

Dear Momma

If tears could build a stairway, and memories a lane,
I'd walk right up to heaven and bring you home again.
I thought that I would miss you so, and never find my way.
And then I heard the angel say, "She's with you every day."
"The sun, the moon, the wind, the stars, will forever be around,
Reminding you of the love you shared, and the peace she's finally
found."

R.I.P. My One & Only Mother: Joyce E. Vanderlip Love Tosh

Acknowledgements

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece 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 on that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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In Loving Memory of



Joyce E. Vanderlip

Sunrise June 27, 1955

Sunset
December 15, 2013

Service

Thursday, December 19, 2013 - 7:00 p.m.

Cotton Funeral Service

1025 Bergen Street Newark, New Jersey Pastor Michael K. Henderson, Officiating

R E U **Interment** Meadowview Memorial Park Oxford, North Carolina

Obituary

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Joyce Elaine Vanderlip was born June 27, 1955 to Milton and Lucille Henderson in Oxford, North Carolina. Joyce was educated in Oxford, NC and Jersey City, New Jersey where she decided to work in education. She was a teacher in Mt. Pisgar School, Jersey City, New Jersey where she decided to work in education. She was a teacher in Mt. Pisgar School, Jersey City, NJ, 1987-2001, United Cerebral Palsey in Long Island, New York, 2001-2005, Arc of Union County 2005-2013. She enjoyed working with children with special needs.

Joyce loved spending time with her husband, Ed. She loved to play "bid wist" and singing Karaoke at gatherings with her sisters and brothers. He love and faith in God never failed her, she remained cheerful, and hopeful until the end, we never heard her complain. She attended her church (until she could no longer attend). She enjoyed her early morning breakfasts with her son, Tosh, and long-distance calls from loved ones.

Joyce was preceded in death by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Pauline Vanderlip, her father, Milton Henderson and her brother, Barry Henderson.

Joyce leaves to cherish her memory: her husband, Edward Vanderlip; her mother, Mrs. Lucille Henderson and father-in-law, Mr. Ulysses Vanderlip; two sons, Tosh L. Henderson and Christopher D. Reed; a daughter-in-law, Tamika Henderson; two step daughters, Gale Gantt and Janiece Vanderlip; grandchildren, Antastasia, Jahod, Jordon, Donte, Kytaya and Jace; six sisters, Mary A. Pratt, Barbara Jackson, Linda Henderson, Deborah Ellison, Susie Ashendorf and Vanessa Green; two brothers, Jerry and Michael Henderson; sisters-in-law, Esther Henderson, Yolanda Henderson and Carol Vanderlip; brother-in-law, Richard Ashendorf, Jimmie Ellison, James Green, Leonard Vanderlip and Rubin Pratt; loving aunts, Ms. Carrie Francis Jones, Ms. Gracie Thornton and Ms. Mary Helen Curtis; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.