



## Betty "Sutt" Arrington Collins

December 27, 1947 - January 19, 2024

Betty Arrington Collins, affectionately known as "Sutt", was born December 27, 1947 in Coolidge, Georgia to parents, Lester and Margaret Arrington. As a youth, the family relocated to Orlando, Florida where she attended the historic Jones High School, graduating in the class of 1966.

After graduation, Betty went on to become a nurse and worked for Orange Memorial (currently Orlando Health) until she met and married Alex Collins, Jr. in 1972. They remained inseparable until his passing in 2011. Alex was in the United States Air Force, which afforded them the opportunity to travel and live in many places, including Guam, North Carolina, Texas, and eventually settling in Homestead, Florida where she lived for the rest of her life. Betty retired as a Medical Assistant Educator for Miami Dade Public Schools.

Betty made many friends of various cultural backgrounds during her travels as a military wife. She learned to cook many international dishes, one of which was called, "Lumpia" (Filipino-style spring roll) that she enjoyed preparing for her family/siblings, and they enjoyed eating them. She would prepare individual freezer bags filled with Lumpia and distribute them to her family/siblings as a token of her love for them.

Betty was a devoted mother, care giver, and educator. She enjoyed singing, cooking, and watching a good western. But above all, she loved God and her

family.

She was preceded in death by her Husband, Alex Collins, Jr.; Father, Lester Arrington; Mother, Margaret Arrington; and Sister, Sandra Fay Sise'.

Left to cherish her memory her loving children...Son, Alex Collins, III of Homestead, Florida; Daughters: Jhawnee Arrington (Don) of Groveland, Florida and Shari Collins of St. Petersburg, Florida; Brothers: Eugene Arrington (Yvonne), Gary Arrington (Vanessa), and Willie David Arrington (Parene), all of Orlando, Florida; Sister, Shirley Ann Ross (Harold) of Tallahassee, Florida; Grandchildren: Latonya Arrington and Lennaya Bryan; Great Grandchildren: Jahkerris Farmer, Levarius Newkirk, Legend Ogeris, and Mackenzie Overton; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other loving relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Greenwood Cemetery

1603 Greenwood Street  
Orlando, FL 32801

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 26. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

The Word of God Church  
1733 Mercy Drive  
Orlando, FL 32808

## Service

JAN 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Extremely giving and kind hearted!! She would literally help anyone! Being married to her daughter, Chelle, saw firsthand, her overwhelming generosity!!! She will be missed!!!*

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**Don Hairston** - January 28, 2024 at 01:14 PM

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“ *Our deepest condolences to the Betty Sutt Arrington Collins family From Johnnie and Teresa, and all the Streeter families,*

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**Johnnie Streeter** - January 28, 2024 at 09:11 AM

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“ *MONICA DENISE SCOTT lit a candle in memory of Betty "Sutt" Arrington Collins*



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**MONICA DENISE SCOTT** - January 27, 2024 at 09:34 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty "Sutt" Arrington Collins.*



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January 25, 2024 at 05:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty "Sutt" Arrington Collins.*



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January 25, 2024 at 02:26 PM



“ *Eddie Marayne lit a candle in memory of Betty "Sutt" Arrington Collins*



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**Eddie Marayne** - January 25, 2024 at 01:34 PM



“ *To the Arrington-Collins Family. My deepest condolences to each of you. A loved one has been called to add to the Angelic Corp. God has not made a mistake.*

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**Eddie Marayne** - January 25, 2024 at 01:33 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Betty "Sutt" Arrington Collins.*



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January 25, 2024 at 05:48 AM

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“ *Maria & Iris purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Betty "Sutt" Arrington Collins.*



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**Maria & Iris** - January 24, 2024 at 07:45 PM