



## Arlean Black Towns

February 1, 1944 - January 8, 2013

Arlean Black Towns was born on February 1, 1944 in Taylor, TX, to the late Hence and Alma Black. On Tuesday, January 8, 2013 at Johns Hopkins Hospital, God called her home to be with Him. Arlean received her high school education at O.L. Price High School in Taylor, TX. She went on to further her studies at Houston-Tillotson College in Austin, TX, and Wor~Wic Community College in Salisbury, MD, where she received her Associates Degree in Nursing. Early in 1964 she met Clyde M. Towns, Sr. at a baseball field in Austin, TX, and on November 22, 1964, they were wed. From this union, two sons were born. They traveled to several states in the U.S. and also lived for a time in England, eventually settling in Delmar, MD with their family.

Arlean dedicated over 20 years to Nanticoke Memorial Hospital where she started as an LPN and later became an RN. Arlean enjoyed spending time with her family, in particular, her precious great-granddaughter, Ahliya, and she was also passionate about cooking, baking, shopping, and collecting elegant hats and jewelry.

Arlean was preceded in death by two sisters; Dorothy Brown and Lenora

Carter, and one brother, Willie Black, all of Austin, TX. Arlean leaves to cherish her loving memories, her husband of 48 years, Clyde M. Towns, Sr. of Delmar, MD, two sons; Kenneth Towns (Kysha) and Clyde M. Towns, Jr., both of Delmar, MD, one sister, Florene Brown of Austin, TX, two brothers; Hence Black, Jr. and Herman Black, both of Austin, TX, three granddaughters; Devony and Shae Towns and Tyneisha Gattis, four grandsons; Zachary and Trey Towns and Kevin and Kavon Trader, one great-granddaughter, Ahliya Gillespie, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends

# Tribute Wall

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“*May the "God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our tribulation," help your family cope with this great loss. May it bring you a measure of comfort to know that Arlean will be dearly missed by many. 2 Cor. 1:3,4*

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**M. Starke** - January 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM