

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Flower Bearers

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Interment

Private

Acknowledgement

The family of Meredith Denise Camp would like to thank everyone for their kind expressions. Your phone calls, visits, flowers, thoughts, and prayers have all helped greatly during our time of bereavement. May God continue to bless each of you, is our prayer.

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IN Loving
Memory OF



Meredith
DENISE CAMP

Sunrise
July 11, 1960

Saturday, June 3, 2023
2:00 PM

Sunset
May 16, 2023

GOSPEL LIGHT CHURCH
1712 West Ontario Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19140

Pastor Larry Cutner, Officiating

Obituary

Meredith Denise Camp, also known as “Mert”, was born on July 11, 1960, to William Henry Camp and Ora Lee Camp (Hines) in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Meredith was educated in the Philadelphia public school system. She attended Pratt-Arnold Elementary School, Thomas Fitzsimons Junior High School, and Philadelphia High School for Girls, where she graduated in 1978. Four years later, in 1982, she graduated with a degree in Business from Penn State University. She furthered her education at Philadelphia OIC, where she trained in a new direction in education. She then got her Master’s degree in Education from Cheney University. From the beginning to college she had perfect attendance in school, not missing a single day. Education was always a staple in her childhood home, and she chose to walk in the footsteps of her Godmother, Elaine Bussey, and became a schoolteacher. From the mid ‘80s, until her retirement, she taught and tutored many children, their children, and a few family members in the Philadelphia area. Meredith had her own technique of teaching that made her the hardest yet friendliest teacher. She would take substantial amounts of her personal money to decorate her classroom and buy additional learning materials. The students would play intellectual games to learn subject matter and pique their interest. She also had her nephews help her on field trips in order to ensure that the children had enough chaperones when their parents couldn’t make it. This made sure the trips were successful and safe.

The holidays were her favorite time, especially Christmas, which she made sure happened without a hitch. No one missed a birthday on her watch. Many in the neighborhood knew her as the lady who sits on the steps and reads books. The steps were also her stage to get into intellectual arguments with friends and family, especially William Reynolds, her favorite target. When not on the steps, she was collecting and going to the movies, which was her favorite pastime. Many days she would say, “Let’s go to the movies. I didn’t ask how much money you have. Let’s go!” In her lifetime she accumulated an abundance of fun and knowledge which she always shared. All this activity led to the phrase, “Mert always got your back.”

Meredith leaves behind to cherish her memory: her sister, Kemberly Camp; brother, William Darryl Camp; aunt, Mary Stubbs; niece, Kiststen Abi; nephews, Corey, Jeff, Brandon, and Cortez; and a host of great-nephews and nieces and all the extended family she picked up over the years.

Order of Service

HYMN

Sweet Hour of Prayer

PRAYER OF COMFORT

Elder Edward Marshall

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament - *Psalms 23*

New Testament - *John 11:25-26*

PRAYER OF COMFORT

REMARKS

Two Minutes, Please

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SELECTION

EULOGY

Pastor Larry Cutner

Gospel Light Tabernacle

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