



Shirley Waits

January 15, 1961 - November 13, 2008

WAITS, Ms. Shirley - Age 47, passed away Thursday, November 13, 2008 at Brian's House. Family hour 1:30PM Friday, November 21, 2008 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing immediately at 2PM, Eld. John Thornton officiating. Interment Flint Memorial Park, G-9506 N. Dort Hwy. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 1:30PM Friday. Ms. Waits will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12Noon-8PM Thursday. Ms. Shirley Grace Waits was born January 15, 1961 in Gallain, Alabama the daughter of Ms. Jimmie Howard and Mr. Richard Smith. Shirley was a U.S. Postal Worker and had a Master's Degree in Business. She was a daughter, friend and a person with a beautiful and caring heart for everyone. She loved her children and enjoyed shopping. Mrs. Shirley Grace Waits leaves to cherish her memories: daughter, Iman Waits; son, Jahman Hughes; parents, Jimmie Howard and Richard Smith; sister, Dale Howard all of Flint; brother, Anwar Jackson of CA; Carl Howard of Flint and Bronsky of Indiana; 12 nieces of Flint and Indiana; 12 nephews of Flint; 4 aunts; 5 uncles, Michael, Percy, Tom, Curtis, Will of Lansing, MI and Indiana; a host of cousins of AL; mother-in-law, Brenda Waits; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Kim Green, Doris Walker, Lora and Anethia. Ms. Waits was preceded in death by her grandparents; aunt and cousin. The family would like to express special thanks to Brian's House.

Tribute Wall



“ Shirley Waits

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ When I met Shirley about 3-1/2 years ago, I knew then she was the strong silent type. She was a very good worker who was always willing to help wherever needed, she was there to do a job and she did it. When she came back to work during her illness, my first impression was confirmed, even though it was a struggle for her, she came to work and did her job to the best of her abilities. She never complained and had a very positive attitude which seemed to inspire her coworkers. She has already been missed at the Flint Processing and Distribution Facility and will remain forever in our hearts. At this time of sorrow may these truths sustain you... Shirley will always be as close as a memory and God will always be as close as a prayer.

Michele Bezel - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ To the family of Shirley I send my deepest sorrow. Please rest assured that she is not suffering but resting until she is awoken in the resurrection according to the example of Jesus in the bible book of John the 11th chapter, verses 11:11-14,43. The foretold resurrection of Shirley and others is found also in John but the 5th chapter, verses 28 and 29. Please read these verses and receive the comfort that only God (Jehovah) can give. Joyce

November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ I just so happened to be surfing the internet and I check the obituaries on this site every now and then since I am in Tennessee finishing school and such.

*Iman,
I am SO sorry about your mother's passing. She was a nice lady, and it showed that she definitely loved you and your brother; a true dedicated and devoted mother. You and your brother will DEFINITELY be in my prayers.*

Bobby Bondon - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ To the family of Shirley Waits. In your time of sorrow I send out to you my prayers for you loss. GOD knows and sees all. Shirley was a treasure to know. I worked with Shirley for a few years and it was a blessing to have known such a caring, fun loving individual who always kept a smile on her face. That smile is forever etched in my heart and mind. In your time of sorrow Pray. GOD is the Almighty comforter

Doris Clarke-Madison - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Remembering my Friend

*S-Servant always doing and thinking
of others*

H-Honest and trustworthy

I-Innocent and meek positive mindset

R-Righteous person fair to all

L-Loyal friend even to the end.

*E-Encourages all will make you a
believer in yourself*

*y-Youthful mind with knowledge and
wisdom*

Thank you for who you are

Your friend, Arnithia

Arnithia Burke - November 13, 2008 at 12:00 AM