



Ms. Cathy Louise Smith

June 7, 1978 - August 12, 2022

On June 7, 1978 in Saginaw, Michigan, a princess was born. Cathy Louise Henderson the daughter of Pearl Hudspeth and Arthur Henderson. She passed away on August 12, 2022 at the age of 44 years.

Cathy's mother Pearl was her confidante, biggest cheerleader, and backbone of her support system. She was more than just her MOM, she was her "Best Friend". Not a day went by where she did not miss her "Mom's Love".

Cathy was a faithful, dedicated, serving member of the South 17th Street Church of Christ. She graduated from Heritage High School Class of 1997. She attended Ferris State University and studied Social Work. Her employment as a customer service representative included, Stone Trucking, Consumers Energy and Rev Transcription. She also served many years as President of the Carrollton Township Recreation Department.

Cathy enjoyed sightseeing, movies, being by the water, attending concerts, drawing, watching wrestling and the ID Channel. She also had a love for the Disney character Minnie Mouse. Some of her favorite foods included her Aunt Jean's Meatloaf, Auntie Stacey's Mac/Cheese, her Mom's desserts and she also loved The Rib Shack. She listened to all genres of music especially Motown and Rhythm and Blues. One of her favorite songs was "Just My Imagination" by the Temptations, however her favorite R&B artist was "R

Kelly”.

She also enjoyed spending quality time at Chuck-E- Cheese and Kokomo's with family. She also had a fondness for Thanksgiving dinners with relatives. Never hesitating to lend a helping hand, Cathy was like a second mother to her younger siblings. Cathy was funny, outgoing, brave and had great leadership qualities, but the most important one she manifested, was “That of A Loving Mother”. Her greatest joy were her two sons, watching them grow from children to young men. She was an extremely proud, affectionate, caring “MOM”. There was “Nothing” she would not do for her sons. She was the true definition of “LOVE”.

Cathy and Andre' had a unique bond. Andre' was more than just Cathy's fiancé and companion, he was her helpmate, best friend, and also her “Protector”. HE was extremely proud to be the Provider of Countless years of “Love”. Margo Tyus was not only Cathy's mentor and advisor; she was her encourager.

Always cheerful and thoughtful. Cathy's infectious smile warmed your heart and made you feel welcome.

Cathy Louise leaves precious memories with her sons, DeVontre`and DeOntae` Tyus; fiancé, Andre' Tyus; sister, LaKeshia Henderson; brothers, Matthew Hudspeth and Cory Henderson; special brother, Adrian Tyus; nephew, Jayden Akins; aunts, Norma Jean Hudspeth, Kim (Lathan) Wilson, Gloria Sims and Annette Lawson; uncles, Michael Coleman, Richard (Christine) Knuckles and Gregroy Hudspeth (who was also a father-figure); special cousin, Charles DyVonne Perry, many other relatives and friends including special friend like a sister, Latrice Reynolds; childhood friend, Virginia Basse, Ms. Gloria Haubenstricker, the Perry family, Granny Coleman, Stacey Levenson, Margo Tyus, The Carrollton Township Recreation family,

many other loving cousins, loved ones and other friends.

Cathy was preceded in death by her parents, Pearl Hudspeth and Arthur Henderson; grandparents, William and Muriel Hudspeth; sisters, Armenta Riley and Katrina Henderson; uncle, Anthony Coleman and a special friend, Michael Huell.

The family would like to express special thanks to Fresenius Dialysis Center, Dr. Claudia Zacharek, Nurse Practitioner, Wini Angi-Sisco, Sis. Todd Boone and family, Bro. and Sis. Cedric Townsel, the South 17th Street Church of Christ family and Evans & Browne's Funeral Home.

Family meet & greet will take place at 12:30 PM, Saturday, August 27, 2022 at South 17th Street Church of Christ, 516 South 17th Street, Saginaw, Michigan 48601, with memorial service commencing at 1:00 PM

In lieu of flowers, contributions of sympathy may be made to Evans & Browne's Funeral Home.

****Mask are require****

Previous Events

Family Hour

AUG 27. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

South 17th Church of Christ
516 South 17th Street
Saginaw, MI 48601

Funeral Service

AUG 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

South 17th Church of Christ
516 South 17th Street
Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall



“ *Debbie Rogers lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith*



Debbie Rogers - August 29, 2022 at 04:32 AM



“ *Bernadette Tinsley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith*



Bernadette Tinsley - August 26, 2022 at 05:32 PM



“ *Fields of Europe was purchased for the family of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith.*



August 26, 2022 at 12:49 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith.*



August 26, 2022 at 07:58 AM

FT

“ Florence Thompson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Florence Thompson - August 25, 2022 at 08:45 PM

FE

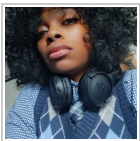
“ So saddened by the sudden loss of my cousin. You will be greatly missed. Praying for your boys and our family as a whole. Love you.

Fashonta Erwin - August 25, 2022 at 08:28 PM

BD

“ I worked with Cathy at Consumers Energy.. in few years of working together we became friends and she was such a joy to be around. Her smile and laughter, sweet spirit was always welcomed. My prayers to her son's and family during your time of grief. May God hold you all in his loving arms 🙏

Brenda Doss - August 25, 2022 at 07:02 PM



“ Stephanie Miller lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Stephanie Miller - August 25, 2022 at 06:15 PM

JT

“ I worked with Cathy at Consumers Energy where she was a kind confident always smiling co-worker. Her life revolved around family and particularly her two boys! She will be sadly missed,

Joyce TwymanSkillman - August 25, 2022 at 04:37 PM

LT

“ Ms. Cathy was a gem...she will be greatly missed..keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers 🙏

Lorinda Thomas - August 25, 2022 at 09:41 AM

IS

“ Idella Speed lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Idella Speed - August 24, 2022 at 04:51 PM

AK

“ Allan & Erica Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Allan & Erica Kennedy - August 24, 2022 at 10:06 AM

HW

“ *Helen Wright lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith*



Helen Wright - August 23, 2022 at 11:45 PM

MT

“ *Minnie Taylor lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith*



Minnie Taylor - August 19, 2022 at 06:08 PM

JC

“ *Condolences & prayers to the family of Cathy Louise Smith.
Pastor Robert & Jannis Corley & family.*



Jannis Corley - August 19, 2022 at 12:40 PM

AA

“ *We are saddened by your loss, and our hearts go out to her loved ones.*

Ambassador Arms Apartments-Staff

Ambassador Arms Apartments - August 19, 2022 at 10:20 AM

LR

“ We worked together at the Crowne plaza years ago and everyone thought they were seeing double and from that moment on she been my sister Rest peacefully Queen I will never forget you Love always your sister Triecy💜



Latrice D. Reynolds - August 18, 2022 at 11:56 AM

KD

“ Kristen Duran lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Kristen Duran - August 18, 2022 at 12:37 AM

DW

“ Denise @Jackie Wilburn lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Denise @Jackie wilburn - August 16, 2022 at 11:55 PM

LD

“ Lola Dawkins-Peterson sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Lola Dawkins-Peterson - August 16, 2022 at 02:24 PM



Ms. Cathy was a gem...she will be greatly missed...keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers 🙏

Lorinda Thomas - August 20, 2022 at 01:12 PM



“ Cat,Chris Jernigan sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Cat,Chris Jernigan - August 15, 2022 at 02:47 PM



“ James Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



James Johnson - August 15, 2022 at 10:41 AM



“ Rhonda Ervin lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Rhonda Ervin - August 14, 2022 at 11:13 PM

LN

“ Linda Nickerson-draine lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Linda Nickerson-draine - August 14, 2022 at 07:59 PM




“ Praying for the family.
-Trevor, Bev, and Trevor, Jr.



Beverly Culpepper - August 14, 2022 at 08:33 AM

LS

“ Lillie B. Strong & family Lit a candle  in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Lillie B. Strong - August 13, 2022 at 02:14 PM

RW

“ Renee And Sam Woodhouse lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith



Renee and Sam Woodhouse - August 13, 2022 at 08:04 AM

LJ

“ *RIH Cathy Louise*



Leon Jackson - August 12, 2022 at 10:21 PM

EP

My sweetie and loving special great cousin. Such a beautiful heart will miss her dearly 🙏

Earnestine Perry - August 15, 2022 at 02:28 PM



“ *Elizabeth Hudspeth lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith*



Elizabeth Hudspeth - August 12, 2022 at 08:57 PM

KR

“ *Kevin Richard lit a candle in memory of Ms. Cathy Louise Smith*



Kevin Richard - August 12, 2022 at 06:27 PM