



Ms. Rosalind D. Reed

February 24, 1954 - May 28, 2024

Rosalind passed peacefully from this life the morning of May 28th after a gallant battle with cancer. She was surrounded and supported by her loving family, friends and caregivers during the last days of her life.

Rosalind was born in St. Louis, MO, the eldest of five siblings born to John and Elizabeth Reed. The Reed Family moved to Milwaukee, WI around 1965. In 1972, Rosalind graduated from Milwaukee's Rufus King High School and went on to attend Hampton Institute in Virginia. The well-educated Rosalind also attended Alverno, Forrest Park and Webster University. She was also able to study abroad in London.

Rosalind is survived by her three children: Shannon-Nyree Boyd (Dion), Lucas-John Reed, Sean Reed and their honorary brother, Charles Turner (whom Rosalind treated like a son). Rosalind had three grandchildren: Eric Reed, Bryan Reed and Danyell Miller and six great-grandchildren: Savannah Steward, Tashon Reed, Ayden Reed, Yakeem Allen, Aubrey Wilson and Kayla-Nyree

Miller. Rosalind is also survived by her four siblings: Keith Reed, Vanessa Reed, Cedric Reed and John Reed Jr.

A writer and teacher at heart, Rosalind also taught autistic children. She loved the theater (Jesus Christ Superstar, Hamilton), anything Star Wars, Neil Diamond, Bon Jovi, Rob Thomas and, of late, the Golden State Warriors.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 11. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel
6630 W. Hampton Ave
Milwaukee, WI

Funeral Service

JUN 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MH

“ Mike H lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Mike H - June 14, 2024 at 10:17 PM

MS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Melanie Witherspoon BJC Supervisor - June 12, 2024 at 03:15 PM

MS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Melanie Witherspoon BJC Supervisor - June 12, 2024 at 01:58 PM

MS

“ On behalf of the entire team-BJC Operators, please accept our deepest sympathies. Our thoughts are with the family and friends during this time of mourning. Rosalind was truly special to us and will be sorely missed by many.



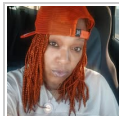
Melanie Witherspoon BJC Supervisor - June 12, 2024 at 01:53 PM

KL

“ I'm truly at a loss for words and that's not in my character (you'd be laughing at this comment)Momma Roz you will truly be missed. I appreciate the time we spent together and will always cherish the deep conversations we had (you know you were a pistol 😂😭). A true Gem of a woman. I was honored to have you look at me as a son! I know you will love this comment in closing. MAY THE FORCE BE WITH YOU! She loved Star Wars 😭



Kevin Lewis - June 12, 2024 at 09:48 AM



Shannon Boyd - June 13, 2024 at 02:22 AM

EH

“ Although, we only worked together for a very brief time, I learned so much from you! Rest in Peace!!

Emilie Haberkern - June 12, 2024 at 05:46 AM

CP

“ Christina P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed.

Christina P. - June 12, 2024 at 01:32 AM

NH

“ Nicholas Hunt sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Nicholas Hunt - June 12, 2024 at 12:39 AM

NH

“ Nicholas Hunt lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Nicholas Hunt - June 12, 2024 at 12:37 AM

EL

“ Edmond, LaTora lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Edmond, LaTora - June 12, 2024 at 12:34 AM

CJ

“ *Ms Rosalind was a creative and studio soul.. She will be missed by all who knew her.My condolences and prayers for the family.*

Carolyn Jones - June 11, 2024 at 05:34 PM

TI

“ *TIMOLIN lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed*



TIMOLIN - June 11, 2024 at 08:28 AM

CT

“ *Charles Turner purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed.*



Charles Turner - June 10, 2024 at 07:37 PM

NR

“ *We always had fun when you would come to visit! This is the most recent memory of you and I. We spent time on the lake front, riding the four wheel bike, eating barbecue and lots of laughs! I will miss your kindness. 💜*



Nancy Reed - June 10, 2024 at 04:54 PM

FM

“ Family~St. Louis, Chicago, Minneapolis purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed.



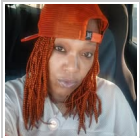
Family~St. Louis, Chicago, Minneapolis - June 09, 2024 at 07:31 PM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Cedric Reed - June 09, 2024 at 07:54 AM



“ My momma was the smartest most caring dedicated strongest woman I will ever know. I love you baby and will forever make you proud....

-love ur only and firstborn daughter Shannon-nyree



Shannon Boyd - June 07, 2024 at 11:42 PM

VR

Beautiful picture and a memory that will last forever. She is resting now and is truly proud of you and your brothers.

Vanessa Reed - June 08, 2024 at 08:36 AM

CP

“ Chris Plank sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Chris Plank - June 05, 2024 at 01:08 AM

CP

“ Chris Plank lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Chris Plank - June 05, 2024 at 01:07 AM

JA

“ Jaleessa lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Jaleessa - June 04, 2024 at 01:33 PM

CT

“ Charlita Taylor lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed



Charlita Taylor - June 04, 2024 at 10:47 AM

LT

“ *Lakeisha & The Sully Compound Team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ms. Rosalind D. Reed.*



Lakeisha & The Sully Compound Team - June 02, 2024 at 09:55 AM