



Laura Ann Austin

November 24, 1951 - January 16, 2019

Laura Ann Austin, departed this life on January 16, 2019, at the Manor Care Nursing/Hospice Home in Towson, Maryland. She was 67 years old.

Born November 24, 1951, at the Easton Memorial Hospital, she was the only child of the late Edith Rachel Turner Austin and Clinton Hayward Austin.

Laura Ann, as she was known, graduated from St. Michaels High School, Talbot County, and received her B.A. degree from Bowie State College, now University. After graduation, she went to Harford County, Maryland, where she taught school for 10 years. Laura later taught in the Baltimore City Schools and later worked for the Afro-American newspaper, the State of Maryland, Chesapeake College, the Head Start program, the U.S. Census Bureau, the Talbot County Election Board and as a substitute teacher in Dorchester and Talbot Counties.

Laura was a member of St. Luke United Methodist Church, Bellevue, and compiled much information about local history and culture of Bellevue, Talbot County, and the Turner family seafood business. She had a beautiful voice and played the piano.

To those who knew her, Laura was exceptionally creative, generous, and civic-minded. She enjoyed dispensing information to clients while working in

state and federal government positions and showed a strong interest in politics, law and justice.

Known by all for her steadfast devotion to her sick mother, Laura Ann stopped regular employment to care for her.

Laura's final days were spent as a resident of the Manor Care Nursing/Hospice Home in Towson, after her stay at the University of Maryland Medical Center.

Laura Ann is survived by two aunts, Bertha Turner of Lewes, DE and Charlotte Turner of Baltimore, MD; several cousins, Regina Turner Barclay of Indianapolis, IN, Edzel Turner and wife Lillian of Bellevue, Hampton Turner and wife Janet of Bellevue, Hilbert Turner of Royal Oak, John Turner of Washington, D.C., Calvin Austin of McDonough, GA, Leona Redfield of Philadelphia, PA, Louise Gardner and Yolanda Turner of Bellevue; and a host of other relatives and beloved friends.

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“ , Please accept my heartfelt sympathies for your loss. God said, \u201cLike a man whom his own mother keeps comforting, so I myself shall keep comforting you people.\u201d Isaiah 66:13.
Sherry

January 31, 2019 at 02:06 PM



“ 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."

H. Fields - January 28, 2019 at 12:41 PM



“ Sorry For Your Loss Jesus Christ Loves Me We Love You

Thomas Widgeon - January 24, 2019 at 06:01 PM



“ Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one. May the wonderful memories of your loved one continue to provide a measure of comfort to you until God\u2019s promise is fulfilled at Matthews 5: 5.

joyceA - January 24, 2019 at 03:01 PM

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“ Sorry for the passing of your love one. Read Isaiah 41:10 for words of comfort and peace.

Irene - January 24, 2019 at 10:48 AM

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“ To the Austin and Turner family we share your grief today in the home going of Laura Ann. 1st Corinthians 15:51 Listen, I tellyou a mystery: We will not all sleep, but in the moment, we shall all be changed. Laura now rest from all the pains of this world.Friend / School MatesMary Smith Stanley

Mary Elliott-Stanley - January 23, 2019 at 11:30 PM