



## Ruby Gene Harris

July 8, 1943 - February 24, 2020

Ruby Gene Harris was born on July 8, 1943 to Rev. Wallace Chambers and Esther Mae Peace in Austin, Texas. Ruby received her education at L.C. Anderson High School, where she played several sports. She excelled in track, basketball and softball which she played well into her adulthood. She accepted Christ and was baptized at an early age. Ruby was a dedicated and faithful servant at Mount Sinai Missionary Baptist church for over 20 years under the leadership of both Pastor Earl Harris and Pastor A. W. Anthony Mays. She later moved her membership to Abundant LIFE Community Baptist Church under the leadership of Pastor DeChard I.H.M. Freeman. She served willingly in any area needed and she was a member of the S.W.A.G and D.I.V.A ministries at Abundant Life.

Ruby was united in holy matrimony to the late Richard Harris on June 25, 1961. They were married over 40 years and to this union they were blessed with four children whom she dearly loved.

Ruby was employed at the IRS for where she retired after 30 years of service, she then worked for Austin Community College for several years and retired in 2017.

Ruby's life was rich and blessed with a wonderful family and many friends who loved her dearly. She loved chatting on the phone with her friends, watching Family Feud, and she was an avid Texas Longhorn, Dallas Cowboy and San Antonio Spurs fan. Most of all she loved spending time with her family. She was an amazing woman of God who will be missed but never forgotten.

She is preceded in death by her husband Richard Harris, her daughter Deborah Harris, granddaughter LaKendra Harris, brother George Smith, and sister Ruth Brown.

She leaves to cherish her memory her daughters Phyllis Harris, Pamela Harris-Reece, and Brittney Harris; brothers Leroy Chambers (Tommie Lee), Robert Chambers (Hattie); sisters Edna Mae McLennan, and Carolyn Williams (Rev. Larry). Ten grandchildren, six great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, in-laws and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Evergreen Cemetery

3304 E12th & Airport Blvd  
Austin, TX 78721

# Previous Events

## Celebration Service

FEB **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Mount Sinai Baptist Church  
8500 Cameron Rd  
Austin, TX 78754  
(512) 451-0808

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ruby Gene Harris*

October 06, 2023 at 07:08 AM



“ *7 files added to the album Memories Album*



**A Life Celebration by Franklin** - March 03, 2020 at 04:27 PM



“ *Mary Diggs lit a candle in memory of Ruby Gene Harris*



**Mary Diggs** - March 01, 2020 at 01:03 PM



“ I worked with Ruby at ACC for many years, such a positive wonderful women. She adored her kids and grand kids and we talked about them alot, she was so proud of them. My thoughts and prayer are with her and her family.

*Laurie Lindholm*

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**Laurie Lindholm** - February 28, 2020 at 01:36 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ruby Gene Harris.*



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February 27, 2020 at 04:40 PM