

Acknowledgement

The family of Michelle Sweeney is extremely grateful for all acts of kindness displayed during this difficult time; whether you sent a card or flowers, spoke comforting words, lent a shoulder, whispered a prayer or simply kept us in your thoughts, we appreciate it and it has not gone unnoticed.



This day has finally arrived only wishing we could just go back in time. Your passing has been our reminder to never say never. Planning because we thought we had forever. You were the oldest to lead our cousin's tribe. We looked up to you in all of your pride.

Through all of the laughs, cries, battles, and fights you still came out with a win. You were our saving saint and that's what makes life such a beautiful place to paint. We were showed how important family is. No matter the time we spent away from each other we never forgot one another. You always brought the best music and a style that would have everyone look twice your way. No boulder could have ever been too heavy to keep you away. Your courage and persistent to be the best mother is what you lived for. In your final place of peace I know your children's protection and well being is what you prayed for.

*You will not be forgotten and your children will never forget the words you preached. For as long as you lived it was enough time to teach.
We love you Michelle!*

To offer condolences to The Sweeney Family,
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In Loving Memory Of

Michelle Denise Sweeney

MAY 3, 1973 ~ DECEMBER 21, 2020

~Service~

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2021 ~ 2:00 PM

MARLAN J. GARY FUNERAL HOME

Chapel of Peace North

**2500 Cleveland Avenue
Columbus, Ohio**

Biography of Life

Michelle Denise (Gary) Sweeney was born in Great Lakes Illinois on May 3, 1973 to the union of Willie and Sandy Gary. Her family showered her with love which was the anchor that allowed Michelle to live a joyful and prosperous life without limits.

Michelle completed her formal education at Bonanza High School in Las Vegas, NV and obtained her CRNA and LPN license in Columbus Ohio. Michelle's talents and accomplishments were many. Her tenacity made her challenges appear small. She loved and enjoyed her children dearly along with dancing, cooking, singing and building lifelong friendships. She always made time for and helping others without looking for rewards for herself.

She had that focus she learned as a child,

1. keep your eyes on the prize
2. work hard and you will obtain your goals
3. be kind to others
4. don't go to bed without learning something new that day
5. learn to love yourself

Michelle told her mother she planned to return to school to obtain her RN license and was in the process of making future plans for she and her children. She was the happiest when spending time with her children and friends. Most would never know her challenges were many because she remained active and didn't let life get her down. She was a fighter, she fought long and hard. She departed this earthly life in her home December 21,2020 surrounded by her loving children.

Willie and Sandy Gary of Las Vegas, Nevada; sister Catrina Gary of Las Vegas, Nevada; children, Terrianna Rapp, Jaylen, Jada, Amoni and Averi Bro of Columbus, Ohio; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews throughout the country.

Written by father, Willie Gary

Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDEMusic Ministry

PARTING VIEW Immediate Family

SCRIPTURE READINGClergy

Old Testament..... Psalm 23

New Testament John 14:1

PRAYER OF COMFORTClergy

READING OF OBITUARYSilently

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES

POEM Benika Price

REMARKS..... Family and Friends

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The Eulogy

ELDER JANET KIMBLE SMITH

BENEDICTION Elder Janet Kimble Smith

RECESSIONALClergy, Family, and Friends

*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