



Ms. Armanda Coleman

July 14, 1955 - July 5, 2021

Mrs. Armanda Coleman, 65, of Peoria, IL, transitioned to her heavenly home at 9:10 pm on Monday, July 5, 2021 at her residence surrounded by her family in Peoria, IL.

Armanda was born on July 14, 1955 in Leland, MS to Frank and Signora (Higgins) Shorty. She married Donald Coleman, Sr., in Peoria on January 22, 1970. He preceded her in death on June 28, 2018 after 48 years of marriage. Armanda was a homemaker. She was a feisty women. She loved playing Bingo. Armanda was very outspoken and kept it real 100%. She kept her home so clean you could eat off her floors. Armanda was very generous and would give the clothes off her back. She was a mother to many and a great best friend to others.

Armanda leaves to cherish his most precious memory her son, Donald (Tonya) Coleman, Jr. of Fayetteville, NC; her daughter, Kimberly Coleman of Peoria, IL; two brothers, Jessie Shorty and John (Dorothy) Shorty; three sisters, Daisy Mae Shorty, Willie Bell Dubose and Dorothy (Myron) Fox; eleven grandchildren, thirty-three great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Donald Coleman, Sr., one son, Christopher Coleman, her sister and brother-in-law, Pearl and the Rev. Miles Black and two granddaughters, Keishana Currie and Cherish Coleman.

Funeral services will be held at 10 am on Saturday, July 17, 2021 at Victory Christian Church with a visitation beginning at 9 am. Pastor Charles "Chuck"

Brown is the host pastor, Elder Martin Johnson, Pastor of New Beginnings Ministries will officiate and grandson, Rev. Cory Pastoriza will bring words of comfort. Armanda will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at SimonsMortuary.com.

The service will be live streamed on Simons Mortuary's Website or Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150> promptly AT THE TIME OF THE SERVICE.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, social distancing and attendance limits will be observed.

In accordance with the Illinois Department of Public Health, Funerals are limited to no more than 50% of the capacity of the sanctuary or less.

To be consistent with recommendations from the National Funeral Directors Association (NFDA), funeral home directors have been instructed and should follow CDC guidelines on gatherings, including those directly related to funerals, visitations, or graveside services. Funerals are limited to no more than 50% of the decedent's immediate family members.

*In an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, we ask that everyone in attendance: wear a face mask and refrain from hugging, kissing and shaking hands (as hard as it is to see someone you care about and not touch them).

*It is our responsibility as a Funeral Directors, to do everything we can to advise families in order to honor our beloved Families and to keep everyone as safe as possible

Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

Cemetery Details

Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Victory Christian Church
1003 E. Moneta St.
Peoria Heights, IL 61616

Funeral Service

JUL 17. 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM (CT)

Victory Christian Church
1003 E. Moneta St.
Peoria Heights, IL 61616

Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Armanda Coleman*



Simons Mortuary - July 19, 2021 at 11:43 AM



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Simons Mortuary - July 16, 2021 at 04:46 PM



“ *Ms. Armanda Coleman*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Ms. Armanda Coleman*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Burial at Lutheran Cemetery*



Simons Mortuary - July 19, 2021 at 11:48 AM



“ *Rena Boyd-Parker sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Armanda Coleman*



Rena Boyd-Parker - July 18, 2021 at 05:34 PM

TF

“ *Mandy was our neighbor for years. She was quite a character who could always put a smile on your face. We will forever miss her "How are you doing?" shouted from her porch to ours. Rest in Heaven, Amanda.*

The Brophy Family - July 17, 2021 at 12:10 PM

WF

“ *Webster Horton Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Armanda Coleman*



Webster Horton Family - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ms. Armanda Coleman.*



July 16, 2021 at 10:40 AM



“ *To the Shorty, Coleman Families Sorry for your loss Amanda was. so nice and kind, Prayers Kim love You*

Rochelle Moore - July 15, 2021 at 08:59 PM



“ *May the peace of God surround your family and my prayers are with the family! Love you guys!! Linda Taylor-Faulkner*

Linda Taylor-Faulkner - July 15, 2021 at 03:28 PM



“ *My dear friend I have no words to even express how sad I am at the loss of you! You were more than just a friend to me an this world will not be the same without you! I know heaven gained another angel an that you are now with those who passed before you that you loved so dearly that were gone way to soon! My heart aches for your loved here on earth that must go on without you. I know God will wrap his loving arms around them and see them through this just as he saw you through all that you had been through these past few years! I love Mandy an will miss you forever an never forget you! May you Rest In Peace an never suffer with pain ever again my friend...💜💜💜 Ginger Patterson*

Ginger Patterson - July 15, 2021 at 01:37 PM

Debbie
Sturgis-
Lindstrom

“ Mandy was such a good friend to my Mother who lived across the street from her before she passed away. She will be missed dearly. Sending prayers to the family. Hugs and Love from the Sturgis family.

Debbie Sturgis-Lindstrom - July 14, 2021 at 10:29 PM

MR

“ Mattie Risby sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Armanda Coleman



Mattie Risby - July 14, 2021 at 03:29 PM

LT

“ Sending prayers and Love to the Coleman and Shorty family..Praying that God wraps his hedge of protection around you all .. Rest In Peace Mandy ..

Loretta Tillman - July 13, 2021 at 12:06 PM

MF

“ Mandy was one of my Mother’s best friend & co- worker! She was also my like a Mom to me, who took me under her wing when my Mother passed 20 years ago! She was a kind person who treated people with kindness, but, would tell you the truth whether you liked it or not! I’m going to miss her! She as the truth, didn’t hold nothing back! Thank you Mandy for keeping it real! To the Coleman & Shorty— My condolences & prayers are with you all! May God continue to give you all peace & comfort during this difficult time!

Mamie Funches - July 12, 2021 at 10:41 PM

RP

“ To the Coleman and Shorty Families sorry for your loss and May God's Angel's Wings spread around you all and bring you all comfort during this time of sorrow!! R.I.P. Amanda!!



Renee Linwood Peoria,IL. - July 12, 2021 at 02:58 PM

MP

“ Mancy Pittman sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Armanda Coleman



Mancy Pittman - July 09, 2021 at 05:03 PM

JW

“ You will truly be missed Mandy. May God send his angels to comfort the Coleman family.💕💕



Jacqueline Willis - July 08, 2021 at 10:21 AM

JB

“ Joanie Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Armanda Coleman



Joanie Brown - July 07, 2021 at 05:16 PM

MS

“ *May God BLESS and KEEP YOU in his perfect PEACE!*

Michelle Sledge - July 07, 2021 at 03:59 PM

MS

“ *Michelle Sledge lit a candle in memory of Ms. Armanda Coleman*



Michelle Sledge - July 07, 2021 at 03:55 PM

DW

“ *My heart and prayers for family and friends in Jesus' name May the grace of our lord and save Jesus Christ rip in Jesus name amen*



Dorotha williams - July 06, 2021 at 10:10 PM