

*Celebration
of Life
For*

A portrait of Myra D. Small, a Black woman with short dark hair, wearing a white and black striped top and a necklace with a large circular pendant. She is smiling slightly. The background is a soft-focus blue and green bokeh. In the foreground, there are large white lilies with green leaves.

Myra D. Small

Sunrise
February 7, 1925

Sunset
May 21, 2020

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Reflections of Life

Myra Doreen Small was born on February 7, 1925 in Westbury Road, St Michael Barbados.

On May 21, 2020 Myra was called to rest at the age of 95.

Myra migrated to the United States in 1977 and settled in Brooklyn, New York, where she worked in healthcare for the city of New York. In subsequent years, Myra was united with her children in Brooklyn. After retirement, she moved to Orange, New Jersey, where she enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren.

Myra had a gentle heart and was extremely generous, always willing to lend a helping hand. She was always well - dressed and carried herself in a highly respectful manner. She loved to be around children and was always weary of anyone who would mistreat them.

She loved to tell stories about her life as a child growing up in Barbados, which are still the talk of family gatherings today. Her Grandchildren enjoy reminiscing on some of the Bajan slang she would use on a daily basis. Sayings such as "he must tek a six for a nine", "You could arrga", or "He doesn't know B from Bull-foot!", and "Every musty biscuit has got its own cheese".

She was the daughter of Iris Colleymore and beloved wife of deceased Errol Small. Mother of Benny, Robert, Vashney, and JoAnne. Grandmother to Michelle, Debbie, Pedro, David, Clesia, Denzel, Ianna, Rashawn, Jermaine, Jasmine. Great grandmother of Nicky, Jenna, Calvin, Naomi, PJ, Cheunise, Della, Asha and Joshua.

Aunt of Eric and Nolan Clarke. and Great -Aunt of Roger Colleymore and Great- great grandmother to many.

Whether you knew her as Myra, Doreen, or Gran, we will miss her loving and gentle presence. May you rest in peace and our memories of you will forever live in our hearts.

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