

<u>Obituary</u>



Deidre Lynette Hunter was born in Harlem Hospital Center, New York City on October 12, 1964 to Eugene Hunter and Helen Fells. Her home-going was on July 19, 2016 at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York City. Her final days were spent surrounded by family and friends that had the pleasure of knowing Deidre's light during her lifetime.

Deidre put up a tough fight against pancreatic cancer, and while her life would seem too brief

to those that knew her, they're also thankful to have known her laugh, sense of humor, and optimism. Her quality of life, gratitude, and compassion for people were what made her a beloved person by many. She loved music, traveling, getting done up with her beautician, and spending time with her lifelong friends, family, and fiancé. She loved to reminisce and tell stories from her early days in school to when her sons were boys, usually always with a funny anecdote because she loved making people smile.

Deidre is survived by: her loving mother, Helen Juanita Fells of Anderson, South Carolina; sons, Michael Anthony Williams, Jr. and Marquise Antoine Williams; sister, Stephanie Velena Heyward and her children; her brother, André Lamar Hunter and his daughter; Deidre's fiancé, Glenn Wilson; sister-in-law, Robin Wilson; sister-in-law, Sherazade Langlade; uncle, Lester Hunter; aunt, Cissy Woodson; aunt, Esther Skinner; cousin, Rhonda Cook; cousin-in-law, Vanessa Cook; close family friend, Eve Nunez; dear childhood friends, Sandra Faye Martine, Leslie McNair-Wilder, Kim Bodden and Norma Saunders; long-time friend, Kathy Wright-Austin; godson, Darius Saunders; goddaughter, Destiny Martine; goddaughter, Angel Mazyck; and her nieces and nephews include, Nyasia Chappelle, Eric Heyward, Shawn Heyward, Shanique Heyward, Terrance Heyward, Tyra Heyward and Cassandra Hunter.

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Obituary

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Eulogy

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Woodlawn Cemetery Bronx. New York

Repast from 2:00pm-5:30pm 670 Riverside Drive, Apt. 2B • New York, NY

I've Changed My Address

I've changed my address to Heaven I've crossed the Great Divide. I know there's no sorrow or crying, Because I've reached the other side. I am so happy to be here, for the Lord Himself I see. I've changed my address to Heaven, That's the place where you'll find me. I've changed my address to Heaven, I bid this world goodbye. I now live forever with Jesus in my new home in the sky. I have no burdens or heartaches and from tears I am now free. I've changed my address to Heaven, That's the place to find me. I've changed my address to Heaven, I'm safe forevermore. For the Lord built a mansion and my name is on the door. You can find us walking together, for where He is, I'll always be. I've changed my address to Heaven, That's the place you'll find me.

-Author unknown

<u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations in Deidre L. Hunter's memory to support cancer research to Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, Attn: Lauren Kelly, 885 Second Avenue 7th Floor, New York, NY 10017 or go online to: http://mskcc.convio.net/site/TR/GivingPages/DevelopmentMarketing?px=354370 4&pg=personal&fr_id=2480

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