



## Jennifer Carpenter

June 11, 1960 - May 5, 2017

### “Reflections of Jennifer’s Life”

Jennifer Lynn Carpenter, daughter of the late Arthur, Jr. and Winnie Carpenter, was born on June 11, 1960 in Salisbury, Maryland. The chimes of time called for her to depart this life on Friday, May 5, 2017.

Jennifer received her formal education in the Accomack County public school system. After graduating high school in 1978, she obtained an Associates degree in Fashion Merchandising from National Business College. Later, displaying perseverance and persistence despite all obstacles, in 2005 she obtained her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Maryland Eastern Shore in Princess Anne, Maryland, where she was also employed for a tenure of over 30 years. Discouragements and impossibilities were never a threat—it is this that distinguished her strong soul from the weak.

Jennifer was a devoted mother, sister and aunt. Her most thrilling hobby was shopping. It was always “Shoe O’clock” somewhere; nothing haunted her more than an item she didn’t buy. She was an avid reader and had a special interest in watching sports. Jennifer loved her self, the Lord and always found refuge in the Lord’s house. She was saved, sanctified, filled with the Holy Ghost and baptized in Jesus’ Name.

Reflection on Jennifer's life encompasses faith, beauty, companionship, loyalty, peace, and love. She saw the miracle of spring, the friction of summer and the beauty of autumn followed by the repasses of winter. She knew and understood why GOD was accepting her into His kingdom.

Jennifer leaves to cherish her memory: two faithful sons, Travis Carpenter (Hope) and Corey Carpenter-Handy(Desirae); one devoted sister, Laverne Grantt (James); two nieces, LaToya Williams and Shenika Lewis; one great nephew, Tamaue' Hammond; one great niece of whom she was very fond, Mahalo Johnson; special companion, Hank Handy III and devoted mother figure, "Mom Ruby" Handy; two aunts, Lillie Jackson and Mary Lou Purcell; one brotherly figure, George Christopher; friends for whom she had great fondness, Sherema Copes, Jennifer Jones, Benita Miller and a host of other extended family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her twin brother, Jeffery Carpenter.

To God be the glory for the life she lived, and all with whom she shared it.



Lovingly Submitted  
The Family

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest sympathy to the Carpenter family. Sorry to hear of the passing of one of our classmates. May God strengthen the family.*

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**Faultine Watson Rodgers** - May 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RT

“ *Have not seen that face in a long time. God knows what He is doing. I pray for the family's lost.*

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**Rudolph Tull** - May 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your loved one. Please take comfort in the bible during your time of grief. At Acts 24:15, it says that the dead will be resurrected. Also, Revelation 21:4 tells us that soon death, sickness and pain will soon be gone. Please look forward to that time. Until then, may the God of all comfort grant you and you family peace.*

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**Doretha Sampson** - May 13, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ *To the Carpenter Family, you have our heartfelt condolences. You will always be in our prayers. We are praying that each day you will be stronger and keep your trust in God for our lives are in his hands. God bless you!*

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**Ethel Conquest & Family** - May 13, 2017 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ My deepest condolences for the loss of your dear loved one. While nothing will completely take away your grief by meditating on Gods promises found in the Bible you can find real hope and the strength to keep going. My family and I have found the scripture at Isaiah 25:8 to be especially comforting. Here it promises that God "will swallow up death forever and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces."

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**H. Fields** - May 12, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the family and friends of Jennifer Carpenter  
I am doing a public service in behalf of families that have lost a loved one in death. Death is one of the hardest experiences we will encounter in our lives. It breaks into our lives and robs us of those who we loved. Please be assured that Our Heavenly Father, Jehovah(Psalms 83:18) feels for you while you are grieving over the loss of your loved one. Psalms 55:22 encourages us to “throw your burden on Jehovah and He will sustain you”. A promise from Jehovah God is found at Revelation 21:4 “And He (Jehovah) will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be nor more, neither will mourning, nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.” May our Loving Heavenly Father, Jehovah continue to give you and your family comfort in the days ahead.

Sincerely,

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**N Graham (Alameda,CA)** - May 12, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Prayers and condolences to the family. I have fond memories of Jennifer and her brother Jeff "Bob Hope" as we referred to him "back in the day". Both of them were really good friends of my brother Mal "Lang" ... so I was in their company a lot. Mostly I remember her quick wit and sense of humor. Gone too soon ---but to a much better place

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**Cindy Milburn Riffert** - May 11, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GT

“ My condolences.

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**Garry Tull** - May 11, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ My sincere condolences of the passing of your mother and sister. Please know that you're in my thoughts and prayers and may she rest in peace and rise in glory. I'm wishing you and your family peace, comfort and courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts.

Love you,

Rachel, Keyanna & Airee

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**Rachel Conner Watson** - May 10, 2017 at 12:00 AM