# In Loving Memory of Shanda Dorsey George

Sunrise September 17, 1972 Sunset February 8, 2020



Service

Saturday, February 29, 2020 • 11:00 a.m.

PLEASANT GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

198 Chadwick Ave. • Newark, NJ

### Tribute to Our Mother

You Were There Since The Beginning For That I Cant Thank You Enough You Molded me To Be An Amazing Man Even When Times Got Tough You Were That Light In The Darkness Always That Voice Of Hope Your Love Was Unconditional & Your Heart Was Pure Gold You Were A True Warrior I Promise To Uphold Your Name & Your Spirit As It Flows Thru My Soul I Love You Mommy -Kyohn

Your my best friend and the greatest mother a child could ever ask for. You mean the world to me and I'll forever admire your strength to endure everything that's has been thrown at you. The beauty of your soul has touched many others, but for me it puts the fire and fight in me to be just like you. I'm going to to miss your smile, your laugh, your hugs, your cooking, your voice, our lunch dates, your singing and every bit of you. I'd choose you to be my mother a billion to infinity more times. I love you mommy. -Kianna.

You always said "we don't say goodbye because goodbyes could be forever. Instead, we're going to just say see you later". I miss you more than you could ever imagine. I idolize you in every way from your bravery and independence to your love and compassion. I will always be thankful for how you raised me and for embedding your amazing qualities into me. You are the reason that I am the man I am today and I shall continue to live on in you're name and make you proud. I love you mommy and I'll see you soon.

-Nakier







Shanda Renee Dorsey was born to Paula Dorsey and Herman Curry Jr., in Newark, NJ on September 17, 1972 at St. Michael's Medical Center. Shanda gave her life to Christ at an early age and joined Shiloh Baptist Church in Bloomfield, NJ. She was very involved in different ministries, one of her favorite was singing in the choir. She attended school in the district of East Orange where she graduated High School in June of 1990.

Shanda loved her family dearly and loved spending time with them all. She was a truly a loving and caring person who cared for others more than she did herself. She also loved cooking especially on holidays with her family. We can't forget her holiday cooking competitions with one of her most loved cousins Quanisha Dorsey and her children Sa'Day, Sa'Dir, and Sa'Diq.

Shanda was an extremely dedicated hard worker who worked multiple jobs. When she became of age to work she hit the ground running working not just one but two jobs. Her work ethic was impeccable and her leadership and people skills landed her management positions at the following jobs; KFC, Wendy's, Taco Bell, Boston Market and Saladworks. The management team and employees loved her. She was a little lady with a Big voice. No one got the employees to do their job like Shanda. She definitely knew how to Boss people around! She was currently employed at CVS as a beauty department manager. This was another skill that she mastered- make-up and skin care. She was not only beautiful on the outside but more so on the inside. Her hard work landed her a promotion at CVS as a Store Manager. Overall Shanda was a Beautiful Diva who loved to dress up, do her make-up and her hair and especially those bangs...they had to be just right! SHANDA WAS BORN A BOSS!!!

One of her greatest accomplishments was becoming a wife and a mother to her three children, Kyohn, Kianna, and Nakier. There was nothing that Shanda would not do for her kids. She gave her all to them even when she had nothing left to give she always made it happen for them.

Shanda Renee Dorsey departed this life on February 8, 2020. She will forever be in our hearts and our memories.

She leaves to cherish her memory her mother, Paula Dorsey; her loving stepfather, Michael Fennick; her children, Kyohn Dorsey, Kianna George, Nakeir George and her husband, Kim George; three God children, Quadree Dewitt, Anthony Watkins and Sa'Dir Torres; her grandmother, Mildred Dorsey; her maternal aunts & uncles, Linda, Carolyn, Lorenzo, Lamont, and Darren; her paternal uncles, Kenny and Jason Curry; her siblings, Tamara Perry-Anthony, Derrick Curry, Jamila Curry, Jocelyn Curry, Brandyn Curry, DaRon Curry, Tyrone Curry, Bryanna Curry and a niece, Mariah Love; host of cousins, other relatives and friends. Her Father Herman Curry Jr. (preceded in death) and her cousin Towanda Dorsey (preceded in death).



## Order of Service

#### **Officiating Pastor**

Rev. Vincent M. Rouse Sr. Pastor

The Processional

Pastor and Family

**Selection** 

**Scripture Reading** 

Old Testament - Psalms 23 New Testament - John 14:1-7

**Prayer of Comfort** 

**Selection** 

**Reflections (limit 2 minutes)** 

**Acknowledgements/Obituary** 

Tamara Perry-Anthony

**Selection** 

**Eulogy** 

Viewing

**Closing Prayer** 

The Recessional

<u>INTERMENT</u>

Rosedale Cemetery Orange, New Jersey



#### **Acknowledgement**

We the family of Shanda Renee Dorsey George would like to express our sincere appreciation to all our family and friends for their support, acts of kindness and every expression of sympathy extended to us during our time of bereavement. God bless you all.

#### Professional Services Provided By

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