



Josephine Rice

March 14, 1942 - June 6, 2018

Josephine Rice departed her life on June 6, 2018. Josephine was born in Chester, Pa on March 14, 1942 to the late Leroy and Alberta Motley.

Josephine's contagious smile and sense of humor was like no other. She was feisty and loving at the same time, she would take in several people and families that were displaced into her home at any given time.

Josephine worked at many establishments in the city, but best known as a bartender at The Blue Chip, and Media Social Club in Media, Pa.

Preceded her death brothers: Vernell Motley, James Motley, and sister: Doreen Motley.

Left to continue her legacy is three sons: Roger Jr. (Roslyn), Rodney (Tanya), and Raymond (Sonya), two daughters: Rosita Rice Johnson (David), and Rhonda Rice Forney (Kevin). Three brothers: Leroy Motley Jr., Howard Motley, Albert Motley; three sisters: Helen Motley, Yvonne Jackson, and Eloise Byrd. Grandsons: Keith Rice, Rodney Rice Jr., Raymond Rice Jr., Kevin Forney II, and Tyler Rice. Granddaughters: Rashonda Holmes, Raneisha Rice Burton, Taija Rice, Danielle Rice, Raiyona Rice and Kameron Forney. Three great grandsons, and two great granddaughters. A host of nephews, nieces, cousins, and friends.

Funeral Service: Monday, June 18, 2018 at 11:00 AM

St. Luke Christian Community Church, 4th Street and Central Avenue,
Chester, Pa

Viewing: 9:00 am-11:00 am

Interment: Chester Rural Cemetery, Chester, PA

Cemetery Details

Chester Rural Cemetery

412 W. 15th Street
Chester, PA 19013

Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Rice*

October 07, 2023 at 11:34 AM



“ *Josephine Rice*

October 04, 2023 at 12:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Josephine Rice.*



June 17, 2018 at 01:30 PM