

Celebrating the life of

Belinda Christine Knox



Our Gift:

May 12, 1950

God's Gift:

August 14, 2021

Evangelist Belinda C. Knox

Saturday, August 28, 2021

Family Viewing: 10:00am

Homegoing Service: 11:00am

2 Timothy 4:7 I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith.

Word of Power Ministry

17400 Manderson Rd,

Detroit, MI 48203

Bishop Benjamin S. Hoke Sr., Officiating



My Story...



Loving wife, outstanding mother, devoted grandmother, faithful friend and exemplary virtuous woman. A woman of vibrancy, class, style, and grace.

Belinda Christine Knox was born on May 12, 1950 in Detroit, Michigan to the Late John and Lillie Mildred Jenkins. She is one of nine siblings, 4 preceded her in death.

Belinda enjoyed spending precious quality time with her family and friends. She had a passion for teaching, working with the youth, spreading the love of Jesus, travelling, and shopping. She had a bright and energetic personality and was known for her ability to sense when people needed her help. Belinda was a role model for some, mentor to many and a friend to all. She touched many with her generosity and passion for life. As a result of her generous spirit and pleasant personality, she was loved by many. She was wise beyond her education. People of all ages and stages in life sought her advice and received help from her counsel. She was a kind and wonderful person.

Belinda was united in holy matrimony to her best friend, her soul mate and the "Love" of her life Larry Gene Knox on March 14, 1992. They shared 29 wonderful, joyous, awesome and loving years together. Belinda was blessed with five beautiful children: Tanya, Gregory, Monique, Katherine and Kathleen. Belinda made and kept her promise to her sister that preceded her in death (Priscilla) and was blessed with a wonderful nephew/son: Andrew, which she raised as one of her own. Belinda was also blessed to gain a daughter, Ingrid and a son, Larry.

Belinda was blessed to have many talents. She took pride in dedicating quality therapeutic services and demonstrated this passion for more than 40 years in numerous capacities. She dedicated her life to serving others. Her many accomplishments included being the Founder and CEO of Knoxville Tiny Tot Childcare Center, SEL Family Service Director at Bradley Creemos Academy, Executive Vice President of Clinical Services at Horizon Treatment Center, Executive Director of Off The Streets Runaway Shelter, K-12 Certified Teacher in the Highland Park and Detroit public schools system, Professional Crisis Stabilization Therapist, Child & Family Advocate Director, Police Reservist with the Detroit Police Department, member of the American Counseling Association (ACA), and a member of the American Association of Christian Counselors (AACC).

At an early age, Belinda professed her faith and accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior. She joined and was a dedicated member at St Paul's Apostolic Faith church, under the late Elder Hoodie J. Hoke. Belinda was baptized in the name of Jesus on October 31, 1982. On March 25, 1983 she received the Holy Ghost. Shortly afterwards, she was called to the ministry. She served as a faithful member and continued her spiritual journey under the late suffrage Bishop Kenneth J. Hoke Sr. She continued to fellowship under the current leadership of Bishop Benjamin S. Hoke, when she visited Michigan. She accepted the gifts bestowed upon her through Jesus Christ, her Lord and Savior, the author and finisher of her faith.

She attended Aeon Bible College of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World (P.A.W), and received a Ministerial certificate of achievement in 1988. Evangelist Belinda Knox was given the commission to preach the gospel and assist in other duties of the ministry. She continued to acknowledge God and his obedience. Her Christian life was as beautiful as the flowers that she loved so well, and her influence will forever remain in the lives of all who knew her.

Belinda began her education in the Detroit Public School System. She graduated from Highland Park High School. She furthered her education and attended Shaw College of Detroit, Wayne State University and the University of Detroit Mercy. She obtained a Master's degree in Agency and Community Counseling, a Master's degree in Early Childhood Education, and a Bachelor's degree in Sociology with a minor in History.



Belinda obtained several professional licenses including: a LPC (Licensed Professional Counselor – Michigan State Licensure), a BCPC (Board Certified Professional Counselor), a LSW (Licensed Social Worker – Michigan State Licensure) and a CLC (Certified Life Coach). She used her gifts to educate, mentor, help and empower others.

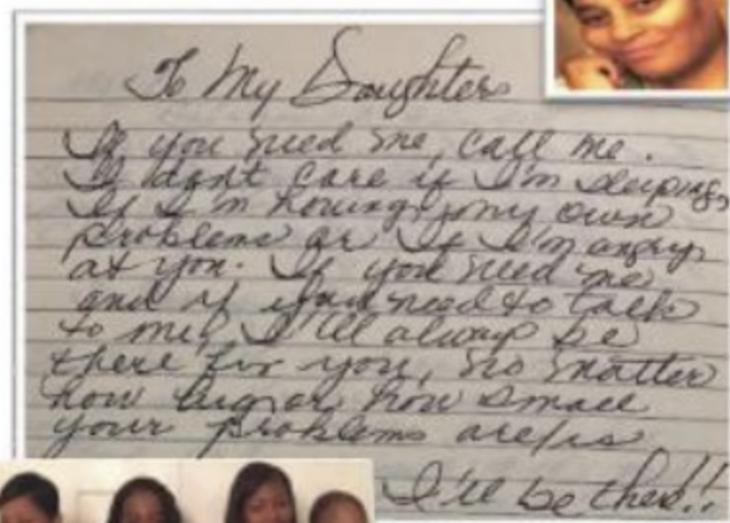
On August 14, 2021 at 8:48pm, with the dedicated love and vigil support of her devoted husband, children, grandchildren, and family members, Belinda quietly transitioned this life to life eternal, at Abrazo West Campus Hospital in Goodyear, Arizona. She fought a tough fight, and finished the race, but through it all, she kept the Faith, now she's at rest.

Belinda was preceded in death by her son, Gregory and her parents John and Lillie Jenkins; and her siblings Priscilla, Denise, Ernestine and Renee; and her granddaughter Sha'Kyra. She leaves to mourn the loss and celebrate her life: Her faithful, loving husband, Larry; Her daughters: Tanya (Chris), Monique (Damon), Kathleen, and Katherine (Demico), Ingrid (Michael) and her sons: Andrew and Larry. Her sisters: Marlita and Bernestine. Her brothers: John Jr and Carl (Sheila). Her brother-in law: Danny "Smokey" (Donna) and her sister-in-law: Lucille (Jack). Her aunt: Rosie Johnson and her three sisters/friends: Sidney Johnson, Evang. Olivia Harden and Evang. Barbara Brown. In addition, Belinda leaves behind a host of grandchildren (27), great-grandchildren (19), nieces, nephews, cousins, god children, and her enormous and loving Arizona family; along with an abundance of friends who will miss her and love her dearly.



*Belinda, the LOVE of my life,
my precious soul mate. I am at
peace because we shared 29
awesome & loving years
togetner. We traveled the world.
We laughed, we talked,
we lived life to the fullest
togetner. I am grateful for all the
memories that will forever
remain in my heart. Sweetheart,
I love you so much!*

Love your husband, Larry



We LOVE you Mom

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	
OT Scripture Reading	Evang. Olivia Harden
NT Scripture Reading	Evang. Olivia Harden
Prayer	Evang. Barbara Brown
Selection	Word of Power Ministry Choir
Obituary Reading	Renita Bobbitt
Acknowledgments	Renita Bobbitt
Selection	Word of Power Ministry Choir
Remarks(limit to 2 mins).....	Family and Friends
Selection	Word of Power Ministry Choir
Eulogy	Bishop Benjamin S. Hoke Sr
Repast	Word of Power Ministry Fellowship Hall



Goodbye, I've earned
my wings.
I'll see you soon...

Honorary Pall Bearers

Damon Smith
Christopher Carson
Demico Moore
Andrew Gray

John C. Jenkins
Carl Jenkins
Andre Clark
Larry Thompson

Michael Evans Sr.

Pall Bearers

Geoffrey Townsend Jr.
Paris McCallum
Kevin Watson

Dontez Jones
Mark Young
Chivas Rivers

James Bush

Flower Attendants

Family and Friends

Final Arrangements

John H. Cole Home for Funerals
16100 Schaefer Hwy, Detroit, Michigan 48235

Interment

(Monday, August 30, 2021 at 10:00AM)

Great Lakes National Cemetery
4200 Belford Road
Holly, MI 48442

Acknowledgements

The family of *Mrs Belinda C. Knox* wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many comforting messages, floral tributes, prayers and many other expressions of kindness, love and sympathy are greatly appreciated. May God's blessings of peace and love continue with you forever. ~ *The Knox Family*