



Yolanda Lyons

November 4, 1978 - October 25, 2022

Yolanda Sherrelle Lyons was born in New Haven, CT on November 4, 1978 to Margaret Lyons and Nathan Livingston. She departed this earthly life on Tuesday October 25, 2022 after a brief illness at the early age of 43. She attended St. Matthews Baptist Church, New Haven CT faithfully with her grandmother.

Yolanda received her primary education in New Haven Connecticut. She continued to further her education at Southern Connecticut State University and received her Masters and Specialist in Education from Mercer University in Atlanta GA.

Yolanda married Dehconti Alfred Tubman (aka Al) on December 9, 2006. They were happily married for 17 years.

Yolanda was employed at Graves Elementary School in Norcross, GA. She worked in Education for 17 years. She developed a program that was incorporated in the school system for testing gifted children. She enjoyed working with children. She volunteered and mentored the children in various programs and a variety of activities.

She and husband loved to take exotic vacations. She took her first flight with her husband which turned out to be very interesting. She enjoyed traveling,

shopping and spending quality time with her Mom. They loved going to different restaurants and sampling various foods.

Preceding her in death, Alfred Lyons(Grandfather), Nannie Lyons(Grandmother) and Claude Lyons(Uncle).

She leaves to cherish her memories Dehconti Alfred Tubman(husband), Nathan Livingston (father) Margaret Lyons(mother); Alfred and Rhoda Tubman(mother and father-n-law), Mary Puryear(Edward) (great aunt) Mary Blanche Smith(great aunt), William(Juanita) and Ralph Lyons, Tinishi Tubman(sister-n-law), and a host of relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

NOV 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Edward's Episcopal Church
737 Moon Rd
Lawrenceville,, GA 30044

Tribute Wall

LV

“ *Lani Valentine lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Lyons*



Lani Valentine - November 04, 2022 at 02:34 PM

MH

“ *My dearest Yolonda, it took me such a long time to find a moment to put the words together that span a lifetime of friendship. You are and have been my Sister since the day we met. With over thirty years of friendship, how do we summarize? I can't. I won't be able to list every vibrant memory. I still see you holding my daughter and my son. I see us on our favorite bench at Foxwoods, people watching. I see your chocolate milkshake falling in slow motion and splatter at our favorite spot. (Oh nooooo!) We couldn't catch it fast enough. I see your smile at prom, and hear your laughter at homecoming. I see your hand at the finish line tagging you on Edwards Street while racing with the neighborhood kids. Your radiance at your wedding as your smile was the brightest thing I had ever seen. Your welcoming arms when I visited you in Georgia. The distance was great but we came to understand that our friendship would never end despite the miles in between. You have always been there. Now I see you here and there in my memories and still imagine you by my side, healthy, at peace with your glorious smile and one hand dance. I miss you and will always honor you and our bond. I love you. Love, Mae*

Maachah Holmes - November 04, 2022 at 09:31 AM

RW

“ *Rosemary Wonder lit a candle in memory of Yolanda Lyons*



Rosemary Wonder - November 03, 2022 at 06:32 PM

DT

Yesterday was the toughest day in my lifetime my love, Yolanda Lyons-Tubman. I held my tears in for a full year trying to be the man of the house. I miss you so so much. Love you!!!!

Your husband, Dehconti Alfred Tubman 🍷

Dehconti Alfred Tubman - October 27, 2023 at 12:16 AM

RW

“ *A sweet and gracious person that loved her job working with children. She was a beacon of light educating the 4th graders at Hopkins Elementary. She was part of our group that helped make it fun to come to work!!!!just a tragedy that she was taken so early in life but guessing the Lord needed her help with the cherubs above. She will be sorely missed by all who knew her here on earth. GOD BLESS YOU YOLANDA.LIVE ON WITH GRACE AND THE CLASS YOU EXHIBITED EVERYDAY.*

Rosemary Wonder - November 03, 2022 at 06:32 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Yolanda Lyons.*



November 02, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Yolanda Lyons.* ”



November 02, 2022 at 06:49 PM