



Cheree T. Mayfield

August 23, 1980 - September 9, 2017

Benton Harbor – Cheree Tonyea Mayfield, 37, of Benton Harbor, was called to rest on Saturday, September 9, 2017, at Borgess Hospital in Kalamazoo, with her loving family present. She fought a good fight for 10 years.

Funeral services will be held Saturday September 16, 2017 at The Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church. 1105 E. Main St. Benton Harbor, MI at 10 a.m. with Pastor Carlton Lynch officiating and Rev Andrew Smith doing the eulogy. Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, immediately following the service at Crystal Springs Cemetery. Visitation will take place at the church from 9am to 10am Saturday. Memorials may be made to Liberty Dialysis, 3772 Hollywood Rd., St. Joseph, MI 49085. Arrangements are by Florin Funeral Service, 1053 E. Napier, Benton Harbor. Please send memories, messages, or photos to www.florin.net.

Cheree was born on Saturday August 23, 1980 in Flint, Michigan, the daughter of Ruth and George Mayfield. She was a devout Christian and mother of 5. A long-time member of Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church in Benton Harbor, she held many positions within the church and was a frequent speaker.

Cheree is survived by her daughters, Kanihya Brigham and Mae Lizzie Mayfield; 3 sons Frank, Matthew, and Gregory Blue, all of Kalamazoo; her

mother, Ruth Mayfield, of Benton Harbor; 1 sister Ann Mayfield; 2 uncles, Robert and Corinthian White; 4 aunts, Jean (Andrew) Smith, Erma (William) Thompson, Barbara (James) Shaw, all of Benton Harbor and Verlene (Melvin) Crawford of Lynwood, IL.

Cheree was actively involved with the Continual Praise Gospel Group, was a past member of the ROTC and was a band parent. She was considered a teacher of life who was a loving, caring, and very generous Mom. She was the very definition of “strong”. Cheree set the goals and accomplished the impossible. Additionally she loved to cook, sing, and give hugs to her babies.

Cheree was preceded in death by her father; uncle, William Robinson; and aunt, Mae Lizzie Johnson.

Cemetery Details

Crystal Springs Cemetery

1655 E Napier Ave
Benton Harbor, MI 49022

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **16.** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church
1105 E. Main
Benton Harbor, MI

Service

SEP **16.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ My prayers are with her children. They may not remember Ms Denessa but I remember their mom as a kind-hearted person that opened her home and heart to me and my family during a time of need. I remember her as a person who could always make me laugh and make life feel like one big party. So sad to hear she is gone now. Love you guys and praying for you all.

Denessa Driver - October 13, 2017 at 10:59 PM

KD

“ Kimisha Davis lit a candle in memory of Cheree T. Mayfield



Kimisha Davis - September 20, 2017 at 04:53 AM

JJ

“ To the family of Ms. Cheree Mayfield, so sorry to read about your loss. Please accept my sincere condolences. The Bible says that God will do away with everything that causes us pain and suffering.

J. Jones - September 16, 2017 at 10:16 AM

LM

“ I have never known a more stronger fighter than Cheree. She gave life her all. I am glad to have called her my friend. She is truly Heaven Strong. My love and sincerest condolences to her family and other friends. May she rest in Love.

LaPreisha McPike - September 16, 2017 at 12:41 AM

LL

“ *Ldy Dorian A. Leonard lit a candle in memory of Cheree T. Mayfield*



Ldy Dorian A. Leonard - September 14, 2017 at 02:26 PM

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“ *Thelma Thomas lit a candle in memory of Cheree T. Mayfield*



Thelma Thomas - September 13, 2017 at 01:14 PM

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“ *I hate to hear she's gone from us too soon. She was a good person and friend. She also was a joy to be around. I am the neighbor of Lavern Bethea who also knew Cheree for quite some time.*

Tiffani Young - September 13, 2017 at 11:01 AM