



Ola Willoughby

November 14, 1920 - February 10, 2026

Ms. Ola Parker Willoughby entered eternal rest on February 9, 2026. She was a woman of grace, strength, and unwavering faith whose presence brought warmth and love to all who knew her.

Ola was devoted to her family and friends and lived her life guided by compassion, kindness, and quiet dignity. She leaves behind cherished memories that will forever remain in the hearts of those who loved her.

She will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered by her family, friends, and all whose lives she touched.

Ms. Willoughby's Celebration of Life will be held on Friday, February 27, 2026, at MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH 3500 19th St S Arlington, VA 22204.

Viewing 9:00 am - 11:00 am, with Celebration of Life immediately following.

Interment - National Memorial Park

Cemetery Details

National Memorial Park

7482 Lee Hwy
Falls Church, VA 22042

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB 27. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt Zion Baptist Church
3500 19th St S
Arlington, VA 22204

Funeral Service

FEB 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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3500 19th St S
Arlington, VA 22204

Tribute Wall

BJ

“ *A wonderful ray of sunshine, a beautiful heart of hope and a joyful energy made a special day whenever I was in Ola’s presence.*
Elizabeth Johns, Alexandria, Virginia

Beth Johns - February 27 at 10:29 PM

JW

“ *Joyce Willoughby purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ola Willoughby.*



Joyce Willoughby - February 24 at 01:39 AM

JW

“ *Joyce Willoughby planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ola Willoughby.*

Joyce Willoughby - February 24 at 01:39 AM

MS

“ To Joyce and family My deepest sympathy to you all. Ms Willoughby was always a sweet and loving person. She was always eloquently dressed and carried herself with class and dignity, a true christian woman. She was dedicated to her church and the Arlington community. A fond memory for my daughter Kirsten was when she was helping her with a high school project, Kirsten was interviewing her about her history as a member of Mt Zion and her contributions to the Arlington community, Kirsten asked her numerous ways how old she was but she would never tell her. We all laughed no matter how Kirsten tried to phase the question, she was always on toes, Kirsten couldn't trick her. When I joined our church, she was the person to take my information, she said when you get 18 years old make sure you register to vote, I laughed and said yes ma'am. Whenever I visited her home, she was polite and welcoming, concerned about your well-being, offering help if needed. She will truly be missed, bless her soul, may she rest in heaven. Michele and Kirsten

Michele Spencer - February 23 at 04:53 PM