



## Estelle Knox

January 2, 1962 - February 26, 2025

Estelle Cora Knox, born on January 2, 1962, to John William Tilson and Carol Ann Faulk at Harlem Hospital Center in Harlem, New York, peacefully transitioned on February 26, 2025, surrounded by her loving family. She was 63 years old.

Estelle was raised in Jamaica, Queens, New York, by William and Carol Faulk, Estelle grew up in a close-knit family that instilled in her the values of hard work and perseverance. She attended St. Pius Catholic School and later pursued further education, enrolling in various computer and word processing courses.

In 1986, Estelle moved to St. Paul, Minnesota, where she worked in a variety of roles, from food service to facilities and groundskeeping, always approaching each job with dedication and a positive attitude. Her strong work ethic and determination touched everyone she worked with.

Estelle survived by her daughter, Robyn King, and son, Demetrius Chester. She was a cherished grandmother to four grandchildren and a proud great-grandmother to one great-grandchild. She is also survived by her three brothers, Noel, William, and Michael, who were a constant source of love and joy throughout her life.

Estelle's peaceful passing marks the end of a life filled with love, hard work, and devotion to her family. She will be deeply missed by all who knew her. Her legacy of love, kindness, and strength will live on in the hearts of her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren, and all those fortunate enough to have shared in her life.

A private memorial service will be held in her honor.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAR **29**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Estes Funeral Chapel  
2201 Plymouth Ave N  
Minneapolis, MN 55411  
(612) 521-6744  
<https://estesfuneralchapel.com>

# Tribute Wall

TB

“ Estelle and I had emailed each other every day for about the past 5 years with few exceptions. I looked forward to checking in with her each day. I will miss that. We got to know each other and share about our families. She spoke glowingly about her family, and justifiably so. She was always positive and supportive when I needed that, and I tried to be the same for her. We also shared a mutual interest in the Green Bay Packers. I looked forward to dissecting the results of the game with Estelle the following day, and offering our Monday morning quarterbacking suggestions.

*Estelle impacted a lot of people. I am so sorry for the loss you all experience. I am glad to have known her and to have had her as a friend.*

*Tom Baraniak*

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Tom Baraniak - March 31, 2025 at 02:46 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Estelle Knox.



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March 29, 2025 at 09:25 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Estelle Knox.

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March 29, 2025 at 09:25 AM

SC

“ Sincerely, Shawn Chester purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Estelle Knox.



Sincerely, Shawn Chester - March 27, 2025 at 02:08 PM

LF

“ Love The Houlton Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Estelle Knox.



Love The Houlton Family - March 25, 2025 at 02:12 PM

AR

“ We are so sorry for your loss of your beloved Mother. We send our prayers and condolences to you and your family. God bless you all. We love you ❤️ 🙏



AMOS RUSSELL - March 25, 2025 at 01:18 PM

JC

*Estelle was born at about the same time I married her brother Charles. Her mother Carol then moved to St Paul, Minnesota from Queens, New York. My own family began to grow in the sixties and so it was a busy time.*

*I regret not being present in Estelle's life. But in this her transition, her going home, I praise the life she lived, the children she raised and know we will one day meet again. May God bless her soul and may Estelle Rest in Heavenly Peace.*

*Jacqueline Chester*

Jacqueline Clay Chester - April 09, 2025 at 08:38 AM

DC

“ 4 files added to the album Estelle Knox



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**Demetrius Chester** - March 25, 2025 at 12:36 PM