



Belinda Jennings

August 11, 1964 - July 8, 2013

Belinda Jennings was born August 11, 1964 in Kalamazoo, Michigan to the late Mr. Lafayette & Rosie Lee Jennings. Belinda accepted Christ into her life at the very precious age of 7 years old at Victory Temple Church of God In Christ where her father was the pastor until the year of 1997. She continued serving God whole heartily until her passing.

As Belinda grew maturely and spiritually she was a spot-on servant. She served faithfully in the church working as a Sunday School Teacher, Praise and Worship Team Member, on the Hospitality Board, Young People Willing Worker President, Bible Class Teacher, Secretary of Finance Committee, Choir Member, Kitchen/ Culinary Committee, Pastors Wife Aid, Youth President, Custodian, and anywhere else she was needed.

Belinda graduated from Kalamazoo Central High School. She received her Associates Degree from Kalamazoo Valley Community College. Belinda later attended Western Michigan University for one year and transferred to Spring Arbor University where she graduated with her Bachelor's Degree. Two years later she returned to Spring Arbor University's Graduate School, during her first semester she earned a place on the National Chancellors List for academic excellence. Only 3 % of College and University students in the United State receive this yearly honor. Belinda graduated with her Masters of Art in Family Studies in August of 2006.

Belinda was employed by the State of Michigan for over fifteen years working with troubled teens to help them reintegrate back into society. She was also employed by Kalamazoo Public Schools where she continued her work with “at risk” youth. She had a genuine love for young people and wanted to make sure they all had an equal chance to succeed in life.

Belinda also had a genuine love for her family and enjoyed spending time with them. From the union of Belinda Jennings and Darrell Carter, Tereva Renae' Carter was born October 31, 1993. Belinda's last union to Ricky L. Cunningham produced the blended family of one son, Ricky II (Tonjia) Cunningham of Pittsburg, PA, and four daughters, Anika Cunningham of Chicago, IL, Lavita Cunningham of Sacramento, CA, Ashanti and LaDante' Cunningham of Kalamazoo, MI.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Reverend Lafayette Jennings & Mrs. Rosie Lee Jennings.

She leaves to cherish her memory: loving Daughter, Tereva Carter, Grandson, Joshua Carter Anderson; three sisters, Lasena Jennings of Kalamazoo, MI, Carolyn (Lawrence) Parker of Chicago, IL, Tommie L. (Valerie) Jennings of Kalamazoo, MI, and her twin Brenda Bond of Kalamazoo, MI, five Nieces, eight Nephews three Aunts and two Uncles.

Belinda truly loved her family!

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

1015 Gull Road
Kalamazoo, MI 49048

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Progressive Deliverance Ministries Church Of God In Christ
1527 N. Edwards
Kalamazoo, MI

Service

JUL 12. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Belinda Jennings



Harper Funeral Home - July 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Belinda Jennings

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ Belinda Jennings

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ Karest Willis-Brown lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings



Karest Willis-Brown - September 20, 2013 at 08:39 PM

RR

“ *Renell Russell sent a virtual gift in memory of Belinda Jennings*



Renell Russell - September 10, 2013 at 08:31 AM

RR

“ *Renell Russell lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings*



Renell Russell - September 10, 2013 at 08:30 AM

RR

“ *I was so saddened when I called the school to find out the passing of you. You made a huge impact on Renell and his behavior. You will trully be missed.*

Renell Russell - September 10, 2013 at 08:30 AM

RA

“ *Roger Arndt lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings*



Roger Arndt - August 02, 2013 at 04:35 PM

EB

“ Erin Belen lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings



Erin Belen - July 15, 2013 at 07:55 AM

KV

“ Kayla Vallar lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings



kayla vallar - July 14, 2013 at 05:23 PM

TH

“ Tomasa Haight lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings



Tomasa Haight - July 12, 2013 at 06:37 PM

HT

“ Hazel Tellis lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings



Hazel Tellis - July 12, 2013 at 06:27 PM

MW

“ Minister Flora Walker sent a virtual gift in memory of Belinda Jennings



Minister Flora Walker - July 11, 2013 at 06:38 PM

JC

“ It's been a few years since we last talked, yet my memories are still fresh of a beautiful lady that was so full of love towards everyone. It's a great loss to all of us when someone like you is taken home, yet for the believers, we can find great peace in knowing that you are RIP in our Heavenly Fathers house. Forever your footprint will rest upon my heart.

Jerri Carrott - July 11, 2013 at 03:00 PM

RW

“ Rest in sweet peace Cousin Belinda. Our earthly loss is heaven's gain. Praying for those who were near and dear to you. God give comfort and give them strength.



Remenyi Williams - July 11, 2013 at 10:51 AM

VR

“ To Carolyn and Ricky, I would so much like to say more. Condolences just doesn't say how my heart goes out to both of you. The Only Wise God can say to your heart what I can not. I will miss her. In Christian Love,
Vanessal



Vanessal Rancifer-Lewis - July 11, 2013 at 10:07 AM

DB

“ *DaNetta R. Blake lit a candle in memory of Belinda Jennings*



DaNetta R. Blake - July 11, 2013 at 09:04 AM

RG

“ *To: The Jennings Family.I am sorry for your lost. There is hope for her.Jesus"Words at John 11:25 Jesus said to her: (*) "I am the resurrection and the life.He that exercisens faith in me, even though he dies,will come to life;This Scripture shows that faith in the ransom sacrifice and the resurrection of Jesus Christ.Gives hope for our love ones who have fell asleep in death,will come to life; (*) Jesus was speking to Martha the sister of Laz'rus.A dear friend of Jesus who had died. This was just before Jesus resurrected him.*

R. Gaines - July 10, 2013 at 10:38 PM

RB

“ *My condolences goes out to the family of Belinda Jennings, She was a very loving kind in nice friend to know. We went through Junior and High School together and I enjoyed the time I share with her and her twin Brenda So I just want to offer my condolences to the family of Miss. Belinda Jennings. - Love, Regina Buchanan*

Regina Buchanan - July 10, 2013 at 03:01 PM

SW

“ *To the Family of Belinda Jennings , I am praying to God to strengthen you all in this tough time!!! Pastor Greg J, you were so close to your cousin, I know that you will need strength through this time, I am here for you , Your Brother Scott Williams.*

Scott Williams - July 09, 2013 at 10:14 AM