



Sweetie N. Dyson

September 12, 1930 - January 12, 2017

On September 12, 1930, a baby girl was born in Calvert County, Maryland to Woodie Commodore and Mamie Parran. She was named SWEETIE NEORMIA COMMODORE. Sweetie graduated from Brooks High School in Calvert County, and because of her small size, she was nicknamed “Teeny Baby”. Over time, “Teeny Baby” became known as “Tina Baby”, and eventually, “Tina Baby” became known simply as “Tina”.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Walter A. Dyson, Sr. and leaves behind a sister, Mary E. Fletcher of Columbia, Maryland. Tina had ten children: Joseph, Tillie, Mike, George, Vanessa, Sherman, Kimberly, Walter, Courtney, and Lionel. After Tina had babies of her own, she acquired even more names from her children. To her children, she was known as “Mummy”, “Mommy”, “Mom” and even “Mum”.

Many years later, when her own children began having children, Tina became “Grandma” and “G-ma”. Her grandchildren are Joseph, III, Carlos, Stephanie, Carzelle, Sandy, Cheryl, Naomi, Miko, Chelsea, Kristen, Tra, Millicent and Samantha.

Tina lived long enough to become a great grandmother and even a great great-grandmother. Some of these children will never get to know her as we did, but they will come to know her through those of us who are still here.

Over her lifetime, there were untold numbers of people Tina cared for who grew to know and love her. For them, she was called “Miss Tina” or “Aunt Tina” or “Mama Tina” or “Mrs. Dyson” or “Miss Dyson”.

Tina answered to many names and was many things to many people, but one thing is certain: she was the ultimate mom, not only to her ten children, but to all who were privileged to know her. She opened her home to many, but far more importantly, she opened her heart.

It has been said that it doesn't matter what name people call you, but what name you answer to. So for those who loved Tina, no matter what you called her, she answered the call and was there for you. Her body will be gone, but her love and spirit will continue to live on in our hearts and minds.

So to Tina or Mommy or Miss Dyson or whatever name you called her, we say we love you, we will miss you always, and we celebrate you.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

2130 Woodlawn Drive
Baltimore, MD 21207

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 19. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

JAN 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

JAN 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mathews Catholic Church
5401 Loch Raven Blvd
Baltimore, MD 21218

Service

JAN 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sweetie N. Dyson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My deepest condolences to the Dyson Family (Kim & Courtney) I have such great memories of your Mom. The conversations at breakfast or dinner was always enjoyable and laughable. She will be missed. Sonja*

Sonja Pack - January 19, 2017 at 10:18 AM



“ *To my Dyson family- I love each and every one of you because you are my family. I called this beautiful matriarch Aunt Tina. I feel your pain and I want you to know that God will heal your hurt. Aunt Tina is in a better place with no pains or worry. Thank You Jesus!! This guardian Angel is watching over all of us. Family, if it's anything I can do from NC, please let me know. Love you, Tracie Deshields Carey*

tracie carey - January 17, 2017 at 12:32 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. I am sending my most heartfelt sympathy to the family during this very difficult time. Please know that the God of Comfort cares for you and hears your cry for help during these difficult times. Isaiah 41:10*

smith - January 16, 2017 at 07:00 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sweetie N. Dyson.*



January 15, 2017 at 06:22 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 - January 15, 2017 at 10:53 AM

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The entire Dyson family have my sincerest condolences. May God wrap His loving arms around you all.

Angela Williams - January 16, 2017 at 05:00 PM