



**A Celebration of Life
First Christian Church
Tuesday, November 5, 2024, at 10:30 AM**



Processional: music played by Michelle King

Welcome & Invocation: Elder Engel Yoder

Scripture Reading Isaiah 1:18: Leotis Pulliam
(Shirley's brother)

Reading of Obituary: Barbara Diane Johnson
(Shirley's sister)

Song: "Lord, Do It For Me" sung by Michelle King

Eulogy: 1st speaker Elder Engel Yoder

Song: "Sadie" sung by Michelle King
(*"Shirley" requested by husband Ray*)

Eulogy: 2nd speaker Pastor Eli Fuentes

Song Service: Congregation
Hymns: "Let Every Lamp Be Burning"
"O When Shall I See Jesus"
"Praise Him! Praise Him"
(*congregation stands for final hymn*)

Benediction: Pastor Eli Fuentes

Recessional: music played by Michelle King

Memorial Donations

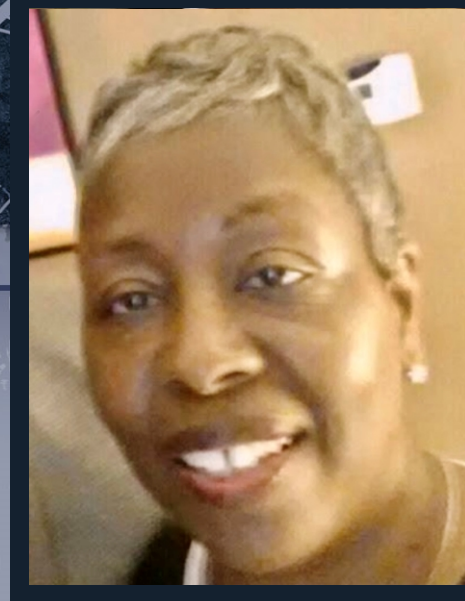
Memorial donations can be made payable to Stockham Family Funeral Home to go towards funeral expenses.

Appreciation & Luncheon

Shirley's family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and your presence at this service.

Following the graveside service, the family invites all back to the church for food and fellowship.

Stockham Family Funeral Home



In Loving Memory
Shirley Ann Gibbs

November 20, 1956 - October 25, 2024

Hope Strength

A Celebration of Life *Shirley Ann Gibbs*

Shirley Ann Gibbs was born on November 20, 1956, in Gary, IN, the oldest of seven children born to Arrie Louise Pulliam. Shirley went to sleep in Jesus on October 25, 2024, after battling small bowel cancer for two years. She was 67 years of age.

Shirley was raised in Hayti, MO, graduating from Hayti High School in 1974. She attended McPherson College where she met her future husband, Ray Gibbs. The two were joined in marriage on April 28, 1979, the parents of three children: LyChelle, Eryka, and Raymond II. Shirley worked for several years at Sterling Drug and stayed with the company through all of its name changes, retiring early when the company was called Hospira. Even after this first retirement, she worked a few other jobs before retiring again from Farmers Alliance. Shirley was a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, McPherson. Wherever she was, whether at church or at work or out in public, she ministered with her singing.

Shirley is survived by husband Ray Gibbs; daughter LyChelle Lawrence (Joel); son Raymond Gibbs II, all of McPherson, KS; brother Leotis Pulliam (Alfreida) of Tampa, FL; sisters Paulette Johnson and Barbara Diane Johnson, both of Columbia, MO; brother Patrick Pulliam of Kennett, MO; and brother Samuel Johnson of St. Louis, MO; as well as seven grandchildren and innumerable nephews and nieces. She is preceded in death by her grandmother Vinnie Johnson; her mother Arrie Louise Pulliam; her brother Walter Pulliam; and her daughter Eryka Gibbs.



Shirley Ann Gibbs NOVEMBER 20, 1956 ~ OCTOBER 25, 2024

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