



Zayda L. McCorkle

December 9, 2023

Zayda L. (Brborich-King) McCorkle passed away December 9, 2023 at the age of 76. Zayda was born in Ambato, Ecuador to Zobeyda and Gerardo Brborich. She immigrated to the United States as a child with her mother and siblings. When her mother remarried, she took the last name of her stepfather, Paul King.

Zayda was a resident of Woodbridge, Virginia. It was here that she met and married her husband Larey W. McCorkle and raised a family. She was a graduate of Woodbridge High School and George Mason University.

Zayda often said that her happiest childhood memories were of school and the supportive teachers who helped her adjust to life in the US. Zayda attended college at night while raising 3 children to achieve her dream of becoming a teacher. Zayda was a dedicated high school Spanish teacher at Woodbridge High School, retiring in 2009. She had a life-long passion for learning which never ended. She was inspired by the Spanish master Francisco Goya who titled one of his late works “Aun Aprendo” or “I’m Still Learning” showing great humility and drive for personal development.

Zayda is preceded in death by her husband Larey and sister Maria. She is survived by her children Lisa McCorkle (Jeff Vish), Natalie McCorkle (Mark Erdly), Sean McCorkle (Maria Elena Zavala), three grandchildren, her brother

Marco King, and countless loving friends.

A memorial service will be held at Miller Funeral Home in Woodbridge, Virginia on Saturday, January 20, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Culpeper National Cemetery

305 US Avenue
CULPEPER
Culpeper, VA 22701

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.
3200 Golansky Blvd.
Woodbridge, VA 22192
703-878-CARE (2273)
<https://millerfuneralhome.net/>

Tribute Wall



“ Pat Jackson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Zayda L. McCorkle.

Pat Jackson - January 18, 2024 at 09:07 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Zayda L. McCorkle.



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“ Natalie M. purchased the Stately Lilies for the family of Zayda L. McCorkle.



Natalie M. - January 17, 2024 at 09:01 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Zayda L. McCorkle.



January 13, 2024 at 02:39 PM

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“ Woodbridge church of Christ planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Zayda L. McCorkle.

Woodbridge church of Christ - January 13, 2024 at 02:39 PM