



## Sheila Annette Bass

April 13, 1963 - October 2, 2021

Sheila Annette Bass (née Trice), also known as Sheay, was born April 13, 1963, to the late Rebecca Trice (née Tyler) and late Otis Trice Sr. She is survived by her husband Matthew Bass. Although she did not have any biological children of her own, she had plenty of cats, Gizmo, Rusty and Dusty to name a few. She is predeceased by her brothers Hobert Tyler, Charles Tyler and Maurice Trice and sister Betty Ann Trice. Sheila attended Hempstead Public School systems and met the love of her life, Matthew, at Hempstead High School where she graduated in 1981. She later went on to attend Norfolk State University in Norfolk, Virginia, which she couldn't finish due to her battle with Diabetes. She was employed by Meyers, Suozzi, English & Klein Law Firm as a Legal Secretary. She was a member of New Jerusalem UPCOG, where she served as a missionary who always had an uplifting Sunday reading. Sheila was loved by all who encountered her. She was so full of life and ready

to  
celebrate with anyone for their accomplishments no matter how big or small.  
She loved  
to travel, bake, shop and eat ice cream with baileys. She was the mastermind  
of that  
massive Christmas tree on 90 Maple that had a gift under it for every kid in the  
family  
along with the snoring Santa, her many knitted blankets for all the new babies,  
and all the family holiday parties. She and Matthew were famous for hosting  
the Annual Family  
BBQ at their Uniondale home. The BBQ that everyone looked forward to  
because of her  
endless tables of desserts that she would prepare 2-3 days in advance.  
Sheila leaves to cherish all of the wonderful memories her husband: Matthew  
Bass,  
Stepson: Brandon Bass, Step-grand: Kaliya, 10 siblings: Maggie Lewis  
(Henry) of  
Hempstead, NY, Emma Ferguson, Dorothy Ferguson, Mary Ferguson, Roza  
Seay and  
Brenda Patterson of Lenoir, NC, Barney Trice (Ruth) of Amityville, NY, Otis  
Trice Jr.  
(Toi) of Charlotte, NC, Michael Trice (Antoinette) and Carl Trice of Hempstead,  
NY, her  
godchild: Jessica Vaughn, a host of nieces and nephews, many friends and  
the Louise to  
her Thelma: Kim Vaughn.

A Virtual Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, October 16, 2021 Virtual  
Memorial Celebration via Zoom 1:00pm – 5:00pm. Meeting ID: 884 878 6822



# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

OCT **16**. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Via Zoom

# Tribute Wall



“ *Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory created a Zoom Link in memory of Sheila Annette Bass*



**Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory, Inc.** - October 14, 2021 at 01:21 PM



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**Natalie Hannans** - October 22, 2025 at 11:51 AM



“ *Miss you!*



**Natalie Hannans** - September 22, 2022 at 03:51 PM



“ *Natalie Hannans lit a candle in memory of Sheila Annette Bass*



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**Natalie Hannans** - September 22, 2022 at 03:48 PM



“ *Sheila and I met in 3rd grade..at age. 8...We spent many years. enjoying the holidays, shopping, doing bus trips and We did our first cruise together on The Regal Empress ship in Manhattan NY..There were so many concerts...picnis and baby showers we spent just enjoying life with other friends...I surely will miss Sheila....May she R.I.P...and keep smiling!! May God watch over and bless her family always*



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**Donna S McCreedy** - November 08, 2021 at 10:20 AM