



Patricia Ann Woods-Hamilton

February 10, 1934 - July 24, 2005

Patricia Ann Woods-Hamilton, a native Baltimorean, was a force to be reckoned with. She was the eldest daughter of the late Leo Chancely and Geneva Rainey Woods both of Baltimore. She completed her early education in Baltimore City schools, graduating from Dunbar High School. In her brilliance, she entered Morgan College, now Morgan University, at age 16. After receiving her undergraduate degree, she began her teaching career in Leonardtown, Maryland. She combined her love of teaching with her love of reading and books, and went on to complete a Library Science degree at the University of Southern California, Los Angeles. She started work as a librarian in the Los Angeles Public Library System. In 1960, she was chosen to be a Golden Girl hostess (Kennedy Girl) for the upcoming Democratic National Convention and eventually became an active member of the Los Angeles Young Democrats. She eventually began work for the Los Angeles Unified School District as a teacher-librarian at the Ralph Bunche Junior High School in Compton. Here, she was respected as a fearless woman with many students looking up to her in this gang infested school in South Central Los Angeles. While in Los Angeles she met and married Simon Hamilton in 1961. Resulting from that union were her two children, Douglas and Patrice. With threats of cutbacks, she applied for a job with Department of Defense Dependent Schools (DODDS), was offered and accepted a position in Germany. For the next ten years she served as the librarian at the Nurenberg American High School, Nurenberg Germany. With summers off, and spurred

by her adventurous nature, she and her family spent those summers driving through and visiting most of the countries in Western Europe. Patricia returned to the States to work in the Baltimore City School System as a librarian until her retirement in 2000. She is survived by her children, Douglas Chancely and Patrice Simone; her sister, Leonore Jocelyn Burts; her aunt, Mary Tates; her nieces, Michelle Feist, and LisetteAbdiruhman; her grand nieces and nephews, numerous cousins and friends.

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“ *Bye Mom ! It was fun. me###imported-begin##Douglas Hamilton###imported-end##*

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“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Please accept my condolences. The Bible can give us much comfort during our most darkest times. John 5:28,29 tells us- "The hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who did good things to a resurrection of life." By that time the earth will have been transformed to a paradise with no more death, sickness, sorrow or pain. (Luke 23:43, Matthew 5:5 and Revelation 21:3-5) May these divinely inspired promises give you much comfort and strength in the days ahead.###imported-begin##Sharon Hill###imported-end##*

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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah 55:11 states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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