



## Doris Evelyn Gooding

July 15, 1943 - April 11, 2025

It is with great love and cherished memories that we announce the passing of Doris Evelyn Gooding, a beloved daughter, mother, and friend, who transitioned to eternal rest on April 11, 2025, at the age of 81. Doris was born on July 15, 1943, in Sumter, South Carolina, and spent her life nurturing those around her with her warm spirit and unwavering strength.

Doris will be lovingly remembered by her children. She was an extraordinary woman whose legacy will live on in the hearts of all who knew her. Doris' journey through life was marked by her profound kindness, resilience, and a genuine desire to uplift those around her.

In celebration of her life, the family will hold viewing services at Pope Funeral Home Forestville Chapel. The viewing will take place on May 22, 2025, at 12:00 PM until 1:30 PM. This gathering will provide an opportunity for family and friends to come together in remembrance of Doris's incredible spirit.

A burial service will follow the viewing at Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery located at 11301 Crain Highway, Cheltenham, MD 20623, where we will lay Doris to rest. Her legacy will be honored, and her memory celebrated as we gather to share stories, laughter, and love.

As we say farewell to Doris Evelyn Gooding, let us carry forward the lessons

she taught us about strength, compassion, and the importance of family. Though she may no longer walk among us, her spirit will remain forever in our hearts.

## Cemetery Details

### MARYLAND VETERANS CHELTENHAM

11301 CRAIN HIGHWAY  
Cheltenham, MD 20623

## Previous Events

### Viewing

MAY **22**. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Pope Funeral Home Forestville Chapel  
5538 MARLBORO PIKE  
FORESTVILLE, MD 20747

# Tribute Wall



“ *Pope Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Doris Evelyn Gooding*



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**Pope Funeral Homes** - May 22, 2025 at 01:05 PM

MI

“ *Michelle lit a candle in memory of Doris Gooding*



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**Michelle** - May 23, 2025 at 01:53 AM

MI

“ *To my dear mother. Know that I will always miss you. I will miss your caring ways and your loving smile. You will always be in my heart. I know that the God who created the heavens and the universe has welcomed you into his kingdom to rule and reign with him. May you enjoy your new heavenly home.*  
*Love Michelle*

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**Michelle** - May 23, 2025 at 01:37 AM

CM

“ I was saddened to hear of your passing. You died 10 days after my mom passed. My thoughts and prayers are with your family, especially your children and grandchildren because they will miss you the most. They say God only takes the good ones home and He indeed got that with you. You were one of the kindest persons I know and those of us who knew you were better because of having you In our lives. The loss of you will weigh heavy on your family and I pray God gives them special grace to move forward without you because I know you’ve always only wanted the best for them and may they continue to remember the voice of their sweet mother and try to live life as you always wanted for them. I’m glad you’re with the Savior now, but we do miss you .



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**Camilla Mitchell** - May 19, 2025 at 08:07 AM



Pamela  
Williams

“ Sending Condolences to the family ,love Peter and Pam from Nova Scotia

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**Pamela Williams** - April 21, 2025 at 03:30 PM

LR

“ Sanders Mary.@gmail .com one candle for Mary, one for Lue.May the good Lord continue to keep each of you

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**Lue RICHARDSON** - April 19, 2025 at 07:46 AM

LR

“ Lue RICHARDSON lit a candle in memory of Doris Evelyn Gooding



Lue RICHARDSON - April 19, 2025 at 07:41 AM

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Lue RICHARDSON - April 19, 2025 at 07:38 AM

IM

“ Our cousin Doris, we will miss you dearly with your beautiful spirit and soft spoken voice. I remember the time we visited cousin Doris she had a tasty meal prepared for us. We always enjoyed ourselves with the family. Will miss you cousin Doris. Love Ivory 🙌❤️🥰

Ivory Mitchell - April 18, 2025 at 12:53 PM