

*In Loving Memory of*  
*Sharvella Juetta Tyson*

**Sunrise**  
**September 12, 1961**

**Sunset**  
**April 7, 2020**



*Service*

*Thursday, April 16, 2020 • 3:00 p.m.*

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1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

## Obituary

When the conflicts here has ended, and our race on earth is run, He will say if you've been faithful welcome home my child, well done.

So it was on Tuesday, April 7, 2020, 6:58 PM, at St Barnabas Medical Center, Livingston, NJ, Sharvella Ivetta Tyson, second child and first daughter born to Beatrice Williams Tyson and the late Willie Tyson, Jr., was greeted and welcome to her final home.

Sharvella (shar or sharkie) as she was sometimes called, joined and was baptized at Metropolitan Baptist Church, Newark, NJ at an early age. She attended Faith Temple Original Freewill Baptist Church in Seat Pleasant, Maryland under the leadership of Bishop L.N Forbes while residing in Maryland.

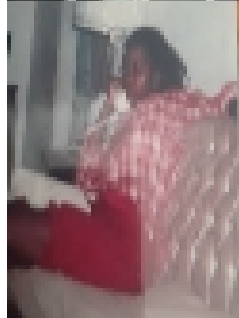
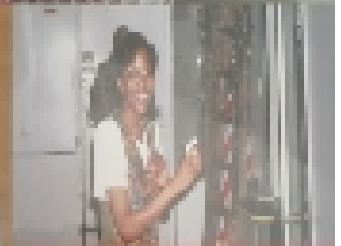
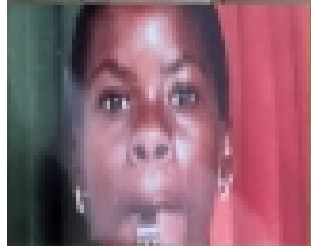
Sharvella was educated in the Newark Public School System attending Quitman Street Elementary School and graduated in the top ten of her class from Central High School. She attended NJIT and Essex County College Upward Bound advanced college classes during high school. She was also on the Central track team. She attended Rutgers in New Brunswick, NJ for four years.

After graduating she worked in New York City as a Financial Credit Analyst for several years before relocating to Forestville, Maryland. She lived and worked in New Carrollton, Maryland until she was diagnosed with Multiple Sclerosis in 2011 and returned home to Newark, NJ.

As she adjusted to the MS and the changes in her life, as was her nature, never showed anger, never complained, never in a bad mood, and ALWAYS, ALWAYS, said Thank you for anything and everything any one did for her. She was kind-hearted, quiet, loyal, sweet disposition and generous, to a fault. Would help anyone, anytime, even during her illness, never asking for anything in return.

She was predeceased by her father, Willie Tyson, Jr., and her brother, Reginal Bernard Tyson.

Memories will be cherished by her mother, Beatrice Williams Tyson, Newark, NJ; 2 sisters Regina Tyson, Irvington, NJ; Michelle Tyson Jones (Rob) Newark, NJ; 3 nieces Tiana Monae Tyson, Irvington; Janise Michelle Jones, Newark, NJ; Jasmine Robyn Jones, Newark, NJ. 1 great niece, Alayia Brilie Siler, Newark, NJ; 2 aunts- Patricia Williams, Forestville, MD; Erline Harvin (Harry) Durham, NC; 3 uncles Alvin Williams, Englewood, NJ; James Williams (Janie) Washington, DC: Donald R. Williams (Brenda) Grifton, NJ; 1 great aunt, Viola B. Forbes, Snow Hill, NC; 1 God daughter, Fataya James, Newark, NJ; 1 God sister, Yolanda Hamlett, Scotch Plains, NJ; devoted childhood friend, Wanda James, Newark, NJ.



# *I'm Free*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me  
I took his hand when I heard Him call*

*I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day.*

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,*

*Then fill it up with remembered joy.*

*A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,*

*Oh, yes these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow,*

*I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

*My life's been full, I savored much.*

*Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,*

*Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.*

*Lift up your heart and share with me,*

*God wanted me now, He set me free!*

-author unknown

## *Acknowledgement*

We the family of **Sharvella Ivetta Tyson** thank you family and friends with humbled hearts for all acts of kindness, love and sympathy received during our time of bereavement. Our hearts are uplifted knowing that so many of you cared so much for our loved one and us. We pray that God will continue to bless all of you and ask for your continue prayers as we move forward into another chapter of our lives.

Special thanks to Jennifer Pulliam, Vernell Marshall, Anderlyn Emelumba the Barnabas VNA services and its staff; the staff at South Mountain Healthcare and Rehab services for the care, concern and respect they always showed Sharvella.

The Family

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