



Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes

July 2, 1956 - July 3, 2019

ALEXANDER-STOKES, Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette - Age 63, passed away Wednesday, July 3, 2019 in Washington, DC. Family hour 1:30 PM Saturday, August 10, 2019 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with a memorial service commencing at 2:00 PM Dis. Miss. Dr. Linda Itson officiating. Family and friends will assemble at the funeral home 1:30 PM Saturday. There will be no public viewing. Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes was born July 2, 1956 in Flint, Michigan, the first of two children born to Maurice and Helena Alexander. She accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at Grace Emmanuel Baptist Church. Cynthia served as a junior usher and sang in the youth choir, played the piano and enjoyed listening to all genres of music. She graduated from Flint Southwestern High School in 1974. She attended Mott Community College and Baker Junior College, while working at Citizens Bank in Flint. Cynthia had a passion for helping family, and friends. Her favorite pastimes were roller skating, dancing, gourmet cooking, traveling, and the Performing Arts. She and Paul were both members of Spirit Repertory Company in Flint, a Performing Arts group, where they met in 1981. They fell in love and their long-lasting friendship endured the distance of time. They became husband and wife on October 22, 2010.

Cynthia moved to Washington, DC in the late 80's and worked at American Petroleum Institute (API) as an Administrative Assistant. She started her IT career as a contractor for Hewlett Packard (HP) formally known as Electronic

Data Systems Corp (EDS). During her tenure, she worked her way up to a Help Desk manager and was part of the team that helped create the Student and Exchange Visitors Information System (SEVIS). In the year 2011, she became employed with the Federal Government at the Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Immigration & Customs Enforcement, where she worked as a Management Program Analyst for 8 years until her passing. Cynthia's extra-curricular activities included volunteering and tutoring children at Martha's Table and she also became part of the Warner's Theater fine spirited and dedicated volunteer team. She was committed and enjoyed fitness activities. She made time in her rigorous schedule to work out, by walking, working out at the gym or at home. Cynthia believed that if you applied yourself there was nothing in this world that you could not accomplish. All it took was the opportunity, coupled with hard work and dedication. Cynthia was devoted to family and was a "favorite" cousin on both sides of the family. She had an infectious smile and exuded grace, compassion, grit, determination and a love for life. Cynthia's faith, hope and trust in God was inspiring! She believed and understood "that in all things God works for the good of those who love him..." (Rom 8:28). One of her favorite bible verses was Psalms 23.

Mrs. Alexander-Stokes leaves to cherish her sweet memories: husband Paul Stokes, of Silver Spring, Maryland; sister, Iva Alexander, of Upper Marlboro, Maryland; sister-in-law, Erma Strange, of Columbus, Ohio; two aunts, Bobby Calloway and Molly Calloway, both of Chicago Illinois. Blended family children: Mrs. Brandi Tureaud (Rodney), Flint Michigan; Paul Stokes Jr. (Lorraine), Oakland, California; and Di'Andra Stokes, Atlanta Georgia, Sean Norwood; grandchildren, Bailey Norwood, Talyn Tureaud, Rodney Tureaud III, of Flint Michigan; Paul Stokes III, Symone, Malik, and Marquise Stokes, Oakland, California; Brandon Smith, Sacramento, California. God-children: Jazzmyn Blackwell, Flint, Michigan; Joshua Price, Rockville, Maryland; Jacques Price, Oxon Hill, Maryland; and a host of cousins, other relatives, and friends. Cynthia was preceded in death by her father, Maurice P. Alexander and her

mother, Helena Calloway-Alexander; aunt, Ann Alexander.

Previous Events

Family hour

AUG 10. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Patti Lee lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Patti Lee - August 04, 2021 at 11:33 AM



“ *Henry Calloway lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Henry Calloway - August 10, 2019 at 01:13 PM



“ *Doris Keels lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Doris Keels - August 06, 2019 at 01:29 PM

CS

“ Cynthia always had a smile to share and a gentle spirit. We both came out in the cotillion together in 1974. Rest In Peace my friend.



Cynthia Simmons-Bagley - August 06, 2019 at 05:34 AM

NJ

“ Condolences Paul and the entire family.

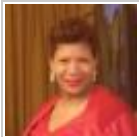
Norma Jones - August 05, 2019 at 11:40 PM

GS

“ Gloria Scruggs sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes



Gloria Scruggs - August 05, 2019 at 10:51 PM



“ Cerese Simpson Pennington sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes



Cerese Simpson Pennington - August 05, 2019 at 10:18 PM



“ *ReGina Adams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



ReGina Adams - August 05, 2019 at 10:16 PM

LB

“ *Lynn Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Lynn Barbee - August 05, 2019 at 09:38 PM

ST

“ *Shelley Reaves Thorn lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Shelley Reaves Thorn - August 05, 2019 at 09:20 PM

MD

“ *Michele Davis sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Michele Davis - August 05, 2019 at 08:01 PM

JR

“ JEAN RIDDLE lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes



JEAN RIDDLE - August 05, 2019 at 07:35 PM

GA

“ My prayers and condolences Paul



Gail Aldridge - August 05, 2019 at 07:29 PM

MT

“ The Alexander Family (Cynthia & Iva) were my neighbors on Whittlesey Street for many years. Paul & Iva you are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of bereavement.



Marcia Tee - August 05, 2019 at 05:30 PM

CB

“ Carolyn Buckley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes



Carolyn Buckley - August 05, 2019 at 05:30 PM

CS

“ *Cathryn Williams Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Cathryn Williams Sanders - August 05, 2019 at 04:12 PM


Arnetrice
Carter

“ *Cynthia was a sweet person. I always viewed as my big sister. She will always be remembered.*
Love,
Arnetrice

Arnetrice Carter - August 05, 2019 at 03:38 PM

JW

“ # since Whittelsey St. 🙏🙏🙏

jaymes Wesley - August 05, 2019 at 07:29 AM

BK

“ *Brenda Kimble lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cynthia Eyvette Alexander-Stokes*



Brenda Kimble - August 03, 2019 at 01:16 PM

CS

My heart is saddened because Cynthia has passed but my heart is enriched because Cynthia was in my life ❤️

Cathryn Williams Sanders - August 05, 2019 at 04:14 PM

PO

Cynthia, I just went to the website to check on your husband's site to see if he had recently been on social media. We were college friends and remain friends to this day. The last time we spoke was very short because of his worry with you current health condition. I was so hurt to see of your passing on his site. Paul loved you so very much. It was the love that so many of us dream of and so few of us will ever experience. Rest in peace beautiful angel. You will truly be missed.

Patricia Oakes - August 07, 2019 at 06:59 PM