



Patricia M. Eppes-Ward

November 27, 1951 - April 12, 2023

Patricia Mae Eppes-Ward. Affectionately known as “Pat” was born to the late Herman Eppes Sr. Mae Ella Eppes on November 27, 1951. Pat went home to be with the Lord. On April 13, 2023

Patricia was preceded in death by her parents. Mr. Herman Eppes Sr., and Mrs. Mae Ella Eppes, five brothers, Christopher Eppes, Herman Eppes, Ernest Eppes, Randy Eppes, and Jerome Eppes, five brother-in-laws, David Howard, Elmer Smith, Eugene Henson, James Reed, and John McCargo, four sisters, Bernice Howard, Joyce Henson, Joann Smith. and Stephanie Eppes, and sisters-in-law Jacqueline Eppes, Joan Eppes, Alethea Eppes, Shirley Eppes, and Bridgette Eppes,

She leaves to cherish her memory, her husband, Billy Ray Ward; four step - children, Lloyd, Charmaine, Charlene, and William; two brothers, Osby Eppes, and Stanley Eppes; two sisters, Hermione Booker, and Gloria Reed; one brother-in-law, Samuel Booker; eight sisters-in-laws Patricia Ferguson-Eppes, Verona Flythe, Sandra Thornton (Alfred), Marilyn Gordon, Earline Ward, Sarah Thornton, Karenn Eppes, Lynell Eppes, and Tiffany Ward; a host of nieces and nephews, family, good friends, and her favorite fur baby Khloe.

Pat was extremely intelligent young lady. Education was her first love. She was very sharp, and always excelled in educational studies. Pat graduated

from Eastern High School at age 17 because of her ability to consistently excel in education.

After graduating high school, Patricia decided to continue her educational journey. Pat worked hard and earned a bachelor's degree, and two master's degrees. Throughout her journey, Pat attended Johns Hopkins, Towson State, and Virginia Commonwealth University. Pat's passion for education, and her love for Towson State University inspired in her to go back to Towson and become an instructor teaching English 101 and 102.

Pat later advanced her career, and devoted many years of service to Akin and Gump Law firm in Washington DC, working as a paralegal. Pat enjoy working with her colleagues to help win court cases. If her family and friends had a legal matter to be resolved, she was always the person willing help, Pat also spent some time working for the US Government.

When younger, Pat loved to party and a have a good time. She had a love for music and dancing, and spending time outdoors. She loved going to parks, traveling, road trips, and camping, Pat had a passion for appliances. Her hobbies were sewing, baking, and canning. She canned everything from milk and butter, to pulled pork and veggies.

When younger, she would often take her nieces and nephews to holiday parties, camping , and on many road trips. She gave many nieces and nephews their first experience "behind the wheel". Each trip was definitely an educational experience.

Pat's favorite holiday was Christmas during the holidays she most enjoyed listening to Christmas music and being in the company of family.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR **24**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - East
1101 E. North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202

Wake

APR **25**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a Webcast for Funeral on Patricia Eppes-Ward in memory of Patricia M. Eppes-Ward*



March Funeral Homes - April 20, 2023 at 11:31 AM

WB

“ *I had just caught up with Pat after over fifty plus years. We grew up in the same neighborhood. I remember her as a pleasant and friendly person. RIP*
Rev. William S. Beard

William Beard - April 27, 2023 at 10:32 PM

SB

“ *Aunt pat gave me my middle name Patricia we are forever connected I love you always tell mom I said hi hold her hand for me sleep peacefully* 🕊️🕊️



shelley patricia burke - April 18, 2023 at 06:47 AM



“ 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 - April 17, 2023 at 12:45 PM

CE

My condolences goes out to the entire family I'm so sorry for loss of your sister ms polly May God comfort u at this difficult time Christie gail Tony 🙏🙏🙏

christie Evans - April 24, 2023 at 02:13 PM