



Deborah "Cookie" Perdue

July 9, 1954 - March 9, 2016

PRINCETON - Deborah Lynette Jackson Perdue, affectionately called "Cookie" by family and friends, departed this life on Wednesday, March 9, 2016, at her home in Princeton, West Virginia after a lengthy illness. She was born on July 9th, 1954 in Baltimore, Maryland to Albert and Louise Jackson and she graduated from Frederick Douglass High School. After living on Guam for six months, she returned to Baltimore and enrolled in college.

She lived in Baltimore until she retired from the Maryland State Correctional System, then she moved to Kimball West Virginia to be near her parents. Deborah loved singing in the choir at Mt. Nebo Missionary Baptist Church. She enjoyed traveling, playing bingo, and spending time with her family - especially her grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her sister, Jeanette Williams. Remaining to celebrate her life are her loving and devoted children, her daughter, Ashley Perdue and her son Marcus Perdue, both of Princeton. Sister, Janet Jackson of Baltimore MD; two brothers, Karl Jackson of Baltimore MD; and Richard J Shelton of Las Vegas, Nevada. Her cousin and best friend Janice Jones-Branch of Baltimore MD; two maternal aunts, Marie Shelton of Baltimore MD; and Donna Jones of Blytheville AR. She is also survived by her five granddaughters, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Deborah was always full of life and had a way to bring joy to everyone she encountered. She was loved greatly in her life and will continue to be as she is remembered as a true fighter. She was a believer in Christ whose faith never wavered and whose quick wit never tired.

A memorial service will be conducted at 6:00 p.m. Friday, March 18, 2016 at the Rowland H. Bailey Funeral Chapel of the Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton with Pastor Lacy Brooks officiating. Honoring her request, the body has been cremated.

Friends may visit with the family from 5:00 p.m. until the service hour on Friday, March 18 at Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton. To view a video tribute to Deborah, or share online condolences with the family, please visit www.bailey-kirk.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 18. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home
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Memorial Service

MAR 18. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Deborah "Cookie" Perdue*



Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home - March 18, 2016 at 06:47 PM



“ *Deborah "Cookie" Perdue*

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Cookie and I shared two of the most beautiful grand daughters who we both love dearly. I didn't know her very well but I know she loved them. She seemed to be a very gentle person. I know she will be missed by her family.*

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“ I am so thankful that I got to know your mom, Ashley. She often said I was blessed- she knew. She was a mom. She was always aware of what a wonderful life she had because she was a mother. I loved her passion, I loved her humor. I loved how excited she was for you when you got the new car- because she loved to see you be happy. That's LOVE. True Love.

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BC

“ Ashley, I want to let you know you and your family are in our prayers. I know that Kathy and your mom are rejoicing in Heaven together. Kathy Christian and your mom were good friends at bingo. I will Surely miss both of them. My prayers to you all, Bobby G Christian



Bobby G Christian - March 15, 2016 at 02:28 PM