



## Fern Yolanda Boone

March 22, 1955 - November 21, 2021

Fern Yolanda Boone was born in Sanford, Florida on March 22nd, 1955, the first child of the late Bishop Herman A. and Fayette V. Wilcox. Later she would become the eldest of six children. Fern started her educational journey in Rochester, New York. Later she and her family moved to South Florida, where she met the love of her life, Samuel Derrick Boone, at Carol City Senior High School. Little did she know he would one day become her best friend, husband of 47 years, and the father of her four children, Latrisa, Samuel Jr., April, and William.

Fern was an advocate for everyone to always be the best at utilizing the gifts that God had given them. She pursued a career path that led her to the Veterans Administration Office for 3 years and ultimately, to the US Attorney's Office where she retired after over 20 years.

In 1976, Fern accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior and became a faithful member of Refuge Church of Our Lord Jesus Christ, under the Leadership of Elder Norman Reaves.

Fern had a love for music and went on to become a well known choir director in her church district. In 1985, by the leading of the Lord, she and her husband transferred their membership to help her late father's ministry, Liberty United. While serving faithfully, her husband accepted the call to

become an Elder and was then installed as Pastor of Liberty United Worship Center (LUW). Because of her unique sense of style, and no-nonsense attitude, Fern became known as “The Stylish and Realest First Lady.” As a mother, she believed in making sure her kids knew the power of prayer. She always put God first and used the Bible as her template to raise her kids. She also served as the Mother of the Church and Pastor’s Assistant.

Fern Yolanda Boone will be remembered as a woman of integrity, Accountability, fierceness, sass, never to be defined, and always unpredictable. She was a class act and a hard act to follow. Fern was a loving mother and best friend to all of her children, a devoted wife, a wonderful grandmother, and a faithful sister and friend. She loved God and would do whatever it took to please him. She will forever be missed and loved by all!!

She leaves to continue her legacy, her husband, Samuel D. Boone, Sr., daughters: Latrisa (Corhei) Lanier, April Boone, and Maria Jenkins; sons: Samuel D. Boone, Jr. and William A. Boone; 16 grandchildren, 5 sisters and 1 brother, and a host of aunts, uncles, in-laws, and Liberty United Worship Center Family

# Cemetery Details

## Woodlawn Memorial Park

400 Woodlawn Cemetery Road  
Gotha, FL 34734

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church  
915 East Plant Street  
Winter Garden, FL 34787

## Service

DEC 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church  
915 East Plant Street  
Winter Garden, FL 34787

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fern Yolanda Boone*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Deepest condolences to the Boone Family.*

*Fern had a warm beautiful spirit with a smile that could melt snow. I always enjoyed our conversations over the years, both work-related and spiritual. It was a pleasure to have known her as a co-worker and friend.*

**Claretha Wright-McGee** - December 07, 2021 at 03:51 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. R.I.P. Fran your smiles will always be reminder* 🌸🌸

**Rita Souffrant** - December 04, 2021 at 06:13 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



December 03, 2021 at 03:50 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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December 03, 2021 at 12:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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December 03, 2021 at 09:55 AM



“ *Midnight Shift Intake & Release Bureau purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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**Midnight Shift Intake & Release Bureau** - December 03, 2021  
at 02:19 AM



“ *Pastor Daniel Davy & NLT Church Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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**Pastor Daniel Davy & NLT Church Family** - December 02,  
2021 at 04:58 PM

CC

“ *Ceola and Issac Cross purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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**Ceola and Issac Cross** - December 02, 2021 at 04:00 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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December 02, 2021 at 03:31 PM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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December 02, 2021 at 01:02 PM

AM

“ *Dear Rev. Rosa & Ezzie & Boone Family,  
Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face  
the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold  
in your hearts. We are here to support you. Praying for all of you.  
In Christian Love, Aldersgate UMC Shepherds  
Warrensville Heights, Ohio*

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**Aldersgate UMC Shepherds' Ministry** - December 02, 2021 at 04:48 AM

CD

“ Corey Downing purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.



Corey Downing - December 01, 2021 at 11:48 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.



December 01, 2021 at 02:02 PM

AJ

“ AARON JACKSON purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.



AARON JACKSON - November 30, 2021 at 07:45 PM

ET

“ Eula T. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.



Eula T. - November 30, 2021 at 05:14 PM

SA

“ *Sergeant T. Archer purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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**Sergeant T. Archer** - November 30, 2021 at 03:34 AM

PT

“ *To My Beloved sister in Christ & such a beautiful person & co-worker. Fern, had a beautiful spirit. When she spoke with you, you knew it was GOD speaking to you from within her SOUL. She will truly be missed, I always enjoyed going to her office on the 2nd floor, sharing my views about a mighty GOD we served. I would sit in her office for hours enjoying the many conversations of the amazing GOD we serve, & how good GOD had been to US. When we look back and see where GOD has brought us from & through the storms our SOUL cries out !!!!!!! HALLELUJAH & Thank you JESUS for placing sister Fern Yolanda Boone in my spiritual path.*

*PAULETTE L. THOMAS*

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**PAULETTE L. THOMAS** - November 30, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ *Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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November 29, 2021 at 10:48 PM

JL

“ Fern was a co-worker and friend for many years. My thoughts and prayers are with the Boone family 🙏🙌 May she rest in peace. God Bless 🙏🙌

Jocelyn Lindsay - November 29, 2021 at 07:42 PM

LB

“ Loyld & Earline Glenn - BMBC purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.



Loyld & Earline Glenn - BMBC - November 29, 2021 at 12:40 PM

LS

“ Loyld L Glenn Sr sent a virtual gift in memory of Fern Yolanda Boone



Loyld L Glenn Sr - November 29, 2021 at 12:18 PM

EG

“ Earline Glenn sent a virtual gift in memory of Fern Yolanda Boone



Earline Glenn - November 29, 2021 at 12:17 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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November 29, 2021 at 12:13 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to the Boone family. Fern was a lovely woman and wonderful co-worker; always friendly and helpful.*

*Randy Hummel*

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**Randy Hummel** - November 29, 2021 at 11:17 AM



“ *My prayers to the Boone Family.*

*Fern always had a beautiful smile on her face when you saw her in the halls of at the USAO. She was also very helpful whenever you needed assistance with work and I'm quite sure that sweet willing spirit carried over into her retired life. May she now rest in the loving arms of her Savior.*



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**Karen Whipple** - November 29, 2021 at 10:32 AM



“ *A kind soul always a pleasure to speak to and pass the time with. She loved hearing your story and telling hers. My condolences to the Boone family.*

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**Kevin F** - November 29, 2021 at 10:01 AM

JW

“ We met in 1989 as coworkers and throughout the years we became very good friends. You saw my worth, encouraged and inspired me. I will miss our conversations, your knowledge and your smile. Knowing that you are in God's arms. J. Watson

Jannie Watson - November 29, 2021 at 09:22 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.



November 28, 2021 at 08:03 PM

SB

“ Sharron Beauford sent a virtual gift in memory of Fern Yolanda Boone



Sharron Beauford - November 28, 2021 at 07:10 PM

DL

To the family of Sister Fern Boone. We go way back to Refuge Church of our Lord in Miami , Florida. My sincere thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. May you all be comforted and strengthened is my prayer. Sister Diane Witherspoon-Lynn 🙏🙏

Diane Lynn - December 04, 2021 at 09:46 AM

SB

“ *Sergeant. D. Barfield-Early... purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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**Sergeant. D. Barfield-Early...** - November 28, 2021 at 05:45 PM

SB

“ *A very special lady and a special friend. Truly will miss you! ❤️*



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**Sharron Beauford** - November 28, 2021 at 12:43 PM

VM

“ *Sending prayers And condolences to the family. One thing I can always say about Fern is she always had a big smile whenever I saw her. I had the pleasure of knowing Fern through her tenure with the USAO. Always a pleasant person*



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**Vanessa Morgan** - November 27, 2021 at 01:00 PM

LC

“ *Liberty United Worship Center purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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**Liberty United Worship Center** - November 27, 2021 at 11:14 AM

DS

“ *Dondrea Stevens lit a candle in memory of Fern Yolanda Boone*



Dondrea Stevens - November 27, 2021 at 10:13 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



November 27, 2021 at 08:09 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



November 26, 2021 at 07:15 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



November 26, 2021 at 10:44 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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November 26, 2021 at 09:18 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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November 26, 2021 at 07:58 AM



“ *Janice Smith-Woodside lit a candle in memory of Fern Yolanda Boone*



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**Janice Smith-Woodside** - November 25, 2021 at 08:31 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



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November 24, 2021 at 06:50 PM

CH

“ *Full of life and always had something funny to say. Loved her family. Comfort to the family. She will be missed. Ms. Hamilton*

Catherine Hamilton - November 24, 2021 at 06:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



November 24, 2021 at 02:57 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



November 24, 2021 at 01:01 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Fern Yolanda Boone.*



November 24, 2021 at 12:52 PM