



## Rhonda Payne

December 9, 1958 - March 31, 2024

Rhonda Payne, a beloved caregiver in her retirement years, unexpectedly passed away on March 31, 2024, at the age of 65 at her home in Arlington, Texas. Rhonda left this world to join her late husband, S M Payne Jr, who she had been married to for forty-seven happy years until his passing just a month before her own.

Born on December 9, 1958, in Hobbs, NM, Rhonda was the second of two children of the late Earlee Guy Stewart and the late Joyce Larue Gilley Stewart. Raised in Irving, Texas, she attended Mountain View College in Dallas.

Rhonda was a master at completing any task, proudly dubbed "Lt. Dan" by her family for her endless determination, tenacity, and ability to keep everyone guided in the right direction.

She is survived by her daughters, April Lane and Tiffany James, and their husbands, Corey Lane and James James. As well as her beloved sister, Sharon Barg, and adored grandchildren Joseph, Marissa, Dominic, Justis, Savannah, Rocco, Rosco, Akalè, Layla, Mary, Hannah, Joshua, Corey Jr, Kasiah, and Kadynh and 4 great-grandchildren Adam, Abraham, London and Lilah, all who mourn her passing.

A public viewing will be held at Guerrero Dean Funeral Home on April 5, 2024, from 6 to 7 pm. The funeral service will take place at Guerrero Dean Funeral Home on April 6, 2024, at 11 am, and a Graveside Service will be conducted at Union Chapel Cemetery at 2 pm on the same day.

Let us come together to celebrate the life of Rhonda Payne, a woman whose spirit and determination touched everyone she encountered. Join us as we honor her memory and bid farewell to a remarkable soul. She may be gone from our sight, but she will forever remain in our hearts.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

APR 5. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home  
500 E. Main St.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75050

## Funeral Service

APR 6. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home  
500 E. Main St.  
Grand Prairie, TX 75050

## Graveside Service

APR 6. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM.

Union Chapel Cemetery

# Tribute Wall

FM

“ From Cliff and Linda Mathews purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Rhonda Payne.



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From Cliff and Linda Mathews - April 05, 2024 at 04:53 PM

FM

“ From Cliff and Linda Mathews planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rhonda Payne.

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From Cliff and Linda Mathews - April 05, 2024 at 04:53 PM

JC

“ Jacob, Samuel & Annamma James. - Chicago purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Rhonda Payne.



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Jacob, Samuel & Annamma James. - Chicago - April 04, 2024 at 08:11 PM

JC

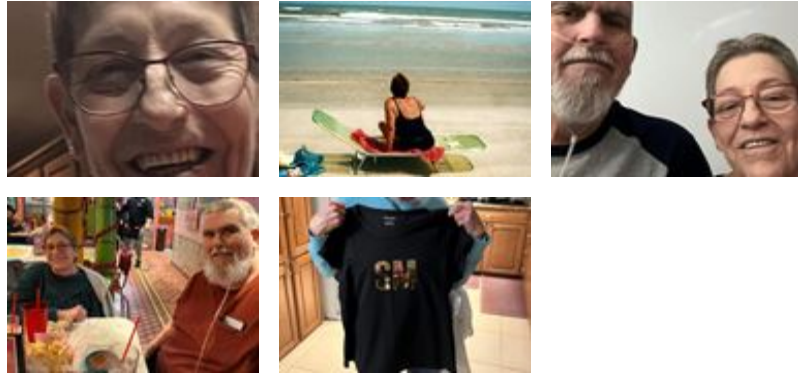
“ Jacob, Samuel & Annamma James. - Chicago planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rhonda Payne.

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Jacob, Samuel & Annamma James. - Chicago - April 04, 2024 at 08:11 PM



“ 99 files added to the album Life Tributes



Guerrero - Dean Funeral Home - April 04, 2024 at 05:16 PM



“ Marisa Haynes , Manny and Ayiana purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Rhonda Payne.



Marisa Haynes , Manny and Ayiana - April 04, 2024 at 04:59 PM



“ Donnie and Paula Neumeyer purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Rhonda Payne.



Donnie and Paula Neumeyer - April 04, 2024 at 01:07 PM

MF

“ *Morado Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Rhonda Payne.*



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**Morado Family** - April 04, 2024 at 12:02 PM

JW

“ *Jon W. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rhonda Payne.*

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**Jon W.** - April 04, 2024 at 03:19 AM

JW

“ *Ms. Payne will be missed. I will continue to keep the family lifted up in prayer*



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**Jaleesia"Jay" Waites** - April 03, 2024 at 08:53 PM

TG

“ *Tom and Susan Greenwood purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Rhonda Payne.*



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**Tom and Susan Greenwood** - April 03, 2024 at 01:40 PM



“ *Sherry purchased the Heavenly Grace Spray for the family of Rhonda Payne.*



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**Sherry** - April 03, 2024 at 12:58 PM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Rhonda Payne.*



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April 03, 2024 at 12:44 PM