



## Margaret Downer

July 25, 1948 - July 7, 2018

Margaret Downer, age 69, of Jamaica in the West Indies, passed away Saturday, July 7, 2018, at her home in Loganville, GA. Margaret was born in Kingston, Jamaica in the West Indies on July 25, 1948, to the late Beryl Elizabeth Lancaster and Kenneth McCalla. She was baptized at the Holy Trinity Catholic Church. Margaret and her husband, Cordell Keswick Downer, were married in Jamaica. Keswick and Margaret went everywhere together and were married for many years until Keswick passed away on July 6, 2008. Exactly 10 years later they are now reunited to continue their time together in the hereafter. Margaret graduated from Holy Family Catholic High School in Jamaica W.I. and at age 19 moved to the United States of America. She lived in Bronx, New York then later moved to Teaneck, New Jersey. While living in the Bronx, she earned her certification as a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). As a CNA she cared for many individuals and helped them to feel as comfortable as possible while they were no longer able to care for themselves. However, due to her own health concerns and inability to perform her duties successfully, she had to resign prematurely. Margaret enjoyed traveling. Her and Keswick often went on road trips up and down the east coast. They especially loved traveling to Florida and planned to build their dream home on some property they purchased there. Conversely, they visited a friend in Georgia and the rest is history. They found the home that they converted into their dream home and spent the remainder of their lives in Georgia. Unknowingly, they enticed other family members to also relocate to

Georgia. Margaret is survived by her Stepchildren: Cordell Downer and his wife Petrolina Elva Downer of New York; Andrea Downer and her husband Leonard Richie Montague of Florida; Grandchildren: Briana Amber Martin, Brandon Lee Evans, Brittany Downer, Bryan Downer, and Kevin Downer; Siblings: Lucien, Melvin, Edwina, Audrey, Velmour, Catherine and Diana; 10 nieces, 11 nephews, 24 grandnieces, 14 grandnephews, 2 great grandnieces, and 4 great grandnephews. Margaret will be missed and was loved by many friends and extended family including Michael Chung, Pauline Reynolds, and Lori Harris. Funeral Services will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, July 21, 2018 at St. Oliver Plunkett Catholic Church in Snellville. Rev. Baiju Augustine will serve as Celebrant. Interment will follow at Gwinnett Memorial Park in Lawrenceville. The family will receive friends from 5-8 PM on Friday, July 20, 2018 at the Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 670 Tom Brewer Road, Loganville, GA 30052. 770-466-1544. Please sign the online guest registry at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Gwinnett Memorial Park

925 U S Highway 29 South  
Lawrenceville, GA

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

JUL 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Oliver Plunkett Catholic Church  
3200 Brooks Drive  
Snellville, Ga

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Margaret Downer*



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**Tim Stewart Funeral Home** - July 19, 2018 at 03:02 PM



“ *Margaret Downer*

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October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ 😭😭 *Such a beautiful soul! I'm happy our last words were I love you... you knew how much I appreciated you. I love you Miss Margaret* 💜💙

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**Ginaa Chung** - July 30, 2018 at 11:46 PM



“ *Last time I seen and spent time with you.. my beautiful angel... you were like a mother to me... Only God knows how sick I feel knowing your not here* 😞 *I know your watching over from Heaven. Kisses and love always Miss Margaret.*



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**Ginaa Chung** - July 30, 2018 at 11:40 PM

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“ *Aunty Margaret Spending her 70th Birthday in Peace with her Beloved Mother, Husband, and Brother* ”



Natalie Patrick - July 25, 2018 at 11:22 AM



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Rhonda Elizabeth - July 22, 2018 at 06:59 PM

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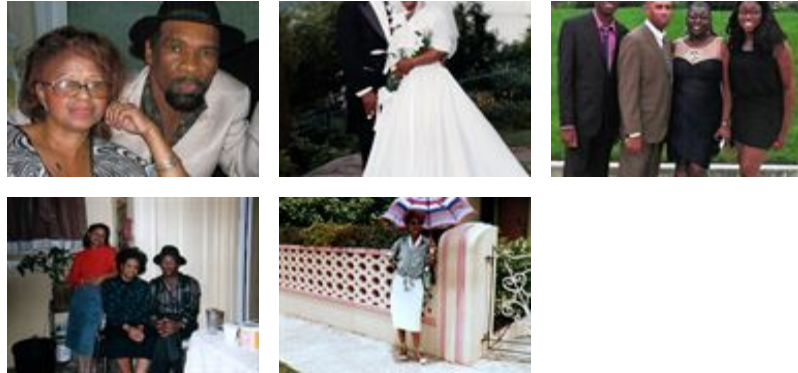
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Mikayla - July 19, 2018 at 07:22 PM



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Tim Stewart Funeral Home - July 19, 2018 at 01:53 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Margaret Downer.



July 18, 2018 at 10:32 PM



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Natalie Patrick - July 18, 2018 at 07:40 AM

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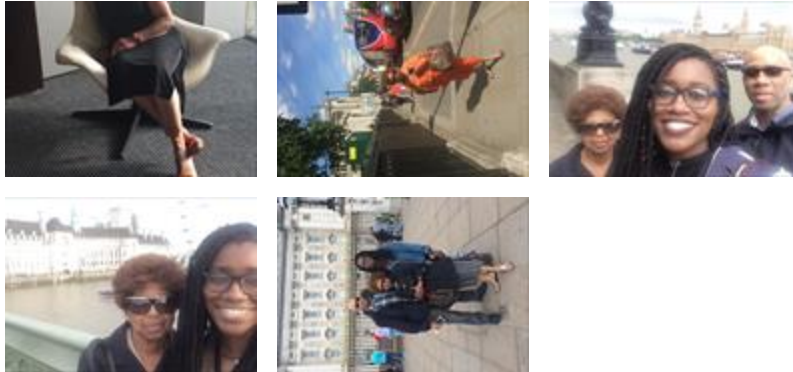
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Brittany Downer - July 17, 2018 at 08:56 PM

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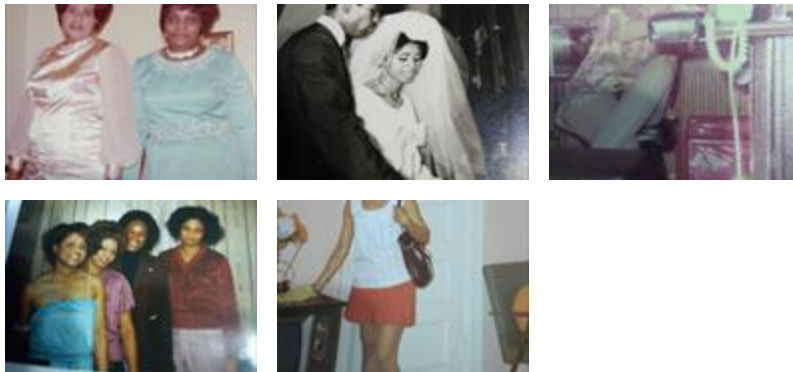
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Brittany Downer - July 17, 2018 at 08:23 PM

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petrolina Downer - July 17, 2018 at 10:10 AM

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**petrolina Downer** - July 17, 2018 at 10:04 AM

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**Petrolina Downer** - July 17, 2018 at 10:01 AM