

CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF

*Marchelle Yvette
Butts*



SUNRISE

July 28, 1968

SUNSET

July 26, 2026



Memorial Service
SATURDAY AUGUST 1ST, 2026

5:30-6:30

WALKER FUNERAL HOME

2625 GILBERT AVE

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A Life to Remember

MARCHELLE (MARSHA) YVETTE BUTTS MADE HER TRANSITION INTO HEAVEN ON SUNDAY, JULY 26, 2026. SHE WAS BORN ON JULY 28, 1968 IN GARY, INDIANA TO EULA WOODS. MARSHA WAS THE MOTHER OF FOUR CHILDREN AND A LIFE LONG PARTNER TO JAMES TERRY COLBERT FOR OVER 20 YEARS. MARSHA DEDICATED HER LIFE TO CHRIST AT AN EARLY AGE AND WAS BAPTIZED AT MOUNT ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH IN EAST CHICAGO, INDIANA UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF REV. DR. J.C. WADE, JR.

IN 1984 MARSHA LEFT EAST CHICAGO, INDIANA TO JOIN THE JOB CORPS AND EARNED HER GED. SHE WOULD SETTLE IN CINCINNATI IN 1985 WHERE SHE BECAME A TEACHER'S AID AND LATER A CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT. IN ADDITION, SHE ALSO WORKED IN THE JANITORIAL SERVICE WITH TERRY. A DEVOTED MOTHER AND GRANDMOTHER, SHE PUSHED THROUGH HER HEALTH CHALLENGES TO HELP PROVIDE FOR HER CHILDREN, AND EVEN ADOPTING HER GRANDCHILDREN IN HER LATER YEARS OF LIFE. MARSHA'S PERSONALITY WAS BIGGER THAN LIFE. SHE KNEW HOW TO LOVE YOU AND MAKE YOU FEEL SO COMFORTABLE. LIKEWISE, IF YOU GOT ON HER BAD SIDE, SHE KNEW HOW TO PUT YOU IN YOUR PLACE. A TRUE FIGHTER FROM BEGINNING TO END, SHE LET HER VOICE BE KNOWN TO THE HOSPITAL STAFF AND FAMILY ABOUT HER LAST WISHES. A TRUE MOTHER, HER FAMILY WAS HER FIRST PRIORITY EVEN IN HER FINAL DAYS. MARSHA LEAVES BEHIND A DEVOTED PARTNER, JAMES "TERRY" COLBERT SR.; THREE DAUGHTERS, LATASIA DRUMMOND [TERRELL FRANKLIN JR.], LESLIE DRUMMOND [SEMAJ MARSHALL, DONALD SPIKES, LA'DON SPIKES, RAH'VAE DRUMMOND, RAY'MYA RAY DRUMMOND, RAYLEAH RAY DRUMMOND], AND VACHELLE DRUMMOND [MEE'CHELLE ABERNATHY, MEE'SHAQ REDDEN JR., MEE'SHAI ABERNATHY]; SON, JAMES TERRY COLBERT JR. [OMARION COLBERT, OMARE COLBERT, OMAR COBLERT. JAMAR COLBERT, ORIAH COLBERT]; MOTHER, EULA WOODS; TWO BROTHERS, SCOTT (SHARISE) WOODS, RONALD (SHANEKIA) COLE; A SISTER COUSIN, LATASHA "TASHA" BURTON; FIVE AUNTS, NADEAN (THEODORE) WOODS HAWKINS, JURLINE WOODS, VIRGINIA WOODS, HENRIETTA WOODS, AND MELVINA (LARRY) WOODS ANDERSON AND A HOST OF NIECES, NEPHEWS, COUSINS, EXTENDED FAMILY, AND FRIENDS.

Order of Service

PRELUDE

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER----- RONALD COLE

SELECTION----- I WON'T COMPLAIN

REFLECTIONS-----

→ MS. EULA WOODS, SCOTT WOODS, RONALD COLE, CHILDREN

→ OTHER LOVED ONES TO FOLLOW

SELECTION----- AMAZING GRACE

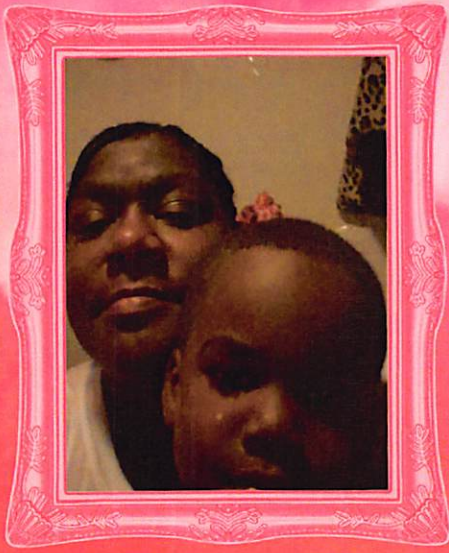
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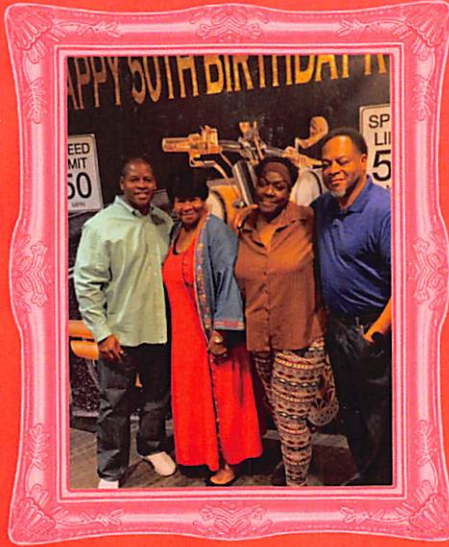
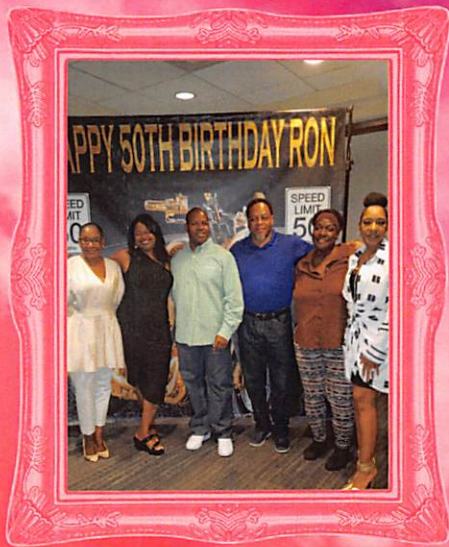
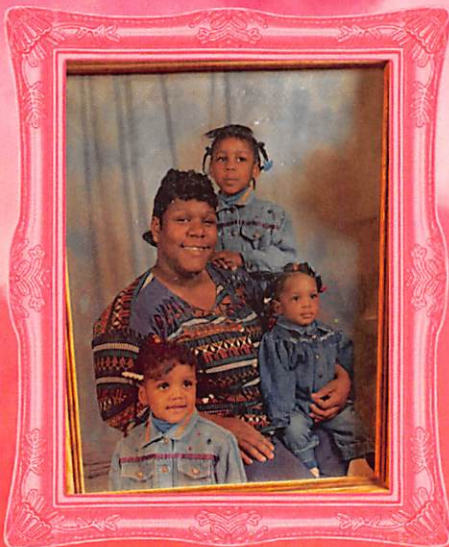
SELECTION----- GOIN' UP YONDER

INVOCATION



AND GOD SHALL WIPE AWAY ALL TEARS FROM THEIR EYES; AND THERE SHALL BE NO MORE DEATH,
NEITHER SORROW, NOR CRYING, NEITHER SHALL THERE BE ANY MORE PAIN: FOR THE FORMER
THINGS ARE PASSED AWAY
REVELATIONS 21:4 KJV





Acknowledgements

THE BUTTS AND COLBERT FAMILIES ARE ETERNALLY GRATEFUL FOR ALL OF YOUR LOVE, PRAYERS, AND SUPPORT FOR MARCHELLE YVETTE BUTTS DURING THIS TRYING TIME. WORDS CAN NOT TRULY EXPRESS THE MAGNITUDE OF OUR GRATITUDE. WE THANK GOD FOR SURROUNDING US WITH HIS ANGELS. AGAIN, THANK YOU AND MAY THE PEACE OF OUR GOD COVER YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES.

-THE FAMILY

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