



Arania Stephanie McDowell

February 18, 1959 - February 11, 2009

ARANIA STEPHANIE McDOWELL, daughter of the late Stephen McDowell and Patricia McDowell, was born on February 18, 1959. It pleased the Lord to call her home on February 11, 2009, after a brief illness. Stephanie, as she was affectionately known, received her education in the public schools of Baltimore City, graduating from Western High School in 1977. After working a brief period in food service, Stephanie joined the U.S. Armed Services receiving an honorable discharge after fifteen years of dedicated service. Always aspiring to do better and utilize her many talents she enrolled in TEST College and obtained an HVAC engineering degree. She then began working in the Baltimore City Public School Systems, ending a ten year career as a well-respected HVAC supervisor. Stephanie loved playing cards, traveling to Atlantic City and Dover, Delaware for hours of fun. Many times she was accompanied by her favorite aunt Edwina Howard. Anyone that knows Stephanie knows she like to party. Small or large gatherings, she was there. Stephanie was devoted to her friends and family, No sacrifice was too big for her. If you ever needed a friend –Stephanie was there! Above all, Stephanie loved her sister Trisha. She was devoted to her and cherished every moment they spent together. The two of them were inseparable! Their committed friend Ronald Bowen looked out for them both. Stephanie leaves to cherish her memory: a loving mother, Patricia McDowell; a devoted stepmother, Charlotte McDowell; brother, Michael McDowell; sister, Patricia McDowell; a dear cousin, Arnetta Cartwright; friend, Ronald Bowen (whom

she loved like a brother); and many other family and friends.

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“ Arania Stephanie McDowell

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“ May I send my condolences to you all. the family & friends. Lossing a dear love one breaks the circle of life for all.It is wonderful to know that in the near future dying will be no more as the bible say at Isa.25:8. our heavenly father cares for you you all , 1 Peter 5:7. I am so looking forward to a Paradise earth of peace and happiness, Ps.145:16. I hope these few thoughts will be uplifting to read . May all the chreish memories shared with Ms. Stephanie help to support you all on the journey of life ahead.###imported-begin##L.D.C###imported-end##

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“ I send my warm and sincere sympathy to the family at this most difficult time. May Our heavenly father comfort and strengthen you to face another day. Please keep the hope of the resurrection close to your hearts, because one day Arania will come to life again. The apostle Paul wrote, "And I have hope towards God that there is going to be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous." One day all sickness, violence, and death will be gone forever, because Jehovah God promises that he will swallow up death forever and certainly wipe the tears from all faces." This world itself will one day be changed into a peaceful new paradise; the way Jehovah intended it to be from the beginning. All who are obedient and faithful to him will share in those blessings, and be on hand to welcome their loved ones back from the dead. What a glorious day that will be. As you reflect on your precious memories of Arania, may they be a sustaining force in your lives. Isaiah 25:8, Rev 21:3-5##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##

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“ MACK YOU WILL TRULY BE MISS, MY HEART IS VERY SADING BUT I KNOW YOU ARE RESTING IN THE ARM OF GOD. TO THE FAMILY BE BLESSED.##imported-begin##DANA MASON##imported-end##

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“ I know that god is with you . and may you find peace and comfort in your new rest place .##imported-begin##janice rich##imported-end##

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“ *stephanie you will truly miss this year when we go to vegas. it won.t be the same without you rest in peace .##imported-begin##cheryl berry##imported-end##*

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“ *KEEP YOUR HEADS UP HIGH AND LOOK TOWARDS HEAVEN ASKING FOR STRENGTH FROM OUR ALMIGHTY GOD FOR HELP AND HE WILL GRANT THAT UNTO YOU. MAY GOD BLESS THIS FAMILY IN EVER WAY POSSIBLE.##imported-begin##DRUSILLA SHARPE (DEE)##imported-end##*

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“ *You will be truly missed. I will be praying that GOD will give your family strength during this tme.##imported-begin##Anne Williams##imported-end##*

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“ *I would like to send my deepest sympathy to the family of Ms. McDowell. May God Bless you.##imported-begin##Barbara Demory##imported-end##*

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“ *McDowell,you will be truly miss May God Bless Your Family at this time of bereavement##imported-begin##Juanita Randall##imported-end##*

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“ To the family stay in prayer and hold on to all your memories. We are only here for a short time.##imported-begin##William Evans##imported-end##

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“ On behalf of Noresco O&M Office we were sadden by the news of Arania's passing. She was a vivacious, outgoing person, her laughter and personality was infectious. Stephanie as we know her will be sorely missed.##imported-begin##Noresco##imported-end##

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“ I would like to offer my condolences for the loss of your loved one. The Bible promises us that in the near future, Jehovah God will wipe out every tear from our eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore (Rev. 21:4). Continue to draw close to the God of all comfort (2Cor1:3-4) and he will sustain you during this difficult time (Psalm55:22). Warm regards, C. Murphy##imported-begin##C. Murphy##imported-end##

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“ Stephanie I Will alway remenber you and you are alway my running buddy love you CB##imported-begin##Catherine Butler##imported-end##

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“ Mc you will always be in my hart and may God keep you in his arm. Love ya CB###imported-begin##Catherine Butler##imported-end##

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“ To the Family of Arania McDowell - My prayers are with all of you and I pray that God will continue to give you strength during this most difficult time. She will be missed by all of us.###imported-begin##Yvonne Jones##imported-end##

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“ God WILL sustain you in this most painful hour. I pray that God holds you tightly in His arms during this time, and that you feel His unending love for all of you. I'll be praying.###imported-begin##Patricia A. Cooper##imported-end##

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“ On behalf of the Patterson High School Athletic Department I would like to extend our deepest sympathy to Stephanie's family and friends. Stephanie worked for many years at Patterson High, especially with our swimming pool. The Athletic Staff will truly miss her.###imported-begin##Donna Bowers##imported-end##

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“ To: Patricia McDowell & Family. I was so sad to hear of the passing of your sister. Stephanie was a good friend to me when we were at Cecil Elementary School. I went onto the March FH website to look up services for someone else and was so surprised to see my childhood friend had passed also. Tricia, I will keep you and your family in my prayers. I know how close the two of you were, since even in elementary school I remember how much Stephanie talked about you. Please email me when you can. God bless you!
Tammy###imported-begin##Tammy White###imported-end##

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