



## Audrey Grace Price

April 19, 1966 - February 2, 2025

You are not forgotten, loved one  
Nor will you ever be;  
As Long as Life and Memory Last  
We Will Remember Thee.

Audrey Grace Price, the daughter of the late Harris VonRussell Purnell, Sr and Addie Johnson Purnell, was born on April 19, 1966 in Newark, MD. She gained her wings at the age of fifty-eight (58) and departed this life on Sunday, February 2, 2025 at her home in Salisbury, MD.

Audrey received her formal education in the public schools of Wicomico County. She was a proud graduate of Wicomico Senior High School, Class of 1984 where she was involved in DECA and during her Senior Year, she was a part of the Homecoming Court. She attended classes at Wor Wic Community College where she studied Business Administration.

Audrey held various jobs throughout her lifetime to include the Chase Bank of Maryland, Bank of Delmarva, Manager at Rite Aid and assisting her parents with their Airport Baggage Business.

On June 16, 2003, Audrey married Joseph Price in a private ceremony in Las Vegas, NV.

Audrey was a member of St. James A.M.E. Zion Church in Salisbury, MD where she was baptized by the Reverend Dr. M. Luther Hill, but on many Sundays, you could find her in the congregation of Emmanuel Church in

Salisbury, MD where she enjoyed the service and activities.

Audrey possessed a loving, kind and jovial spirit. Her love for family and friends was felt on many occasions, especially when she hosted Thanksgiving Dinner each year. She would start gathering items early in preparation for a day of food, fun and fellowship.

Audrey's happiest moments were the birth of her children and grandchildren. Spending quality time with her grandchildren, whom she loved unconditionally, Audrey wanted nothing more than their happiness. They were her life and brought nothing but joy to her soul.

Audrey held a special bond with many of her Nieces, Nephews, Great Nieces, Great Nephews, God Children, Brionna Thompson, Tahira Roberts and Kenuway Jones and a Special Bonus Brother, Peter Conti-Brown.

In addition to her husband, Joseph Price, she leaves to cherish fond memories: her children, Don Sample, Jr. and Jasmin Price (Trenell Boyd); her mother, Addie Purnell; five grandchildren, Isabella, Maddox and Sidney Sample and Legend and Legaci Boyd; her siblings, Frank, Harris, Jr., Starr and Douglas, Sr. (Lisa) Purnell and a host of Aunts, Uncles, Cousins, Father-in-Law, Jerry Price, other relative and close friends.

Audrey was preceded in death by: her father, Harris Purnell, Sr.; her maternal grandparents, Walter and Margie Johnson; paternal grandparents, Preston and Amanda Cherry and George T. Purnell and her mother-in-law, Viola Price.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Emmanuel Church  
217 Beaglin Park Dr  
Salisbury, MD 21804

## Funeral Service

FEB 18. 12:00 PM (ET)

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217 Beaglin Park Dr  
Salisbury, MD 21804

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bennie Smith Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Audrey Grace Price*



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**Bennie Smith Funeral Home** - February 18, 2025 at 04:31 PM



“ *Bennie Smith Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Audrey Grace Price*



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**Bennie Smith Funeral Home** - February 18, 2025 at 12:07 PM



“ *To my Purnell family may God grant you the peace and strength each and everyday. Remember the great memories you shared with Audrey. I will always remember my great times we shared together from the time she was born until she became an adult. Love you all. Debbie Fields*

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**Debbie Fields** - February 18, 2025 at 10:56 AM

HE

“ Helen sent a virtual gift in memory of Audrey Grace Price



Helen - February 17, 2025 at 09:40 PM

LP

“ Love Ty and P planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Audrey Grace Price.

Love Ty and P - February 17, 2025 at 04:52 PM

LP

“ Love Ty and P purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Audrey Grace Price.



Love Ty and P - February 17, 2025 at 04:52 PM

SF

“ SIDNEY, IVY and Chatman Family purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Audrey Grace Price.



SIDNEY, IVY and Chatman Family - February 17, 2025 at 01:12 PM

KO

“ Kea, Kayla, Pamela, Aland OJ planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Audrey Grace Price.

Kea, Kayla, Pamela, Aland OJ - February 16, 2025 at 11:11 PM

KO

“ Kea, Kayla, Pamela, Aland OJ purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Audrey Grace Price.



Kea, Kayla, Pamela, Aland OJ - February 16, 2025 at 11:11 PM

CV

“ To the family, may God keep you all in loving peace as you mourn the loss of your love one. Audrey was a shining light, she will be forever remembered. Keep her memories close to your heart.



Cheryl McAllister. Suffolk Va. - February 16, 2025 at 01:19 PM

GM

“ Starr to you and your family Earth has no Sorry that Heaven can't Heal!



Greta Meadows - February 16, 2025 at 09:24 AM

AM

“ I’m so sorry Audrey passed. I pray God gives all Audrey’s family and friends peace and comfort daily. I miss you Sis. I pray you rest well. God loved you best. Michelle ❤️

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**Annette Michelle** - February 15, 2025 at 11:32 PM

AV

“ My deepest sympathy to the family. May God comfort you all in your time of sorrow. God Bless

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**Andrea Vernon** - February 15, 2025 at 09:44 PM

MC

“ Audrey Grace, my (Graceland). We have not spoken much or seen much of one another in the past few years. I regret that cause we use to ct up, listen to Jahiem. You gave me my appreciation for Toni Braxton. Thank you. I saw first hand how much you loved your kids. I used to joke and call you mother of te year cause you always wanted to give me advice. I will hold on to our running joke, how we would race to the grocery store and buy up all the Ketchup Chips from one another, Just know that Mechelle (as you called me) will always treasure our memories.

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**Michele Conway** - February 14, 2025 at 12:04 AM

CJ

“ Sending my condolences to the Purnell and Price family.



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**Cheyra Johnson** - February 13, 2025 at 05:35 PM

CR

“ Sending my thoughts and prayers for my classmates family. God wrap your arms around each and everyone of them and give them strength.

Love from Andre and Clarissa Reid

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**Clarissa Reid** - February 10, 2025 at 03:39 PM

SH

“ Sending our thoughts and Prayers to Mrs.Addie Joe & Jasmine and the family I shared some great times with Audrey Earth has no sorry that heaven can't heal 🙏🙏🙏

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**Selina Hopkins** - February 10, 2025 at 03:22 PM

EW

“ Sending my condolences to the Purnell and Price Family take one day at a time praying for healing 🙏



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**Elsie Wallace** - February 09, 2025 at 01:10 PM

AJ

“ My Condolences to the Purnell/Price family, My Childhood Best friend,Audrey we have so many memories that will never be forgotten. So Until we meet again REST EASY 🥹💔💜🖤

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**Anita Jones** - February 07, 2025 at 06:08 PM

RH

“ *My Classmate, My friend you will missed so dearly. A lot of memories will kept close to my heart. Prayers to the family.* ”



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**Ronald Hull** - February 07, 2025 at 12:02 PM

TW

“ *My deepest condolences to the Price and Purnell families on the loss of your beloved Audrey. Sending you prayers of strength, comfort, and peace during this unimaginably difficult time.* ”

*Sorrowfully Submitted  
Tinya White-Taylor*

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**TINYA WHITE-TAYLOR** - February 07, 2025 at 11:53 AM

NW

*My condolences to Mrs. Addie, the family and friends of Audrey. I will remember the good times on the Vacation club bus trips and spending time with the family. Rest peacefully*

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**Nina Wallace** - February 10, 2025 at 05:50 PM

SM

*I am deeply saddened to hear about Audrey Grace Price's passing. During this challenging time, my heart goes out to the Purnell and Price families. She will be deeply missed, but her love and light will always remain in the hearts of those who knew her.*

*Please know that I am keeping you in my thoughts and prayers. May you find comfort in the love of those around you and the cherished memories you share.*

*Rest in peace, Audrey. You will never be forgotten.*

*Sharon Malone*

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**Sharon Malone** - February 12, 2025 at 06:37 AM

BK

“ *Brian, Lori and Bubba Kelly purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Audrey Grace Price.*



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**Brian, Lori and Bubba Kelly** - February 06, 2025 at 09:17 PM

AR

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family. Sending prayers of comfort.*

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**Ardeen Rhock** - February 06, 2025 at 06:57 PM

JW

“ *Sending my condolences to the family and praying God will give her kids the strength.*



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**Jill Way** - February 06, 2025 at 05:17 PM

CF

“ *Calvin&Sheila Harmon Sr. And Family lit a candle in memory of Audrey Grace Price*



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**Calvin&Sheila Harmon Sr. and family** - February 06, 2025 at 03:02 PM

TW

“ *Sorry For Your Loss*



Thomas Widgeon - February 06, 2025 at 01:45 PM

DE

“ *My condolences to my neighbor whom I consider my sister, we grew up together from childhood to adulthood you will be missed. R.I.P*

Debbie - February 06, 2025 at 01:01 PM

WR

*Our condolences to Ms. Addie and the Family. Praying for your comfort and strength during this difficult time of Breavement.*

Wayne & Aundra( "Pinky") Roberts - February 12, 2025 at 11:58 AM

LG

“ *Our hearts hurts knowing that a young lady with a heart of gold has left this world, but god had other plans. No more suffering, no more pain. She has gained her wings. Family you have our deepest condolences and prayer's,*

LEE&JEANNETTE GARDNER - February 06, 2025 at 08:40 AM

GD

*To the Family of such a wonderful and dear loved one. May your memories always fill the emptiness left from your loss. Hold on to God's unchanging hands, while taking all the time to heal. Rest in Paradise Forever, Audrey!!! Saddened, Ms.Candi and Family.*

Gloria DeShields - February 09, 2025 at 07:52 AM

JJ

*Sending my heartfelt condolences and prayers for the family.. Audrey will be greatly missed.. May God comfort, strengthen and heal you all in his time..For I the Lord God will never leave you alone nor forsake you..Loving Memories , Prayers and Sympathy  
——- Minister Jennifer Jones*

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**Jennifer Jones** - February 11, 2025 at 10:02 AM

AS

*To the Purnell and Price Family, sorry for your loss. Audrey was a beautiful person inside and out. She was my neighbor and I still got to see her and talk to her whenever I came home, it was like we just left off from the times when we grew up in the neighborhood. You will be missed. Praying for the family and their peace.*

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**Amanda Showell** - February 15, 2025 at 07:55 PM

DA

*Sending my deepest condolences and prayers to your family . Audrey you will be greatly missed .May god comfort and strengthen your family in this difficult time. I will continue to keep your family in my prayers. I know my friend has gained another Angel please watch over her and guide her.*

*Dawn Andrews*

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**Dawn Andrews** - February 18, 2025 at 10:31 AM