

God's Garden

God looked around His garden and found an empty place. He then looked down upon the earth and saw your precious face. He put His arms around you and lifted you to rest. God's garden must be beautiful. He only takes the best. He saw the road getting rough and the hills were hard to climb. So He closed your weary eyelids and whispered, "Peace be thine". It broke our hearts to lose you but you didn't go alone. Part of us went with you the day God took you home. If tears could build a stairway and memories a lane, I would walk right up to Heaven and bring you back again.

- Author Unknown



Remembering Mom With Love
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Acknowledgements

Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a funeral spray, if so we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words, as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, we THANK YOU so much, whatever the part. May GOD continue to Bless each and every one of you. Please continue to keep our family lifted in your Prayers.

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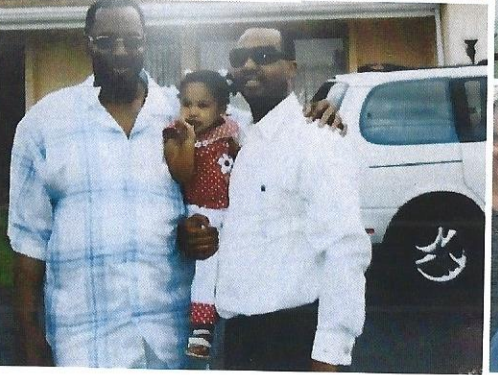
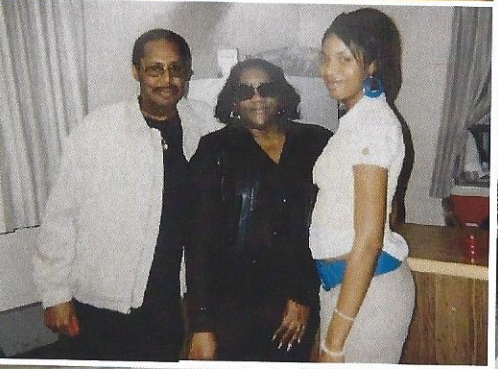
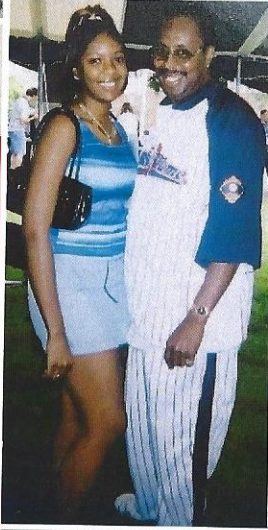
Marietta D. Ferguson

July 26, 1985 ~ April 5, 2021

Funeral Service 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday, April 14, 2021

Thomas Funeral Home
4520 Salem Ave., Trotwood, OH

Reverend John Allen, Officiating



Marietta Deshea Ferguson, age 35 was born July 26, 1985 in Dayton, Ohio to Deborah Ann Jackson and the Late Ronald Allan Ferguson. She was educated in the Dayton Public School system and graduated from Patterson Coop High School, Class of '2003. She was a proud member of The Dayton Young and Gifted Drill Team for several years. She also studied at Central State University and earned her hair stylist license from Creative Images Institute of Cosmetology in 2010. A skill she strived to perfect daily over the last 14 years and passed down to her beloved daughter Mylan. Marietta, who was affectionately called "Shea" by family and friends, she was a life-long member of The Tabernacle Baptist Church where she accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior and was baptized at a young age. Shea had an extraordinary relationship with her daughter and unending love for her mother, siblings and friends. She was a ray of sun shine and was always happy to see loved ones and bring a smile to our faces. She was self-motivated and surrounded herself with positive sticky notes and watched documentaries about people who made positive changes. She enjoyed spending time with family and hanging out with her besties.

On April 5, 2021 Shea transitioned from this life to be in the presence of the Lord. She was also preceded in death by: Paternal Grandparents, William David and Marietta Ferguson; Maternal Grandparents, Willie Lee and Piccola Oglesby Jackson Sr.; Uncle, Marvin Jackson; Sister, Coretta Harris; Cousins, Monica Smith and Marlin Stewart Sr. Shea is survived by; her Beloved Daughter Mylan D. Ramsey; Bestest, Mother Deborah Ann Jackson; Special Friend, William Knox, Sisters, Shanda R. and Deanna Y. Jackson; Brothers, Marcus Marsh and William "Bam" Ferguson; Nieces, Deme` Maddox, Melania Marsh and Destiny Harden; Nephew, Jamey Maddox Jr.; Great Nephew, Bralyn Maddox; Aunts, Mildred Smith, Betty Jackson and Leitha Jackson; Uncles, Jack (Shirley) Jackson, Willie (Loretta) Jackson Jr.; Cousins, Aaron and Brian, Stacey, Erik Clinton (Shamon) Jackson, Robert Thomas, Nicole (Dane) Perrin and Mark Stewart; Great cousins, Kennedy Jackson, Eron and Erionna Bush and Marlin Stewart, Jr.; Besties, Janelle Atkinson, Dereka Trice, Icy McDuffy, Tyesa Nelloms, Shawnumeca Lee, Keana and NaKasha Thompson; the Ferguson and Buchanan family; a host of other loving relatives and friends.

Order of Service

- Musical Prelude.....Soft Music
- Parting View.....The Family
- Scripture Reading.....Reverend John Allen
- Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend John Allen
- Obituary Reading.....Kimberley Dillard
- Poem/Acknowledgements.....
Janelle Atkinson and Shawnumeca Lee
- Musical Selection.....
- Eulogy.....Reverend John Allen
- Benediction.....Reverend John Allen
- Final Disposition.....Cremation

Repast - Gathering for family and friends immediately following the Service at the Arena, 4515 Salem Avenue. Please wear a mask and remember Social Distancing.

Psalm 23 - A Psalm of David (kip)

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.