



## Nola Noonan

August 29, 2025

Nola Kay Noonan, of Montclair, Virginia, passed away peacefully at her home on August 29, 2025, at age 69.

She was born and raised in Raleigh, North Carolina, until the age of 11, when her family moved to Spanish Fork, Utah for her father's teaching position at Brigham Young University. Nola Kay found joy in farm life during her grade school years and later attended BYU where she studied nursing and art. While at BYU, she met and fell in love with Robert W. Noonan. They married and raised six children while moving across several states for Robert's career in the U.S. Army, and finally settled in Virginia.

Nola Kay will be remembered for her kindness, sense of humor, tenacity, artistic talents, and unwavering commitment to her faith and family. She loved learning, taking long walks, quilting, singing hymns, and enjoying a well-made root beer float. Her sweet tooth led her to develop an affinity for fine European chocolate which her husband was happy to indulge her with. She delighted in the milestones of her children—like the day they could drive her around for a change—treasured time with her grandchildren, and most of all, cherished being with her family.

She was a devoted member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and served faithfully in Relief Society and primary presidencies, as well

as librarian, ward missionary, Cub Scout leader, Sunday School teacher, and several stake callings. Her faith in Jesus Christ was the foundation of her life.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Noonan; her children, Robert Noonan Jr., Ryan Noonan, Lynette Graff, Eric Noonan, Matthew Noonan, and Rachael Stiles; and twelve grandchildren. She is also survived by her siblings: Vinson, Norman, John, Mary Ann, Martha, Aaron, Katherine, Melvin, Caroline, Jacob, Jared, and Nathan. She was preceded in death by her sister, Sarah Carter, and by her parents, Melvin and Clara Carter.

A viewing will be held at 10:00 AM, followed by funeral services at 11:00 AM on Thursday, September 18, at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 2000 George Washington Memorial Parkway, Alexandria, VA 22308. Interment will take place at 2:00 PM at the National Memorial Cemetery at Quantico, 18424 Joplin Road, Triangle, VA 22172.

Flowers can be sent to the Miller funeral home prior to September 18th. 3200 Golansky Blvd, Woodbridge, VA 22192.

# Previous Events

## Viewing

SEP **18**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints  
2000 G.W. Pkwy  
Alexandria, VA 22308

*For GPS: Go down Lucia Lane to gain access to church*

## Funeral Service

SEP **18**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints  
2000 G.W. Pkwy  
Alexandria, VA 22308

## Graveside Service

SEP **18**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Quantico National Cemetery  
18424 Joplin Rd  
Triangle, VA 22172-1636  
(703) 221-2183

# Tribute Wall

PC

“ I am Nola's oldest brother, Vinson. We were part of a very large family. My parents met in Arizona after my father returned from his mission. My mother's family moved into my mother's family had moved into his family's ward. They almost immediately caught each other's attention. Their dates included helping mother's read the Book of Mormon for the first time and chaperoning by his little brother, who was looking intently over the seat when the ring was offered. They soon had the opportunity for a fellowship to attend graduate school in Raleigh North Carolina. After a number of years they left with doctorate and a number of children including Nola. After a few years of moving around in Utah, we moved to Spanish Fork Utah. There we had lots of chores and family experiences good and challenging. Nola was a Sterling example duty and kindness. Together with Robert they have created a wonder family legacy of love and kindness to others. As her brother, I have always admired Nola's character and her love and kindness.

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**Philo V Carter** - September 18, 2025 at 11:50 AM

LR

“ I was Nola's "visiting teacher", now called ministering sister -- when we lived in Virginia, from 2007 until 2017. I treasure my time with Nola . She is sweet, kind, sensitive, analytical, spiritual. Wonderful to know her. I hope someone can tell me why she passed on to our next life. Ph/message 858-254-4398. Lana Robertson

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**Lana Robertson** - September 18, 2025 at 12:44 AM



“ *Loving Grace was purchased for the family of Nola Noonan.*



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September 17, 2025 at 09:47 AM



“ *I remember Nola making matching dresses for her girls and coming to a reunion in Spanish Fork. The dresses had a design that took a lot of skill. Nola was a very talented. The dresses were amazing. It was so fun to see her. She always had a bubbly personality and enjoyed being with her siblings and family.*



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**Camille Carter** - September 17, 2025 at 07:49 AM



*Dear Noonan Family,  
I just got Nola's obituary texted to me by Liz (Carlile) Mercurio. I am heartbroken that I will not be able to come to the services. I would totally be there except I am in Oregon visiting my son, Steven. I'm sad to hear of her passing. I loved her so. We didn't see each other much the last several years but every time we did, we were still close friends just like we were when we both lived in Montclair. She is such a wonderful person. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with ALL of you as you grieve her absence.  
Love,  
Diane Donovan*

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**Diane** - September 17, 2025 at 11:28 PM



*From a good friend.*

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**Diane** - September 17, 2025 at 11:30 PM

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**Ryan Noonan** - September 16, 2025 at 10:26 AM

TT

“ The EP&T and SR&A Team purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Nola Noonan.



**The EP&T and SR&A Team** - September 15, 2025 at 01:07 PM

TT

“ The EP&T and SR&A Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nola Noonan.

**The EP&T and SR&A Team** - September 15, 2025 at 01:07 PM

JC

“ Jacob and his NASS-SFDS Colleagues purchased the *Enchanted Cottage* for the family of Nola Noonan.



**Jacob and his NASS-SFDS Colleagues** - September 14, 2025 at 01:40 PM

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Ryan Noonan - September 14, 2025 at 12:17 PM

KD

“ Nola was a great example to our family. She always had smile and kind words for my family. Prayers to the Noonan family.

*Kim and Erik Dorman family*

Kim Dorman - September 12, 2025 at 05:52 PM

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Ryan Noonan - September 12, 2025 at 10:29 AM