



Beverley Gilchrist

August 13, 1954 - August 3, 2021

Beverley (Paulette) Gilchrist, 66, made her transition from this life on the morning of Tuesday, August 3, 2021, surrounded by love. She was born on August 13, 1954, in Baltimore, Maryland to Daisy Mae and Henry Llyod Gilchrist, who both preceded her in death.

Beverley, was a life long citizen of Baltimore City and attended Winston Elementary, Herring Run Junior high school, and Northwestern High School where she pledged as a member of the Zino sorority. She attended Saint Paul Baptist Church, where she accepted Jesus Christ as her savior, early on. Her interests were drawing, sewing, and dancing. She and her brothers and sister were very close and enjoyed spending a lot time together as children. While punished, they would pass the time listening and dancing to the soulful sounds of WWIN radio. Beverley was comedian in her own right, who told jokes for money and by request, to her audience on the Caroline Street stoops. She and her sister Cathy sat on those front steps so much, that they were called the “Step Sisters”.

Beverley landed her first a Job at Baltimore Gas and Electric Company, where she worked as energy services specialist for over 15 years. Following that career, Beverley accepted a human resources position with the local NAACP and would hold her high and proudly boast about it. It was at NAACP that she was nick named GG, Greedy Gilchrist, because as tiny as was, Beverley loved to eat! After retiring, she returned to working at the Food King Market just to stay busy.

Family gatherings and Holidays were the highlights of Beverley’s life especially because she loved to cook and entertain. She didn’t hang out much but when she did you could find her hand dancing at Caton Castle. Her home was always filled with the sounds of her favorites like Franky Beverly, Anita Baker, Phyllis Hymen and Regina Bell. The Ruxton Avenue home was the gathering place for family and friends, and there was never a dull moment. Beverley was the “Mayor” of the neighborhood and would offer a meal, helping hand, her last dollar or even a spare room to anyone who needed it. She was loved by so many.

In 2018, our Dear Beverley was diagnosed with Vascular Dementia which ultimately claimed her life. She was extremely well cared for at home by her children and family, but mostly full time by her son Dean, whom she called her "Rock." The amazing staff of Seasons Hospice offered tremendous assistance which helped to make her comfort and care, easier.

Beverley leaves behind to remember her legacy, a younger sister Cathy Gilchrist Royale, brothers, Henry Lloyd Gilchrist, Jr(Junie) and Sherill Daniel Gilchrist(Danny) both deceased, half siblings Jaqueline Crawford and Keith Gilchrist and step-sister Valerie D Kirkwood. Her beautiful children, Japonica Sha Bullock, Lakishna Nicole Lacherelle Gilchrist-Lewis, Dean Lloyd Bushrod, and Corey David Tucker. Her Beloved Grandchildren, Dareya Briante' nicknamed (Ganny), Kannan D'aire, Addis Myles Maurion, Kedrick, Ashley, Ka'Chad, Aishaya, Ke'Andre, Kavontez, Faith and Axel Tucker, one loving nephew, Darian Stovall, best-friend Rhonda Broady and a host of adored great-grandchildren, aunts, uncles, cousins, family and friends. From her loving relationship with John David Tucker "Ricky" (recently deceased), she gained bonus children Derek Tucker, Kim Tucker, Marche' Templeton and John Tucker, Jr, whom she loved as a mom.

Events

AUG **Viewing** 03:00PM - 05:00PM

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March Funeral Home - West

4300 Wabash Avenue, Baltimore, MD, US, 21215

AUG **Wake** 11:30AM - 12:00PM

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AUG **Funeral Service** 12:00PM

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Comments



“ To view the service of Ms. Gilchrist please click the link that says view webcast.



March Funeral Homes - August 11, 2021 at 09:23 AM



“ Friend lit a candle in memory of Beverley Gilchrist



Friend - September 15, 2021 at 06:55 PM



“ I am so shocked, love you Beverly.

Friend - September 15, 2021 at 06:54 PM



“ Brenda Alston Simmons lit a candle in memory of Beverley Gilchrist



Brenda Alston Simmons - August 11, 2021 at 07:27 PM



“ I was the one who named her "GG" at the NAACP. I couldn't comprehend how someone so tiny could consume so much food. I loved her beyond words. When I worked late, I could always rely on her to feed the boy (my son). He would call me and say GG bought me a chicken box LOL. The love for her can not be explained, but it's the same love she had for all her children especially Corey. I love you GG and I always will.

Christine Chew - August 10, 2021 at 10:15 PM



“ *love*darn spell check. Charge it to my thumbs and not my heart.

Christine Chew - August 10, 2021 at 10:23 PM



“ Sweet!

India Artis - August 11, 2021 at 10:33 AM



“ Robin Alston France lit a candle in memory of Beverley Gilchrist



Robin Alston France - August 10, 2021 at 09:52 PM



“ Brenda Lewis lit a candle in memory of Beverley Gilchrist



Brenda Lewis - August 10, 2021 at 12:23 PM



“ Bell family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Beverly Gilchrist.



Bell family - August 10, 2021 at 10:25 AM



“ BPD Family (Special Events & OT Unit) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Beverly Gilchrist.



KC Zellars - August 09, 2021 at 03:55 PM



“ Linda Davis lit a candle in memory of Beverley Gilchrist



Linda Davis - August 08, 2021 at 10:05 AM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - August 06, 2021 at 03:23 PM