



BARBARA GRIFFIN

January 12, 1953 - July 16, 2020

God reached down on July 12 2020 and removed a rose from Earth's garden to back as His own. Born Barbara Ann Harris to the late Wilbur and Margaret Harris in Baltimore Maryland on January 12, 1953. She lived her years in Baltimore, Maryland and attended Baltimore City Public Schools. She worked as a homemaker and a parent volunteer at Duke Ellington Primary School, where her children attended.

Barbara was affectionately known to her grandchildren as Nanny. She was very loving, a healer to anyone who was ill and needed help. To help others was her passion.

She accepted Jesus Christ as her Savior on April 1, 1979 at The New Tabernacle Baptist Church, under the late Pastor Wilmer G. Holloway. later united with Zion Baptist Church under the leadership Pastor Marshall F. Prentice.

She was the life of the party, she enjoyed family time, dancing, cooking, singing, and teaching her grands and great grandchildren.

Barbara married the late Joseph E. Young Sr. on September 27, 1981 and from this union the had eight beautiful children.

She enjoyed being a homemaker , daycare provider, and caretaker for many

of her family members. Her favorite songs, "There's A Bright Side Somewhere' and His Eye Is On The Sparrow', and you could often find her listening to songs by Teddy Pendergrass.

Many individuals referred to her as mom. She was a motivator with an illuminating smile and she would often receive compliments on her beautiful teeth. She was the definition of the mother principal. She nurtured many of the neighborhood kid's and her home was always open to anyone who need help.

Barbara departed this life with one great thought of joining Christ , and to be with her parents and her first born daughter, Rechina.

Barbara married Lewis Griffin Sr. on January 10,2008, a father to 8 children from a previous union. They were inseparable and enjoyed traveling together and dancing.

Barbara was preceded in death by her father Wilbur in 1994, her mother Margaret in 1997, her two sister's Gloria in 2000 and Jean in 2002, her daughter Rechina in 2015, the father of her children, Joseph Sr in 2017, and a close friend Maryland Carroll.

She leaves to cherish her memory and carry on her legacy, her husband and best friend, Lewis Griffin Sr; her children; Teresa (Avon), Contina (Damon), Joseph (Marcie), Wilbur (Tamara),Andrea (Kazeem), David Allen, her baby girl' Kameka (Robert), Alvetta, Jacklynn (Howard),James (Angela), Carl, Sharon (Ronald), Joey (Yolanda), Kenneth; two brothers, Calvin Harris and Larry Harris-EL; one sister, Renee Johnson; her beloved aunt, Alice Ferguson; two cousins, Phyllis and Donna; her godchildren, Temia extraordinary boys,Jeremiah Young and Tyrone Allen 44 grandchildren, 30

great-grandchildren, a host of nieces and nephews, and other family members and close friends.

Cemetery Details

King Park

8710 Dogwood Road
Baltimore, MD 21244

Previous Events

VIEWING

JUL 29. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Wake

JUL 30. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Zion Baptist Church
1700 N. Caroline Street
Baltimore, MD 21213

Service

JUL 30. 10:30 AM (ET)

Zion Baptist Church
1700 N. Caroline Street
Baltimore, MD 21205

Tribute Wall

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“ *I love you my beautiful Nanny*



Temia - October 17, 2024 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Andrea sent a virtual gift in memory of
BARBARA GRIFFIN*



andrea - August 23, 2024 at 12:41 PM

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“ *mommy you are missed your smile is in memories. Thanks for
teaching me to choose me and everything else will follow you
deserve the mother principal award .YOU WILL ALWAYS BE MY
BLESSING thanks for loving me ma!*

andrea - August 23, 2024 at 12:41 PM



“ *BARBARA GRIFFIN*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM

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“ *I miss you Nanny*



Temia - November 22, 2021 at 12:42 PM

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“ *Temia lit a candle in memory of BARBARA GRIFFIN*



Temia - November 22, 2021 at 12:24 PM

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Temia - May 21, 2021 at 02:25 PM

TW

“ *Tesha Watkins sent a virtual gift in memory of BARBARA GRIFFIN*



Tesha Watkins - September 10, 2020 at 11:41 PM

TW

I am from. Tupelo ms i don't know your mom but god needed her more i hate that it took so long for her results to come back its sad but please know to be absent from the body is to be present with the lord.

Tesha Watkins - September 10, 2020 at 11:43 PM

CB

“ *Sending my prayers to my extended family during this difficult time may your memories continue to live on I'm forever grateful to have you and my children Nanny we love you* 🍷🍷🍷🍷
Sparkles,Devarsha,Minch,Kyeree

Chaka Bean - July 29, 2020 at 11:03 PM

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andrea young - September 12, 2020 at 12:47 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of BARBARA GRIFFIN.*



July 24, 2020 at 02:06 PM



“ *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 - July 21, 2020 at 03:19 PM