

Celebrating a Life



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BEVERLY GRIFFY
HARCLERODE

JANUARY 27, 1941 - APRIL 6, 2024



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Beverly Ann Griffy Harclerode, 83, of Coatesville, PA passed away Saturday, April 6, 2024, at the Penn Presbyterian Medical Center in Philadelphia.

Born in Parkesburg, PA she was the daughter of the late Henry Dickerson, Clara Griffy Harris and William June Harris. She was the wife of the late Robert Harclerode.



Beverly was employed as a supervisor in the treasury department for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for many years.

She was a vibrant soul, who lived her life with a joy that was contagious to all who knew her. Her passion for traveling led her to the beautiful shores of Jamaica, Aruba, and Nassau, where she embraced the cultures and landscapes with open arms.

She was a woman of many talents, she found solace in her garden, tending to her plants and vegetables with a tender hand. She had a creative spirit that was vividly evident through her drawing and sketching. Music and dance were her life's rhythm, with James Brown's beats often filling her home, "Yakety Yak" being her all-time favorite tune. She carried the tradition of singing Christmas carols around the neighborhood, spreading cheer and warmth during the festive season.



A master in the kitchen, she cooked with love, her specialties being chicken, fish, and a renowned potato salad that became the highlight of many family gatherings. Her baking was a testament to her warmth, with sand cookies and 7-up cake being cherished treats among friends and family.

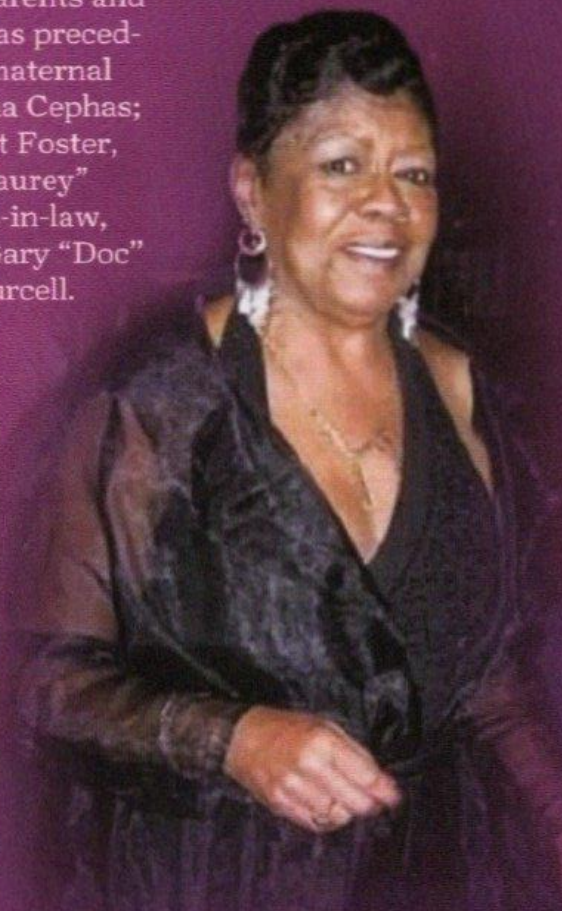
Beverly will be deeply missed by her son, Tyrone Maurice Williams (Tennille Bunch) of Coatesville; step-daughter, Lisa Harclerode-Alridge (Butch) of Harrisburg; 4 grandkids, Quinessa Brown (Jarred Clinton), Candice Folks of Coatesville, Tyrone Folks of Houston, TX, Amara Williams of Coatesville, Terrell Foster of Harrisburg; great-grandchildren, Cyncere Brown-Bell, Jerimiah Brown-Bell, Jabari Clinton and Jahkai Folks; siblings, Bonnie Dickinson, Tyrone Harris





(Paula), Charlotte Miller, Regina Purcell, Arnold Dickerson, Dorothy Green, Elois Dickerson; companion, Lawrence "Eddie" Mayo; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by her maternal grandmother, Emma Cephas; a grandchild, Robert Foster, nephew, Lamar "Maurey" Boyer, Sr.; brothers-in-law, James Dickinson, Gary "Doc" Miller and Bruce Purcell.



Order of Service

Processional Clergy and Family

Musical Prelude Sis. Roberta Scott

Final Viewing

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Psalm 23

New Testament St. John 14:1-6

Prayer of Comfort Rev. Frederick Hicks

Congregational Song

Reading of Cards,

Resolution & the Obituary Tonya Booth

Reflections (2 minutes) Jimmel Burgess

Words of Comfort Selected Clergy

Congregational Song

Eulogy Rev. Frederick Hicks

Recessional Directives Ventnor T. Wright

Funeral Director

Recessional Clergy and Family



CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE

Saturday, April 20, 2024

9:00 AM Viewing

11:00 AM Service

SERVICE LOCATION

Tabernacle Baptist Church

819 Coates Street

Coatesville, Pennsylvania

Rev. Michael Watson, Pastor Elect

PALLBEARERS

Jim Brown

Derrick Brown

Donald Johnson

Authur (Hopper) Burgess

Leno Brandon

Jarred Clinton

FLOWER BEARERS

Nieces

INTERMENT

Mt. Zion AME Church Cemetery

404 Zion Hill Road

Atglen, Pennsylvania

A NOTE OF THANKS

Thank you with sincere gratitude for your care and concern shown during our time of bereavement. May God bless you.

Sincerely, The Family



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