

# CELEBRATING

Arrival: January 6, 1968

Departure: September 8, 2023

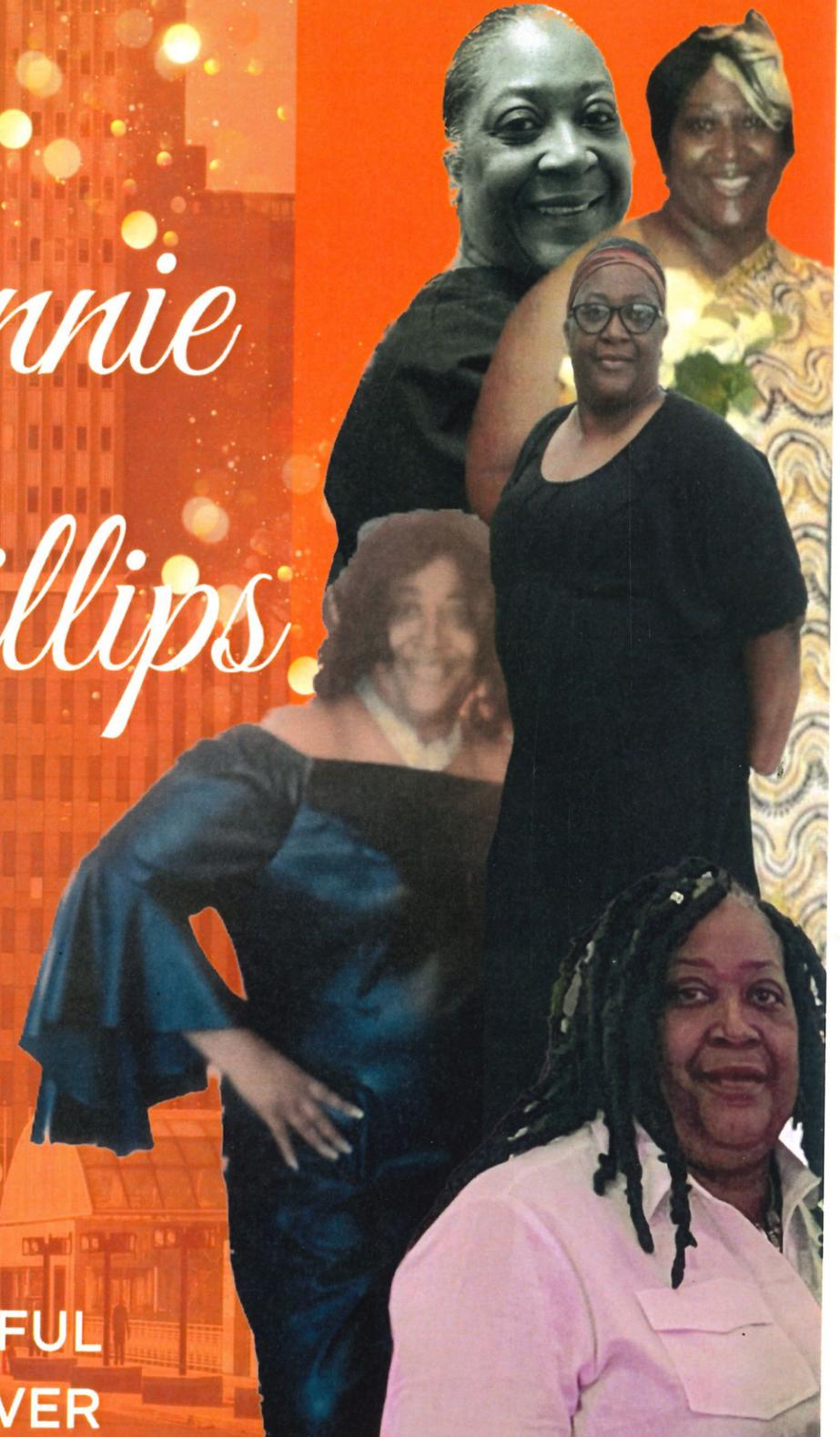
THE  
LIFE OF

*Connie  
Phillips*

Wednesday  
September

**27**  
2023

A BEAUTIFUL  
SOUL IS NEVER



# *Journey of Life, and Love*



Connie V Phillis was born in Baltimore on January 6, 1968 to the late Margaret Phillips and the late Sammie Hood.

Connie spent a lot of time growing up with her Grandmother Phillips (which preceded her in death) whom she loved dearly.

She was a God send to her Grandmother Luberta Shuler taking care of her when she became ill until God called her grandmother home.

She was educated in the Baltimore Public School System. Connie graduated from Western High School in 1986. Connie attended CCBC and Towson State College.

She loved helping others and started her career at Mercy Hospital for 15 years before going to Sinai Hospital for over 20 years. Connie met a lot of people over the years at Sinai and gave them little nicknames like "Redbell"

She was a lover of life and loved to travel and visit friends. Connie loved motorcycles and was a part of a Motorcycle club called Serpentine's fire. Her nickname was TAZ because she loved the Tasmanian Devil. Connie's favorite hobby when she wasn't at work was watching wrestling and the sci-fi channel. Connie was big on movies, her favorite being anything with her baby in it Vin Diesel as she affectionately called him. The transformer series was her favorite. Connie was always ready to spend time with her daughter Tiffany and other members of her family.

She was a loving person that made friends wherever she went. Connie will be missed by all.

She leaves to cherish her memory. Her 2 daughters Tierra Phillips (which preceded her in death) Tiffany Elliott. Her grandson Kaden Matin. Her Dad Stewart. 5 sisters Jessica Stewart (which preceded her in death), Leslie (Will) Deanna Phillips (Darryl) Jyllene Wilson (Shawn) Rhonda Bello (Lle) 2 Brothers Charles Milburn and Harold Stewart 7 nieces Quanie (monkey doodle) Ki'ya Tubman, Angela Randolph (Brian) Shiquan (is, Apryl Frank, Denice Frank, Hannah Stewart. 5 Nephews Harold (rt, Mann, Mooda, Lil Darryl and Rell. 3 Great Nieces Brynn Randolph (nina Smith, Aniya Brown. Her God Mother and Two best friends (e Peuton & Xavier Reed the family dog Ginger and a host of other

# *Order of Celebration*



**Opening Prayer**  
Robert Griffin

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**Selection**

Evangelist Linda Flowers

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**Scripture Reading**

Nicole Griffin

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**Remarks**

Family and Friends

Please Limit to Two Minutes

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**Acknowledgements**

Porsha Williams

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**Reading of the Obituary**

Porsha Williams

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**Selections**

Evangelist Linda Flowers

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**Eulogy**

Pastor Bamidele Bello

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**Benediction**





# "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,  
 've found that peace at the close of day  
 If my parting has left a void,  
 Then fill it with remembered joy  
 A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
 Ah yes, these things I too will miss  
 Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
 I wish for you the sunshine of tomorrow  
 My life's been full, I've savored much,  
 d friends, good times, my loved one's touch  
 If my time seemed all too brief,  
 Don't lengthen it now with undue grief  
 Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,  
 God wanted me now, He set me free.



Letter To My Sissy,

Sissy never in a million years did I ever imagine life without you so soon, you were my first best friend. This is strange and unfamiliar territory because this pain hits different and hurts so bad. Missing you is an understatement and I know it's selfish to say but yes I want you back! The only thing that gives me comfort is that look of peace on your face when I entered that room, that look said it all and as much as I don't want to understand. So just know that I've got us, and we'll be okay. I'm going to continue to set up our family fundays and get together and we're going to continue to Love on each other. First Grandma, then Mommy and now we've got you watching over us so yes, we're gonna be okay. I LOVE YOU Sissy- Margaret Babies Always and Forever ♡ #ConnieStrong ♡

Forever Your Sister, Deanna (Dee)

Mommy,

Oh my mess, inside a warm body, the left side of their chest! Was warm because of your hugs!  
 Now you're being laid to rest! Ice cold tears drain from my eyes! Waiting for any type of motion that signals any part of life! My mind drifts... memory kicks in..... look to the right my rider seatbelt across her shoulder!!! I feel protected in my heart, something starts festering! I woke my heart problems solved because her words spoken has me woke and,,,,,,the realest peace one has ever spoken....did many favors for me left to own and for Mommy my words go behind the dirt with miss you so much, life is not the same.

Love your daughter,  
 Tiffany

Dearest Connie,

Your room is empty you're not there God called you home to cast all your cares.  
 More Good Morning Sis! You're going to be late I'm left with sadness and constant heart ache.  
 You has gained an angel with the purest of hearts, but losing you has me falling apart.  
 My life will go on and seasons will change but my love for you will always remain.  
 Thank you Sis for the years of laughter and love I know you will be smiling down on us from above

# Broken Chain

By Leslie

My sister Connie has gained her wings  
 this sister chain is broken it will never be the same.  
 We try so hard to remain sane, but there will never be another link to this broken chain.  
 I wanted to be selfish to have you here more.  
 but God, mommy & grandma needed you more,  
 no more suffering, no more pain.  
 I LOVE YOU BIG SISTER that will always remain.  
 I'm just so hurt because of this Broken Chain.





### **To my Family**

To those I love I didn't go away,  
I walk beside you every day,  
Unseen, Unheard but always near  
Still Loved, still Missed and very Dear.

**Love Connie**

### ***Acknowledgements***

The Family acknowledges with deepest appreciation and extend our heartfelt gratitude for all the acts of kindness shown during our time of bereavement.

Your prayers, cards, calls, and visitations have been greatly appreciated.

Continue to include us in your thoughts and prayers.

### ***Interment***

**Cedar Hill Cemetery**

5829 Ritchie Highway

### ***Repast***

**Stafford Hall**

2021 Fredrick Road

Catonsville, MD 21228

### ***Professional Services Entrusted to:***

**John Williams Funeral Service**

1715 North Monroe Street