



Cecelia Diane Brooks

August 5, 1953 - August 13, 2010

On Friday August 13, 2010 the Lord called Diane home to be with the angels in heaven. Born the third child to James and Helen Lancaster in La Plata, MD on August 5, 1953, she was a delight to be around. Diane graduated from La Plata High School in 1972. Diane married her true love Timothy Brooks on January 10, 1976, and was blessed with three loving children Nina, Cynthia and Timothy, Jr. Diane was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend. She lived her life to do what was right by God and humanity. We will always remember her cheerful laughter, lighthearted jokes, fun antics and helpful nature.

Diane and children traveled with her husband in the military for many years. Upon returning to Maryland in 1985, she began working in the nursing field where she remained for over 20 years until failing health due to heart disease.

Diane is preceded in death by her parents, James and Helen Lancaster; mother-in-law, Lucille Brooks; father-in-law, Everette Taylor; brother, Charles; sister, Christine; nephews, Vincent Lancaster, Randolph Jackson, Jeffrey Wood, Jr.; sister-in-law, Catherine Brooks and brother-in-law; Furman Baylor.

Diane leaves to cherish her memories of 34-1/2 years husband Timothy; daughters, Nina (Quentin) and Cynthia; son, Timothy, Jr. (Pamela); grandchildren, Jerry, Marcus, Keona, Brionna, Darius, Treyvond, Kamira,

Morgan, Tymil, Rashawn; brothers, Howard (Helena) and Arthur (Tyeast); sisters, Betty Baylor (Furman/deceased), Doris Lancaster, Lola Streeter (Roderick), Wanda Lawson (Wilford), Cora Woods (Stephen), Brenda Atwater (Tony); brother-in-laws, Alvin Brooks and Calvin Henson. And many, many, family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Cheltenham VA Cemetary

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 21. 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
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Wake

AUG 22. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

AUG 22. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Cecelia Diane Brooks

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *gramma i miss you so much, words can't even explain how it still hurts to not be able to call you anymore, i can't ask for any advice. im gonna miss your pretty face at our family events, you did indeed have a dance partner at every last one, even if it was just me and u on the dance floor. "smile" with me being the oldest grand child, there are so many memories i have with you. when my mom went out and maybe it was to go play bingo one night, and me and you sit up and watched music videos and laugh and dance, you would cook. just so many memories gran and i will never have a grandmother like you. its sad to say that i have lost one of the women of my life, with the only one i have left, my mother, i will continue to enjoy life with her, appreciate the life learned lessons she has taught me, that you have taught her, and love her more and more everyday which you would have wanted me to do while you rest in peace.*

*i love and miss you dearly
your grandson, jerry*

jerry terry - August 24, 2010 at 03:27 PM

BS

“ 1 file added to the album sisters



Brenda youngest sister) - August 20, 2010 at 08:32 PM

RJ

“ Robin Jackson(niece) sent a virtual gift in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



Robin Jackson(niece) - August 20, 2010 at 08:19 PM

RJ

From Jeremiah We Love You Auntie

Robin Jackson(niece) - August 20, 2010 at 08:20 PM

RJ

“ Robin Jackson(niece) lit a candle in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



Robin Jackson(niece) - August 20, 2010 at 08:17 PM

PB

“ Pam Brooks lit a candle in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



Pam Brooks - August 20, 2010 at 11:02 AM

BS

“ Brenda Youngest Sister) lit a candle in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



Brenda youngest sister) - August 19, 2010 at 05:47 PM

BS

“ Brenda Youngest Sister) sent a virtual gift in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



Brenda youngest sister) - August 19, 2010 at 05:46 PM

SH

“ Sheena lit a candle in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



Sheena - August 19, 2010 at 04:44 PM

T.

“ T.J. sent a virtual gift in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



T.J. - August 19, 2010 at 11:52 AM

T.

“ T.J. lit a candle in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



T.J. - August 19, 2010 at 11:52 AM

T.

“ I am just going to miss the love my mother had for her son all the long talks the good advice just her being here for me and my sisters she was **THE WORLDS GREATEST** and I will never forget you **LOVE YOU FOREVER** your **BABY BOY T.J.**

T.J. - August 19, 2010 at 11:51 AM

TD

“ Treyvond Davis lit a candle in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks



Treyvond Davis - August 19, 2010 at 01:14 AM

TD

“ *hmm..one main thing i can remember about my grandmotha or gromma as I call her, is that she was a very funny woman, even though most of time she wasnt joking. One main story i remember her tellin me is about dis man named Bob Bobbitz (sp.) that she had met or seen at work. I laughed and joked, and that became one of my most rememberable moments with you gromma. All I can do is smile now, to know that you no longer have to suffer, or worry. I guess you can have all the strawberry shortcake you want now, huhh??..Gromma I will always love you, and I would like you to know, I'm doing as much of that work as I can, and as I do it..I will hear you say "my name is bob bobbitz"...love Treyvond, a grandson..*

Treyvond Davis - August 19, 2010 at 01:13 AM

WM

“ *Brenda, I would like to offer my deepest sympathy. Remember God makes no mistakes. The loss of your sister will leave sorrow in your heart for a while, but just know she is in a better place and she has no more pain or suffering. I pray for you and the rest of your family that God will comfort you and grant you all with peace to deal with the loss of your loved one. Continue to hang on to God's Unchanging hand for he is with you always...Peace and Blessing to you and your Family....Wanda Marshall (Johnson).smile!*

Wanda Marshall - August 18, 2010 at 10:12 PM

CB

“ *MOMMA, JUST LETTING YOU KNOW I WILL ALWAYS LOVE YOU, AND WILL NEVER FORGET WHAT YOU HAVE TAUGHT ME.*



CYNTHIA BROOKS - August 18, 2010 at 08:32 PM

ND

“ *Nina Davis lit a candle in memory of Cecelia Diane Brooks*



Nina Davis - August 18, 2010 at 08:34 AM

ND

“ *Mom you were the best. We have learned so much from you. We thank you so much for giving us those last few days, although we knew you were ready to go home, you gave us all you had. Your strength, your courage and your loving ways i will cherish and pass on to your grandchildren. Mom we miss you so very much and love you dearly. You will never be forgotten. Your'e daughter, Nina*

Nina Davis - August 18, 2010 at 08:33 AM

BS

“ *When I was in high school, she was in Germany. I wanted to know how to cook cabbage. Helen was in the hospital at the time so when she called i asked her and she told me. Before she had told me i had a whole pot of water she said no cabbage makes it's own water, pour alot of that water out. Thank u so much my sister cause now each time i cook cabbage i always remember what u told me. (R.I.P MANNIE) I will forever miss and love u.*

Brenda youngest sister) - August 17, 2010 at 12:08 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 - August 13, 2010 at 06:02 PM