



Jacquelyn E. Styles

February 22, 2020

Jacquelyn E. Styles (Bowie), of Teaneck died on February 22, 2020 at the age of 92. Born on December 14, 1927, in Harlem, New York, Jackie (as she was fondly called) was the only child of Arthur Bowie and Perdetha (Dee Dee) Rogers. She attended George Washington High School in New York and was a proud graduate of Howard University in Washington, DC where she received her Bachelor of Arts Degree. After spending time as a devoted care taker for her children, Jackie went on to pursue her Master's Degree in Social Work at Columbia University in New York City, and became a Licensed Marriage and Family Counselor (LICSW). She began her career with the Riverdale Children's Association, and moved on to medical social work with the Presbyterian Hospital, both in New York City. Following her move to New Jersey, Jackie joined the staff of Family Counseling Services of Ridgewood & Vicinity where she was responsible for the coordination and clinical supervision of the agency's social work internship programs. Jackie's professional accomplishments included an appointment as an Adjunct Assistant Professor at Columbia University School of Social Work, recognition as a Board Diplomate in Clinical Social Work, Licensed Marriage Counselor, member of the Academy of Certified Social Workers and clinical member of the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists. Jackie had a quarter century of dedicated and professional service to families in New York City and Northern, New Jersey, and she joyfully continued to see clients in her own private practice until she passed. Jackie was married to her best friend

and high school sweetheart, James M. Styles, a loving union that spanned over 60 years until his death in 2012. Together, they lived a devoted family and community life in Teaneck. A resident for over 55 years, Jackie was well-known for her local civic activities and dedication to volunteerism and received many awards and recognition for her work. She was a leader in many clubs including The Bergen County Chapter of The Links, Inc. (where she held “Platinum Member” status), and Delta Sigma Theta Sorority. She was also a devout parishioner of Teaneck United Methodist Church, where she served as a Trustee, Group Leader, and Usher for over 40 years. Jackie was a crossword puzzle enthusiast, avid reader, and enjoyed cooking large family meals, and baking. Preceded in death by her husband, James, she is survived by her children, Curtis M. Styles, Rev. Dr. Sharon Styles-Anderson, Esq., three cherished grandchildren (Collin, Kyle, Jameka), and two great grandchildren (Gia and Caiden). Visitation for close family and friends will be held on Thursday, February 27, 2020 from 7pm – 9 pm. A memorial service in her honor will be held on Saturday, March 21, 2020 at 11 am at Teaneck United Methodist Church in Teaneck, NJ.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Teaneck
789 Teaneck Road
Teaneck, NJ 07666
(201) 836-0202
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<https://www.volkleber.com>

Memorial Service

MAR 21. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Teaneck United Methodist Church
201 Degraw Avenue
Teaneck, NJ 07666

Tribute Wall



“ *Volk Leber Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jacquelyn E. Styles*



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“ *Jacquelyn E. Styles*

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“ *Jacquelyn E. Styles*

August 30, 2022 at 02:48 PM



“ *To The Styles Family - Thank you for sharing your special lady with so many Howard University students and alumni and with numerous Bergen County families. May the peace of God be with you! Respectfully, Sandra Ann Robinson.*

Sandra Ann Robinson - March 08, 2020 at 01:32 PM

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“ Curtis,

Thinking about you and in your family wishing you comfort and peace. My support will always be here for you.

Adriana.



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“ Curtis,

God bless you and your wonderful family.

It is amazing how our own mothers and fathers lead us to one another,

that we would become so close in spirit and in ability.

It is wonderful how their generation gave us the tools that we need to

continue in talent and in love.

We are forever connected!

Richard Cummings and Family

Richard Cummings - February 25, 2020 at 01:52 PM