praise
SCRIPTURE	Romans 8:31-39	Pastor Barton Elliott Harris
PRAYER		Pastor Sylvester Bennett, III
SELECTION	"Oh How Precious"	Voices Of Praise
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS		Sis. Lynn Summers
EXPRESSIONS OF COMFORT		Sis. Mary Felicia Miller
SELECTION	"Total Praise"	Voice Of Praise
EULOGY		Minister Elois Freeman
THE COMMITTAL		Pastor Barton Elliott Harris
RECESSIONAL	"Going Up Yonder"	Voices Of Praise