



Ms. Dovie Lee Neely

July 30, 1944 - September 4, 2022

Obituary

Dovie Lee Neely was the first of three children born to the union of Sylvester and Jemmie Cooper in Sidon, Mississippi on July 30, 1944. She was the fourth of seven children born to her mother, Jemmie (Stafford) Cooper. She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, Sylvester Stafford and John Wallace Cooper; three sisters, Ella Mae Stafford, Louise Stafford and Tommie Cooper.

Dovie moved to the Kansas City area at a young age and was educated in the Kansas City Missouri Public Schools. She furthered her education and obtained an Associate Degree in Business Administration. She was saved early in her life and last attended Open Door Baptist Church.

Dovie was united in marriage to Naaman Neely and to this union two beautiful daughters were born. She was employed by the Social Security Administration for approximately 45 years before she retired in August of 2016.

Dovie lived the words of Nehemiah 8:10. "For the joy of the Lord is your

strength", She believed it. She lived it and she truly loved the Lord.
Dovie went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, September 4, 2022 at the
Life Care Center of Grandview.

Those left to mourn her loss but rejoicing in her life, two daughters, Sherrita
Neely and Renee Bigge, Kansas City, MO; step-son, Pastor Phillip Neely,
Kansas city, MO; two step-daughters, Pamela Neely and Anita Neely, Kansas
City, MO; one sister, LaVarn Moore, Decatur, GA; two grandson, David Bigge
and Daniel Bigge, Kansas City, MO; a host of nephews, nieces other relatives
and friends.

Funeral Service will be held Wednesday, September 14, 2022, 12:00pm at the
Linwood Chapel. Interment Memorial Park Cemetery. Visitation will be from
11am-12pm at the chapel. Service conducted by Lawrence A. Jones & Sons
Funeral Chapel. Condolences may be shared on our website.

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to the family or plant a tree
in memory of Ms. Dovie Lee Neely, please visit our floral store.

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Tribute Wall

KT

“ I met Dovie in the old Module 5 at the Social Security Administration she was my Assistant module manager. Dovie main focus was that we give the public the best service. May God Bless her entire family. Psalm 34:1-2 – “I will bless the Lord at all times: his praise shall continually be in my mouth. ... My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear thereof.”

Kennett L Todd - September 28, 2022 at 10:16 PM

MG

“ I worked with Dovie in the 1970s, she was with me when i met my future husband. We had to go to her mother's house toget one of her sister's birth certificates because i was too young to get in a club.

mary greer - September 22, 2022 at 03:56 PM

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“ I worked with Dovie in a module for several years, and I remember her as kind, friendly, and helpful. I am so sorry to hear of her death.
Sandy Damico

Sandy Damico - September 19, 2022 at 08:28 PM