#### Acknowledgement

The White, Barney and Walker families express their heartfelt appreciation for your sympathy in our time of grief. Thank you for your love and support." Your thoughts and prayers after Jovonia's passing were felt by us all. Thank you for your sympathy during this time.

#### Pallbearers

CHAUNZAY WALKER ~ KEENAN AUSTIN ~ CHAUNCEY WALKER TERRELL LINDSEY ~ GEORGE HUFF ~ LEVONNE ROWAN

> Honorary Pallbearers **ADONIS WALKER**

Flowerbearers GIRVAN WARREN ~ JOSHUA WARREN

#### The Broken Chain

We little knew that morning That God would call your name *In life we loved you dearly In death we do the same* 

*It broke our hearts to lose you* You did not go alone For part of us went with you The day God called you home

You left us beautiful memories Your love is still our guide And although we cannot see you You're always by our side

Our family chain is broken *And nothing seems the same* But as God calls us one by one The chain will link again

To offer condolences to White Family, visit www.TheChapelofPeace.com











**APRIL 21, 1978 ~ JANUARY 21, 2022** 

~Service~ MONDAY, JAUNARY 31, 2022 ~ 11:00 AM New Birth Christian Ministries

> 3475 Refugee Road Columbus, Ohio

BISHOP KENNETH E. MOORE Officiating & Eulogizing Minister



Jovonia White a legal assistant for Special Counsel to the Attorney General's office and lifelong resident of Columbus, Ohio, died unexpectedly at the age of 43 on January 21, 2022 in a heartbreaking car accident.

Jovonia was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents Mattie and Willie White, maternal grandparents Delores and Anthony Barney. She is survived by her father Larry White, mother Cynthia Barney, sons Adonis, Chaunzay and daughter Jayonia Walker; brother Eric White.

Jovonia was born in East Liverpool, Ohio on April 21, 1978. She was raised in Wellsville, OH and Midland, PA where she worked for "Barnaby's" pizza shop that was owned by her mother. She learned how to work hard and cultivate a love and respect for people. She was a cheerleader at Wellsville City Schools which helped to teach her to work as a team and foster her encouraging ways. Jovonia was such a great supporter and mother. Jovonia was a member of New Birth Christian Ministries where she started on her spiritual journey.

Jovonia's beautiful life will forever be cherished in the lives and hearts of her children. Jovonia was such a bright light. She had the biggest personality and beauty that would turn heads! Jovonia had the kindest soul, she would give you the shirt off her back. Jovonia also lived for her kids, family and dearest friends. Jovonia dressed to impress, she had an infectious smile, laugh and a model walk, out of this world. You could find her with lady luck on her side at the casino!

Knowing Jovonia you knew she loved to fine dine; but managed to keep her exquisite figure. Her presence was felt in every place she went. Jovonia loved to travel as she aimed to experience the finer things in life to grow in many aspects. Fearless, strong, and honest. She remained positive no matter what she was going through.

Jovonia was an inspiration to everyone she came across. A "go getter" and was positive even in her darkest hours. She remained optimistic with her head held high. She didn't let the hardships of life keep her down. Jovonia had a spirit of gold and the wherewithal to bounce back. She had very strong faith in the lord.

Her beautiful life will forever be cherished in the lives of her children, her mother, father and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

#### Letter from Mom

Jovonia, my beautiful daughter, I love you with all my heart. I will never be the same. You took a piece of my heart with you. I will do my best to be here for your 3 amazing children you've raised. I was so, so proud of you! Jesus has you in his arms now. Our queen is now with the King! You Rest in Peace my sweet, sweet child. Love forever, Mom.





#### Dear beautiful mother,

I love you so much and I'm so thankful for having you as my mother. You made everything happen all by yourself. you're so strong, so loveable, so caring and I'm forever grateful for you. You, my wonderful mother, are so strong beyond greatness and I need you to know that you are loved, appreciated, beautiful and forever respected. I know being a teenager was stressful for you but my love for you would never change, it just grows stronger. I loved you through the good times and the bad. I'm officially lost without you. All I have are memories, good ones that make my heart feel happy and ones I wish I handled better... I pinky promise i'll make you proud mommy.

Jayonia



# Order of Celebration

#### **ORGAN PRELUDE**

**PARTING VIEW** 

SCRIPTURE READING Old Testament New Testament	Psalm 107:29
PRAYER	Minister Lawana Christian
SELECTION	Loletha Curenton
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT/CONDOLENCES	Church Trustee
REMARKS	Family & Friends
OBITUARY READING	Silently
SELECTION	Holley King
SELECTION	Loletha Curenton

## The Eulogy BISHOP KENNETH E. MOORE

BENEDICTION...... Bishop Kenneth E. Moore RECESSIONAL



I am the resurrection and the life: He that believeth in me though he were dead yet shall he live.

And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.

~John 11:25-26

### **Crossing Over**

Oh, please don't feel guilty
It was just my time to go.
I see you are still feeling sad,
And the tears just seem to flow.

We all come to earth for our lifetime, And for some it's not many years I don't want you to keep crying You are shedding so many tears.

I haven't really left you
Even though it may seem so.
I have just gone to my heavenly home,
And I'm closer to you than you know.

Just believe that when you say my name, I'm standing next to you, I know you long to see me, But there's nothing I can do.

But I'll still send you messages
And hope you understand,
That when your time comes to cross over,
I'll be there to take your hand.



























