



## Valerie Fontaine

October 18, 1970 - September 11, 2017

Valerie Denise Taylor-Fontaine, the daughter of Arthur Taylor and Frances Taylor, was born on October 18, 1970 in Salisbury, Maryland .

Valerie was educated in the Somerset County school system. She was a proud graduate of Washington High School Class of 1989.

She was employed by Tischon Corporation as a machine operator. Valerie also worked for SHORE UP! Inc. Family Support Center as a van driver and the Worcester County Health Department as a Medical Transportation Assistant until the time of her death.

Valerie departed this life on September 11, 2017 at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, Florida. “Val” better known as “Smooth V” knew how to make it rain. She made it rain with her laughter and love. Whenever she came into your presence, there was never a dull moment, as she said what she meant and meant exactly what she said. She touched the lives of many with her sound advice, quick wit and effortless humor.

Val was compassionate, generous and always had a positive out look on life. She loved basketball and every one knew she loved LeBron James and the Cleveland Cavaliers.

She leaves to mourn: her loving and devoted husband, John Fontaine, better known as “Baby John”; a loving son, Jon’té Fontaine; her parents, Arthur “June” and Frances Taylor; a brother, Van Taylor (Jessica); a nephew, Van, Jr.; father-in-law, John Fontaine; mother-in-law, Brenda (David) White; brothers-in-law Travis Wittington, Christopher (LaToya) Vann, Dominic Fontaine and John Fontaine Jr; sisters-in-law Je’nae (Juan) Little and Adriane McLean; a devoted friend Teina “TinaBug” Fontaine Veney and several uncles, aunts, cousins and friends.

Val was preceded in death by her maternal and paternal grandparents, Arthur, Sr. and Ella Taylor, James, Sr. and Gertrude Jones.

Because its so hard to say good bye, we say see you later.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Valerie Fontaine, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

# Tribute Wall

GJ

“ 🙏 Take hold of the memories to carry you from day to day. Grab ahold of God's unchanging hand when you need someone to be by your side and no one is present. Remember God is always there just reach out your hand or call on His name and He will comfort you. God Bless! 🙏

GJones - October 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ I was utterly shocked to receive the news about Val. To her family and friends, hold on to the fond memories that you have of her, it's not going to be easy to bear this pain, but hang in there together and hold on to each other for comfort. We all remember, Val was an outgoing, hilarious, and kind person, I'm glad to have worked with her and known her. Val could have you laughing about the least little thing, she was so funny, and she loved her husband, son, mom, and dad very much. RIP, Val, you will never be forgotten.

Sheila Harmon - September 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ I would like to offer my condolences for your loss. I hope you will find comfort in knowing that Jehovah, the God of all comfort, will soon eliminate all grief and provide permanent consolation when “all those in the memorial tombs will hear [Christ's] voice and come out”! (John 5:28, 29) God promises that “he will do away with death forever, and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces.” (Isa. 25:8) Then, instead of having to “weep with those who weep,” all earth's inhabitants will “rejoice with those who rejoice.”—Rom. 12:15.

M Jones - September 18, 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** - September 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ I am honored and blessed to have known Valerie Fontaine. She was truly a blessing in our lives and we will miss her. Our condolences.

*Lisa, Andy, A.J, Ariel & Jordan*

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**Lisa Truitt-Timmons** - September 15, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ I would like to offer my personal condolences to your family. I hope that you will be able find strength in Gods promise at Revelation 21:4 that soon: he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away. You are in my thoughts and prayers and once more I am deeply sorry for your familys loss.

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**JoyceA** - September 14, 2017 at 12:00 AM