

PALLBEARERS
 R. Khadji Hunt Todd Smith
 DeWaun Driver Rudie Kirkland
 Brian Hunt Jr. Mark Ford
 Vince Hodges Roderick Hunt

HONORARY PALLBEARERS
 Donathan Hunt Donald Lawrence
 Dezmund Hodges David Thomas, Jr.
 S. Paul Lockhart, Jr. William White
 William Billups Jr.

FLOWER BEARERS
 Friends and Family

INTERMENT
Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens
 17840 Middlebelt Rd., Livonia, MI

ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO



O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF APPRECIATION

To each of you who smiled with us during happy times, visited during lonely times, cried during sad times, prayed for us during these trying days of bereavement; the family of Natalie Nicole Hunt Lawrence will always be grateful. Please keep us in constant prayer that the Lord will give us strength to face the days ahead. More personal acknowledgment will be made at a later date. May God's abundance of blessings be yours. Special acknowledgment of Maurice McElway and the McElway Family.

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Sunrise: October 30, 1973 - Sunset: September 13, 2009

*Celebrating
 The Life
 Of*



NATALIE (NICKIE)

Aunt - Lawrence

Saturday, September 19, 2009
 12 Noon Family Hour • 12:30 P.M. Home Going

In The Chapel Of
O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
 17600 Plymouth Rd. • Detroit, MI 48227

The Obituary

Natalie Nicole Hunt-Lawrence was born on October 30, 1973 in Detroit, Michigan. She was educated in the Detroit Public Schools system and graduated from McKenzie High School. Natalie furthered her education by receiving a Bachelor Of Science Degree from the University of Phoenix.

Natalie accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior at an early age. She became a member of Sanctuary Fellowship Baptist Church where she remained under the leadership of Rev. Dr. Keith L. Whitney.

Natalie (*Nickie as she was affectionately known*), expressed her creativity by being a hairstylist; she enjoyed doing hair for her grandmother, mother, aunts, cousins, friends and others. She also could make a "mean" batch of macaroni and cheese, the recipe she inherited from her mother.

She had a charismatic personality that always put a smile on the faces of family and friends. She fell in love and entered into holy matrimony with Bruce Lawrence. This union was blessed to include three beautiful children. Natalie was a strong nurturing mother and a lovely wife.

After fighting the battle of a lengthy illness this "strong soldier's" beautiful life came to a quiet end on Sunday, September 13, 2009 in Providence Hospital.

Natalie leaves to cherish her memory: a husband, Bruce; two daughters, Brianna and Niyah; one son, Jeremiah; parents, Rose and Miller; two brothers, Donathan of Savannah, GA and Dezmund of Queen Creek, AZ; in-laws, Bruce and Lisa; brother-in-law, Donald; sister-in-law, Verchele; three wonderful grandparents, Mary Hunt and Willie and Mary Lawrence; aunts and uncles, Robert (Jeanie), Paula, Sherry (TR), Brian (Janet), Vida, Karen, Verdetta (Donald), Bernard (Darnice), Tony (Pam), Kevin (Verdella), Michelle and Ossie Garrett; three nieces, Lyric, Jayzmen and Zoie. Also her godmother, Natalie Gilbert; two special cousins, Carla Hunt and Alexandria Billups; special friends, Jodie, Ashanti, Nytosha, Diane and Mika; another "daughter" Jasmine; and a host of great-aunts, great-uncles, cousins and friends.

From Husband to Wife

Natalie you were very special to me charming, happy, helpful, and cheerful. Natalie you gave birth to 3 beautiful children. First Brianna Marie now 16 years old, Niyah Nicole 5 years old and our one and only boy Jeremiah Donnell who just turned one. You were a giving person who would do for any and all. You married me on December 28, 2005 and chose to make it our little secret, then we renewed our vows on April 15, 2006 and did it up! Natalie you will be greatly missed, but not forgotten. You will always be "remembered, because you were the special woman that I married. I will always love you. - Bruce



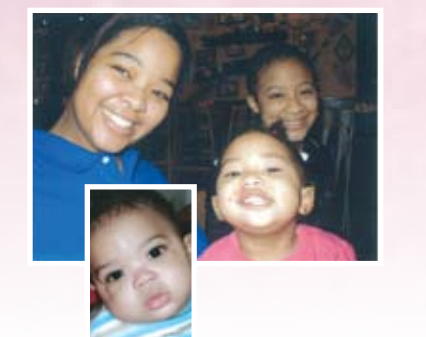
God is good and remember this for no one but He,
 Can really know what's best for us -
 Or why some things must be.
 He knows just why the winds must blow
 Or why the rain must fall,
 And in a gracious, loving way He cares about us all.
 And when we're faced with mysteries
 That can't be understood, through living faith,
 And faith alone, we know that God is good.
Love, Mom, Dad, Don and Dez



You were my best friend and the best mother one could ever have. The times spent with you and the memories of you will never be forgotten. I am so glad for the relationship we shared. There will always be a special place in my heart where you will forever remain.
Love your 1st born, Brianna



No More
 No more IV's
 No more medicine
 No more feeding tubes
 No more procedures
 No more late night phone calls
 No more sleepless nights
 The Lord healed now
 I'm finally free
 For I am with the King.
*Love you,
 Lil sis, Ms. Verchele L. Lawrence*



Order Of Service

- Organ Prelude
- Processional
- Old Testament Minister Bernard Maing
Asst. Pastor, Greater Grace Temple
- New Testament..... Minister Todd Smith
- Prayer Rev. Dr. Keith L. Whitney
Pastor Sanctuary Fellowship Baptist Church
- Song Ryan Bagley
- Acknowledgment of Cards
and Condolences Shalonda Hunt
Latasha Scott, Jodie Conerly or Natalie Gilbert
- Remarks Bruce Lawrence Sr.
Robert K. Hunt
Rev. Jay Gregory
- Song Pastor Roger Hunt and Mrs. Sheila Thomas
- Obituary Carla Hunt
- Liturgical Dance..... Sonya Molette
- Eulogy Pastor Maxine Gray
Shepherds Heart Church in Cincinnati, OH
- Recessional
- Organ Postlude

I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. - St. John 11:25-26