



Ms. Narvis Houseal Cook

September 24, 1932 - November 5, 2023

Narvis Houseal Bookman Cook was born on September 24, 1932 in Newberry, South Carolina to the late Leroy Sr. and Daisy Miller Houseal. She departed this life on November 5, 2023, at the blessed age of 91. She was the last of the original Houseals. Narvis was a graduate of C. A Johnson High School where she received her high school diploma. She continued her education in the medical field at Richland Northeast High School as a nursing assistant and she then became a certified Mental Health Specialist and was employed at the South Carolina Department of Mental Health where she devoted 35 plus years and retired.

Narvis was a devoted member of Saint Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church of Pomaria, South Carolina. She was the Sunday School Superintendent and a active member of the choir. Narvis loved the out-of-doors and was best known for her flower and vegetable gardens.

Narvis was preceded in death by her parents, Leroy Sr., and Daisy Houseal; sisters, Mildred Housel, Shirley Hicks, and Thelma Williams; two brothers, Malverse Houseal and Leroy Houseal, Jr; three children, William E. Bookman, Melvin Cook and Beverly Joan Tucker; one granddaughter, Shauntel Tina Romey; one great-grandson, Trenton Gantt, Jr.

Narvis leaves to cherish her precious memories, daughters, Deborah Ann

Stevens of Deltona, FL, Ernestine (Larry) Romey, Darlene (Joe) Cook and Sheryll Narvis (Eugene) Solomon of Columbia, SC; loving grandchildren, Rena, Kevin, Stacey, Carmella, Terrelle, Selecia, Iyannah, Sylvia, Tonya, Larry Jr, Kecia, Jasmine, Trenton, Pashion, Tiffany, Katlyn, Eugene III, Earl Tucker, David Tucker, Travis Tucker and Kimberly Johnson; thirty-five great-grandchildren; one aunt-in-law, Willie L Houseal; one loving god daughter, Annette Smith and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins other loving family and friends.

Funeral service will be 12 noon, Saturday, November 11, 2023 at Saint Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church, 1945 Hope Station Road, Pomaria, South Carolina 29126. The Reverend Kenneth Charles, Pastor, officiating. Interment to follow in the church cemetery. Ms. Cook will lie in-state at the church one hour prior to the service time.

Public viewing will be held from 12 noon until 6:00 p.m., Friday, November 10, 2023 at A. A. Dicks Funeral Home.

Like our Facebook page: A. A. Dicks Funeral Home - Sullivan Chapel
Add our Facebook Friend Page and leave a comment: A. A. Dicks FH

Cemetery Details

St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church Cemetery

1945 Hope Station Road
Pomaria, SC 29126

Previous Events

Funeral Service

NOV 11. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal Church
1945 Hope Station Road
Pomaria, SC 29126

To view the service for Ms. Cook, please click on the link: <https://fb.watch/ol1q8MCSPN/>

Tribute Wall

PA

“ Remembering Aunt Narvis, she would tell you things so funny, Aunt Narvis had a unique laugh, she loved Sunday school and she could sing well, she will be missed and she will stay in our memories, May God give comfort to the family



Patricia, Steve - November 11, 2023 at 02:07 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ms. Narvis Houseal Cook.



November 09, 2023 at 11:39 PM

BM

“ My condolences to the Houseal-Cook families. Ms. Narvice was a beautiful person with such a great personality. I feel privileged to have known her, so just .remember the good times you spent with her and may God continue to bless you. Betty Mozee

Betty Mozee - November 09, 2023 at 11:00 PM

AM

“ Annette and Marlene purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Ms. Narvis Houseal Cook.



Annette and Marlene - November 09, 2023 at 01:59 PM

SH

“ Condolences to the family. Upon visiting Aunt Narvis while visiting my Mom we spent several hours just talking. We shared many memories of her childhood and becoming a teenager. She was an interesting lady. That was a great afternoon. She will remain in my memories.

Sue Houseal - November 09, 2023 at 03:05 AM

DH

“ I'll always remember Cousin Narvis for her infectious smile and determined spirit. She was always incredibly kind and supportive of me and she will forever have a place in my heart. Rest well, Cousin Narvis.

Delia Houseal - November 08, 2023 at 08:17 AM

HH

“ Sending my sincere condolences to my cousins. Aunt Narvis will truly be missed. All the fond memories of visiting at her home in Columbia before she moved up to Little Mountain to be closer to my mom and dad. The wonderful times spent at church on Sundays singing on the choir with dad. Sharing her wisdom with us as we grew up. These memories and others will be cherished forever. Love you forever and always Aunt Narvis. Your niece, Harriett

Harriett Houseal - November 06, 2023 at 07:30 PM