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## Memorial Service For Candace Michele Griffin



May 20, 2013
11:00am
Dr. James L.E. Hunt, Pastor

## Order of Service

Hymn

Scripture:

**Old Testament** 

New Testament

Prayer:

**Obituary:** 

Read Silently

Family Reflections:

Erica Dameron

Song:

**NBWC** Mass Choir

**Words of Comfort** 

Dr. James L.E. Hunt

Benediction

## Obituary

Candace Michele Griffin was born April 26, 1971 in Queens New York, the only child of Eliana Phillips and the late Lavelle Griffin. Mother and daughter relocated to NC. Candace was raised there by her mother and stepfather Rory Phillips and would continue to reside there until her untimely passing on May 12, 2013.

During her life Candace was a natural caretaker. She was always open to listen to a problem, offer a shoulder to lean on or lend her point of view. These nurturing habits also manifested in her career choice as well. Candace attended schools in the NC Public School system during her elementary and secondary years. Afterwards, she attended Forsyth Technical Community College in Winston-Salem, where upon completion of her studies, she became a Certified Nurses Assistant. She worked in this capacity at Forsyth Memorial Hospital as well as several nursing home facilities up until such time that her illness necessitated her early retirement.

Candace's focus would later shift to nurturing a contented personal life filled with the love of her family and friends. She and her life partner Marvin Wardlow dedicated themselves to the happy task of raising two girls, and proudly Candace had become a grandmother for the first time in December of 2011.

Gone too soon, Candace leaves to cherish her memory her mother Eliana Phillips, her stepfather Rory Phillips, her partner of thirteen years Marvin Wardlow, her daughters Jasmine Moore and Alicia Wardlow, a grandson Erik Turner, and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and close friends.