



Renita J Myers

October 6, 1962 - August 20, 2025

Renita Jo Myers, beloved daughter, wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend, entered into eternal rest surrounded by love with her husband and children on August 20, 2025.

Renita attended Wilmington High School and afterward began her career as a Certified Nursing Assistant, working faithfully at Gilpin Hall. She was known for her caring spirit, bringing comfort and compassion to all those she served.

She enjoyed the simple joys of life—reading, watching movies, and connecting on social media, with Instagram being her favorite site where she met her godson, Ebrima, from South Africa. She loved going to flea markets with her grandchildren, attending family gatherings, and sharing long phone conversations with loved ones. Renita was admired for her radiant smile, warm heart, and willingness to help others.

Born to the late Jimmie French and Catherine Marie Bess, Renita was also blessed with the love of her stepfather, James Bess. She was the devoted wife of John Myers Jr, with whom she shared 33 years of marriage.

Renita was the proud mother of four children: Anita Howell, Lucious French, Charniese French, and Renesha Valn, and the cherished godmother of Elizabeth Roy. Her legacy continues through her ten grandchildren: Kyref

French, Marnaishja Cooper, Lon-Shae Jackson, Quazale French, Ceion Valn, Zyleer French, Lontaezah French, Kaniejah French, Lonae French, and Serenity Valn, along with a bonus granddaughter, Ayana Griffin. She is also survived by nine great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, and extended family.

She was preceded in death by her brother Jimmie French II, and her sister Arthenia French. She leaves to cherish her memory her sisters Nina Mae French, Mary Elizabeth Cross, Sara Nell French-Evans, and Jennifer Vance.

Renita was the daughter-in-law of the late Janet Carter, and of John Myers and his wife Pam Myers. She is also remembered with love by her sister-in-law Angel Jones; her brothers-in-law Shawnie Dyton, Daron Dyton, and Jovell Carter; and was preceded in death by her brothers-in-law Germaine Jones and Charles Hammond. She also leaves behind two sons-in-law, Paul Howell and Teddy Cooke, and one devoted bonus daughter Naketa Ward, also her devoted bonus son, Verdel Collins.

Renita will be deeply missed but forever remembered by her family, friends, and all whose lives she touched.

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP 2. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Ezion Fair Baptist Church
1400 B Street
Wilmington, DE 19801


Celebration of Life

SEP 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SR

“ I remember in Southbridge me and Renita was neighbors along with Dean Pennywell .
So I was home and Renita came to the house and said Anita got into some mess and they coming to her house, so I told her I'm going to sit over here with you they just have to get us both. We fight we fight together. We sat up all night long and in the mist of us being up we started drinking strawberry daiquiri mix and we was so drunk we both fell asleep. These people could have came , are but would have been asleep. I was not going to leave her side that night for nothing in the world. I know you're going to sleep peacefully now because you're some where safe in your father's arms. I love  you Renita my (pal, friend, sis) always and forever.

Susan Robinson - September 02, 2025 at 11:21 AM

SR

“ Susan Robinson lit a candle in memory of Renita J Myers



Susan Robinson - September 02, 2025 at 11:08 AM

BB

“ On behalf of The Mathis Family, we extend our condolences To her Children

Brenda Mathis Brown - September 02, 2025 at 09:30 AM

DR

 Thank you

Daughter of Renita - April 10 at 09:00 AM

SD

“ Sis Renita sorry to hear of your passing. With many years going by your smile lit up a room. Always telling me how smart I was and how I was going to make it. Letting me know we will always be family. Fly high with the Angels. Love you , your Sis Shebah .



Sis Shebah Dyton - August 29, 2025 at 01:00 PM

GT

“ Graver Technologies purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Renita J Myers.



Graver Technologies - August 28, 2025 at 10:24 AM

GT

“ Graver Technologies planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Renita J Myers.

Graver Technologies - August 28, 2025 at 10:24 AM

CF

“ 1 file added to the album French Family



Cheryl French - August 27, 2025 at 01:00 PM

NF

🙏 *Trusting in Our Father in Heaven - Knowing He Does NOT Make Mistakes - I Am Thankful 🙏 to Our Father for Placing You in My Life*

*Sissy,
I will miss Our Many Conversations, The Laughter we shared &
The 'I LOVE YOUs' before saying our Good-Byes.*

*Sissy,
You remain in my 💕 FOREVER because
LOVE Never Dies 💕*

*Your Sister
'Nina'*

Nina French - August 29, 2025 at 12:27 PM

CF

“ *The family is incredibly sorry for the loss of your mother Auntie Renita.*

Words do not suffice to express the depth of sadness we feel for your family. We hope you will all take solace in how Auntie always brought joy, laughter, and positivity to encounters to brighten others' lives.

Please know that we are all here to help in any way that we can.

With prayers for comfort and peace in the days to come.

Nina, Mary, Sara, Jennifer, & the French Families.

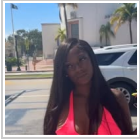
Cheryl Deneen French - August 27, 2025 at 11:41 AM

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“ *CHERYL, RONALD & the French Families purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Renita J Myers.*



CHERYL, RONALD & the French Families - August 27, 2025 at 11:34 AM



“ *My lovely grandmom that I love so much!! Thank you for everything! Thank you for showing me how to love myself and thank you for being the glue to our family! It's never goodbye! Love your first granddaughter Nae nae 🙏*

Nae Solovedd - August 27, 2025 at 11:33 AM