



## Willie Ann Munemo

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Willie Ann Munemo of Santa Barbara, Calif., died in the Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital on Sept. 08, 2024. She was born to Bill and Cora Young in Birmingham Alabama, May 24, 1939. Ann was a graduate of Alabama A & M, BS and UCSB, MA, Education. Professionally, Ann was a member of Kappa, Delta Pi (education) and Delta Sigma Theta.

Ann is survived by her husband of 50 years, Mutaurya E. and son, Mutaurya P. ; Sisters Dorothy Parker of S.B., Lillian Pounds of Lompoc, Cassandra Turner of Oxnard and Jasmine Lancaster of Maryland; Two brothers-in law; Henry Hackle (Lillian's husband), and David M Munemo (Mutaurya's brother, in Harare); Two sisters-in law; Norma T. (sister to David and Mutaurya) and Judith, David's wife, both of Harare, Zimbabwe. U.S. Nieces; Tatiana, Michelle, Andrea, Allia, Adara, Ari and Lozzetta; Overseas nieces; Eunice of England, Alma, Sally, Aurora and numerous cousins of Zimbabwe. U.S. Nephews; Phillippe, Rick, Tristan and Rob; Allen, Tinashe, Alfred, Enoch, Henley of Zimbabwe; Solomon, Adonis, Delbert, and Greg of South Africa, among others.

WAM; wife, mother, auntie, grand auntie (Ambuya), Friend to many, far and wide; educator, mentor and master teacher with a background in confluent

education (UCSB). She taught school for 35 years-kindergarten to 6th grade, retiring while still a master teacher.

# Cemetery Details

## Santa Barbara Cemetery

901 Channel Drive  
Santa Barbara, CA 93108

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

SEP **20**. 11:00 AM (PT)

Welch-Ryce-Haider - Downtown  
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Santa Barbara, CA 93101  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ My prayers for your family, may God's presence be near in your season of sorrow. Mrs. Munemo was my kindergarten teacher at El Camino elementary school around 1980. I am sorry for your loss, she was a great lady and teacher. I have many fond memories of being in her class. I was able to reconnect with her in the mid 1990s as a teller at BofA and met Mr. Munemo & her son at that time. My condolences & God bless. Stevie Balfour-Ritchie

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**Stevie Balfour-Ritchie** - October 31, 2024 at 02:52 PM

JD

“ Blessings and prayers to Ann's family. Mutuutawa. I knew your mom when we were Montessori Center school parents. We had such a wonderful relationship and supported each other, being parents with little ones in school for the first time. We are so sorry for your loss. I'm just reading this now after looking at someone else's memorial. I'm very saddened and surprised to find this memorial .  
Sending deepest condolences. Jewell, Jermaine and Dion.

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**jewell Dennis** - September 22, 2024 at 12:38 AM