



## Kia Temeka Gibson

July 30, 1975 - May 16, 2019

Kia Tameka Gibson departed this life on May 16, 2019. She was born on July 30, 1975 in Patterson, Georgia to Annie Gibson of Richmond, VA and Jsaiah Washington of Patterson, Georgia.

As a youth, she was baptized and joined Antioch Baptist Church. While at Antioch Baptist Church, Kia enjoyed singing in the choir, and attending and teaching Sunday School. She was the first President of the Youth Department. She participated in all youth outings and activities (which was not always by choice). As a young adult, she joined the New Life Baptist Church in Petersburg, VA where she was a dedicated member for many years.

Kia attended St. Patrick Catholic School through the third grade, afterwards she attended Henrico County Public Schools. She graduated from Varina High School in 1993 and was on the Varsity Girls' basketball team.

After high school Kia briefly attended VCU then decided to join the workforce. She was a faithful and dedicated employee for Verizon Communications for 20 years.

Kia had many amazing characteristics. She was a quiet storm that was not easily stirred. She was an encourager to her friends and co-workers and a giving person as well. She only needed an occasion to buy her Big Daddy

(Clarence Parker) the latest and greatest electronics. She had a knack of reigning you in when she felt that you were getting too close to the edge.

She leaves to cherish her memory, her mother Annie (Kathy) Washington, her devoted father Isaiah Washington (Patterson, GA), and doting brother Michael, whom she adored and spoiled. Devoted Uncle and Auntie Trustee Clarence and Deacon Sylvia Parker. Aunts Billie Fuller (Jerry), Baxley, GA; Cynthia Gibson, Jacksonville, FL; Louisa Taylor (Richard), Patterson, GA; Missionary Diane Draughn (Elder Jesse) Bakersfield, CA; Beulah Brown, Statesboro, GA; Sylvia Johnson (Issac), Suwanee, GA; and Freddie Washington, Brooklyn, NY. Uncles Wade Grant (Athylene), Larry Grant, Patrick Gibson all of Patterson, GA; Rayfield Gibson (Gloria) Trenton, NJ; Walter Grant, Brooklyn, NY; Johnny Dawson, Jacksonville, FL; and James Gibson of GA. Great-Aunt Allielove Davis, Richmond, VA; Great-great Aunt Naomi Whitehead, Greenwood, PA. A host of first cousins and friends one devoted cousin April Cherry, and devoted friends Arthur Nash, Cher Jackson, Dana Briggs, Tia Fuller and Marithza Noguez

# Cemetery Details

## St. James Baptist Church Cemetery

5610 Aarons Way  
Patterson, GA 31557

# Previous Events

## viewing

MAY **21**. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Celebration of Life

MAY **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Antioch Baptist Church  
1384 New Market Road  
Henrico, VA 23231

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kia Temeka Gibson*

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October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sylvia, Clarence, Michael, Washington and Gibson families,*

*My heart is hurting. I am so sorry I can't be there.*

*To know Kia is to love Kia. Our family has been blessed to know and love God's beautiful creation, Kia. We will forever cherish the sweet memories of her, and who could forget that smile?*

*May God comfort and keep you during this difficult time.*

*The Taylor and Arringtons send our condolences.*

*Love you,*

*Katherine Arrington Taylor*



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**Katherine Taylor** - May 22, 2019 at 05:10 AM

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“ *Sylvia and the Gibson family we share the loss of our dear Kia, knowing that the perfect words eludes us at present. But our prayers are forever with you, that the Lord Jesus Christ will strengthen you while He mends your broken hearts. Prayerfully your grief will soon turn to joy with all the memorable years you shared with Kia, and you will be able to thank the Lord for sharing her with you for a season. He said in His Word, "How pleasant in the sight of the Lord is the death of the saints". May the blessings of the Lord be upon you and give you peace; not the world's peace, but the peace that God giveth that surpasses all understanding. In spite of the circumstances God loves you.....and so do we! Victor & Monica Pruitt*



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**E. Victor PRUITT** - May 21, 2019 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.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - May 20, 2019 at 09:40 AM