



Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter

July 3, 1927 - October 31, 2021

Audrey Lee (Collins) Hunter, age 94, of Peoria passed away on Sunday, October 31, 2021, at OSF St. Francis Hospital, Peoria, IL.

She was born the oldest of six children on July 3, 1927, in Rosedale, MS to Norma Lee (Mayfield) Collins and Louis Collins, Sr. She married Sylvester Hunter, Sr., in Peoria where they shared twelve children together.

She loved God and enjoyed reading through the Bible every year. She also loved to spend time with family, and was a loving, compassionate woman with great integrity. She was a great listener who always saw the good in others. Her willingness to help those in need was surpassed by her generosity and love for God's people. Our 'Madea' was one of a kind who will be dearly missed.

She is survived by three daughters, Georgia Lee Amerson, Michelle Y. Hunter both of Indianapolis, IN and Brenda (Eufus) Ware of Peoria, IL; four sons, Willivory (Barbara) Maxison, Sylvester (Denise) Hunter, Jr., Dwayne Hunter, and Kevin Hunter all of Peoria, IL. She is also survived by her brother, Nathaniel Mayfield, a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-children. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Sylvester Sr.; five children, Cornelius, Gloria, Phyllis, Charles, and Gregory along with four siblings.

A private graveside ceremony for the family will be held at Lutheran Cemetery, Peoria, IL. Elder Willivory Maxison will officiate.

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

Cemetery Details

Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *Kathy Collins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Kathy collins - November 14, 2021 at 12:23 PM



“ *Kathy Collins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Kathy collins - November 13, 2021 at 06:03 PM

LS

“ Loretta (Porch) Simpson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter



Loretta (Porch) Simpson - November 10, 2021 at 04:00 PM

LR

“ Jesus wept”. To the family of Mrs. Hunter, the Humbles family sends our deepest sympathy. Mrs. Hunter was truly a disciple for Kingdom building. She represented the gift of LOVE and compassion for people. “Jesus wept” and so do I.
La Rosa Humbles & family

La Rosa - November 09, 2021 at 05:09 AM

ES

“ To the family, you have my sincere sympathy. She was truly a beautiful Saint. A loving mother to me when I needed one the most, a big sister when I lost mine and a best friend at all times. I will miss her so much and I love her. I pray God will bless the family in a special way. She was truly a sanctified woman with great wisdom.
God Bless, Sis. Ella Stacy

Ella Stacy - November 08, 2021 at 05:34 PM

WA

“ Our prayers and condolences go out to your entire family. God will keep you during this time of grief. Larry and Patricia Wallace, Austell, Ga.

wallace_gov - November 07, 2021 at 01:50 PM

LH

“ *Madea, A Virtuous Woman*💖...*Proverbs Chapter 31, May the seed she planted bloom, continue to grow and live on forever more. You are loved and will be missed and remembered by many. Halleluyah*
🙏 *Gabriel, Latasha, Brielle and Zoey*💖

Latasha Hunter - November 06, 2021 at 03:26 PM

GR

“ *Gregg Randle lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Gregg Randle - November 06, 2021 at 12:42 AM

DM

“ *To the family of Mother Audrey Hunter,*

It is with mixed emotions that we offer this letter of condolence. As our natural man is deeply saddened by the loss of such a precious jewel of a woman, our spiritual man is rejoicing in knowing that Mother Hunter can now take her rightful place in the bosom of our Lord and Savior and now enjoy the fruits of her labor.

We offer up our prayers that you may remember that no matter how difficult it may seem, God can and will be with you at all times. He will never leave you nor forsake you.

*Pastor Hubert (Ron) Rutherford, Pastor
and the Glorious Church of Jesus Christ family*

Danice Maclin - November 05, 2021 at 03:32 PM

EC

“ *Mother Hunter was always a joy to be around with her sweet demeanor. She enjoyed occasionally worshipping with us at Christ Temple church in Bloomington and we enjoyed having her. She touched us all with her presence. Our deepest condolences to daughter Michelle Hunter and all of the family and friends. First Lady Edyth Campbell*

Edyth Campbell - November 05, 2021 at 10:33 AM

MH

Thank you for your kind words and prayers My mother loved visiting with you and the entire Christ Temple church family. She would often say how much she enjoyed the word. Yes, you are correct, she will be missed; however, her legacy will live on for generations to come.

Michelle Hunter - November 05, 2021 at 06:36 PM



“ *Our condolences to the Family. May the Lord God send comfort during your time of sorrow.*

*Frank and Veronica L. Ball
Rantoul, IL 61866*



Veronica L Ball - November 05, 2021 at 09:21 AM

AA

“ *On behalf of the Amerson Family we send our love and deepest condolences.* ❤️❤️🙏🙏

Andrea Amerson - November 05, 2021 at 12:33 AM

TG

“ *My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. She will be truly missed.*
Tawnya Green



Tawnya Green - November 04, 2021 at 08:52 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter.*



November 04, 2021 at 07:08 AM

JB

“ *Special Prayers Kevin Hunter* 💕💕



Joanie Brown - November 04, 2021 at 02:16 AM

JB

“ *My Condolences To The Family. Mrs Audrey Hunter Was A Beautiful Sweet Lady. May She RIH In The Masters Arms Peacefully GBNF* 🙏
💕💕🌹



Joanie Brown - November 04, 2021 at 02:13 AM

KA

“ Karen Ashby sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter



Karen Ashby - November 03, 2021 at 03:48 PM

PF

“ Sending out our prayers to the family of a great women of God, She was a very good friend with my mother and family, her kindness and wisdom will be missed but always in our Hearts. Look to God for Strength.

Phyllis Farlow, Mattie Dunlap and Family - November 03, 2021 at 11:49 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter.



November 03, 2021 at 11:36 AM

CW

“ Sending love & deepest sympathies to you all & may God give you peace & strength! ❤️❤️❤️

Catherine Randle Watson - November 03, 2021 at 01:16 AM

ML

“ *Madea...to so many of us young people who grew up in Peoria. From the Taft Homes, to Saratoga Street to Millman...I have been a part of the family since I was a child. I am ever grateful to have spent time in her presence...she was truly a Gift from God. My love goes out to ALL the Hunter family...*

Mark Lampkin - November 02, 2021 at 10:58 PM

ML

“ *Mark Lampkin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Mark Lampkin - November 02, 2021 at 10:56 PM

NJ

“ *Syl & Wink
Sorry for your lost. Our prayers are with you and the family.*

Nate & Judy Jackson - November 02, 2021 at 09:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter.*



November 02, 2021 at 09:30 PM

AH

“ *Annette Housley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Annette Housley - November 02, 2021 at 08:27 PM

DA

“ *My Deepest Sympathy and Condolences to the entire Hunter family keeping y'all in my Prayers*
🙏🙏



Demetra Alexander - November 02, 2021 at 07:59 PM

DA

“ *Demetra Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Demetra Alexander - November 02, 2021 at 07:55 PM

DA

“ *Demetra Alexander lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Demetra Alexander - November 02, 2021 at 07:54 PM

PC

“ November 2, 2021

To the family of Sister Audrey Lee Hunter:

*The pastor and members of the Pentecostal Church of Jesus Christ.
would like to extend to you and your entire family our deepest
sympathy
in the loss of Sister Hunter.*

*Even though our hearts are saddened, we pray that the Lord will
comfort
you in your time of sorrow and bless you with endearing memories
that you
will always treasure.*

He is with you even in this time of sorrow too deep for words.

God be with you.

*Pastor Henry L. Bolden II
Lady Marcia J. Bolden
and the PCJC Church Family*

Pentecostal Church of Jesus Christ - November 02, 2021 at 07:46 PM

DW

“ Sorry for your lost praying for family and
friends in Jesus name amen rip in Jesus



Dorotha williams - November 02, 2021 at 06:49 PM



“ *Emel Buckner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Emel Buckner - November 02, 2021 at 06:34 PM



“ *Karen Ashby sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Audrey Lee Hunter*



Karen Ashby - November 02, 2021 at 06:12 PM