

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

*Ms.
Shyne*

A BEAUTIFUL SOUL
WHO TOUCHED
SO MANY LIVES
WITH HER LOVE,
KINDNESS AND
UNFORGETTABLE
SPIRIT.

*Forever
In Our
Hearts*



SUNRISE:
January 14,
1959



SUNSET:
August 2,
2026

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 2026

OAK GROVE MBC

4545 BENTON BLVD, KANSAS CITY, MO 64130

REV. LADONNA CARTWRIGHT, OFFICIATING

LOVING MOTHER ♥ DEVOTED FRIEND ♥ INSPIRATION TO ALL

Remembering
Ms. Shyne

Katherine Diane Shyne, affectionately known as “Ann” or “Ms. Shyne,” was born on January 14, 1959, in Kansas City, Missouri, to Shellie Pickens and Dorothy Lee Shyne. She was lovingly raised by Dorothy Pickens, who held a special and meaningful place in her life and played an important role in shaping the woman she would become.

Katherine received her education through the Kansas City, Missouri Public School System and proudly graduated from Central High School in 1977.

Katherine was a woman whose presence could never be overlooked. She possessed a vibrant and infectious personality that naturally drew people to her. She was deeply loved by her family, friends, and all who were blessed to know her. Katherine was truly one of a kind—unapologetically herself, wonderfully blunt, and never afraid to speak her mind. She lived life on her own and never concerned herself with conforming to anyone else’s expectations of who she should be. She was simply “Ann” or “Ms. Shyne,” and she embraced every part of who she was.

At the heart of Katherine’s life was her family. Being a mother was one of the greatest purposes and blessings of her life. She dedicated herself to making certain that her children were loved, cared for, and provided for to the very best of her ability. She did what she could with what she had, always striving to put the needs and well-being of her children first. No matter what challenges life placed before her, her children remained at the center of her heart and were among her greatest treasures.

Katherine departed this life peacefully on August 2, 2026, at University Health Truman Medical Center. She was preceded in death by her parents Shellie & Dorothy Pickens, Dorothy Shyne; her beloved son, Cortez Shyne; and her brothers, Gregory, Wyn, and Joe Shyne.

Katherine leaves to cherish her precious memory and continue her legacy of love: two sons, Christopher Shyne (Denitricia) and Carlos Shyne (TeLae); two daughters, Crystal Shyne and Tamiko Shyne (Michael), all of Kansas City, Missouri; two sisters, Wanda Hawkins of Minden, Louisiana, and Juanita Bossell of Kansas City, Missouri; twelve grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family members, and dear friends.

Though Katherine’s earthly journey has come to an end, the love she gave, the lives she touched, the laughter she shared, and the memories she created will forever remain in the hearts of those who knew and loved her. Her legacy will live on through her children, grandchildren, family, and all who were fortunate enough to call her “Mom,” “Grandma,” “Ann,” “Ms. Shyne,” or simply “friend.”

ORDER OF SERVICE

ORGAN PRELUDE



Soft Music

PROCESSIONAL



Clergy & Family

SONG: "I WON'T COMPLAIN"



Deborah Cox

SCRIPTURE(S):

OLD & NEW TESTAMENT –



Evangelist RaQuel Dupree

PRAYER:



Pastor Maurice Dupree

**ACKNOWLEDGMENTS &
CONDOLENCES:**



A'yonna Cartwright

LIFE REFLECTIONS.....



*(Read in Silence or
Video Tribute)*

REMARKS... (2 MINS PLEASE)



SONG: "A SONG FOR MAMA"



Boyz II Men

WORDS OF COMFORT:



Rev. LaDonna Cartwright

BENEDICTION...



RECESSIONAL...



Mama, Until We Meet Again

Mama, you were our shelter,
our laughter, and our home.
You taught us how to stand with strength
and never walk alone.

You loved us in your own way,
sometimes gentle, sometimes strong.
You kept your family together
and showed us where we belong.

Your words were honest and fearless,
your heart was full of love.
And though we cannot hold you now,
we know you're safe above.

God called you home to Heaven,
where there is no pain or tears.
But your love will live within us
through all our coming years.





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Daytona Beach, FL





God Called You Home

God called you home, Mama,
though we weren't ready to let go.
We wanted just a little more time,
but Heaven called you home.

We don't understand His timing,
and our hearts are filled with pain.
But we trust that you are resting
where there is no hurt again.

No more tears upon your face,
no more troubles to endure.
You have found eternal peace
in the arms of Jesus, safe and sure.

We'll miss your voice, your laughter,
your stories and your ways.
But we'll thank God for every moment,
for every precious day.

Sleep peacefully, sweet Mama.
Your journey here is done.
Until we meet again in Heaven,
you'll forever be our one.



The Heart of Our Family

You were the heart of our family,
the thread that held us near.
You made sure we stayed connected
through every passing year.

You fed us, loved us, fussed at us,
and told us what was true.
You could make us laugh when we were down,
because that's just what you would do.

You were strong when we needed strength,
and loving when we cried.
And even when you drove us crazy,
we always knew you were on our side.

Now Heaven has received you,
and Earth must let you go.
But Mama, what you planted here
will continue to grow.

Your children, your family,
the love you left behind—
will carry you forever
in our hearts, our souls, and minds.

Rest peacefully, Mama.
You've earned your heavenly rest.
Of all the mothers in this world,
we were blessed with one of the best.





Order of SERVICE

PALLBEARERS

Christopher Shyne, Sr.
Carlos Shyne, Sr.
Amarheun Thomas
Andre Miller, Jr.
Raymond Fowler, Jr.
Montez Miller

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Fredrick Pickens
Wayshaun Hamilton
Ny'Ron Carroll
Christopher Shyne, Jr.
Christian Shyne
Carlos Shyne, Jr.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

With sincere appreciation, we wish to thank our many friends and family for their expressions of kindness during our bereavement for our loved one.
May God bless each of you. – **The Family.**

INTERMENT

Immediately following
the funeral service,
the family will proceed to:

XII GATES MEMORIAL GARDEN
9500 Bannister Road
Kansas City, Missouri 64134

REPAST RECEPTION

Following the funeral service and interment,
family and friends are warmly invited
to join us for a repast reception at:

EVENT CENTER KC
6809 Longview Road
Kansas City, Missouri 64134

Psalm 23

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
he leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths
of righteousness for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;
thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:
thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

*Your love, prayers, presence,
and continued support
are deeply appreciated
during this time.*

