



## Dr. Armosha A. Harris

November 12, 1970 - October 30, 2020

Dr. Armosha A. Harris, 49, of Greenville, TX departed this life on Friday, October 30, 2020 at 5:38 a.m. at Greenville Gardens Nursing Home. She was the 8th child born on November 12, 1970 to Joe and Ollie (Walker) Sturdivant in Peoria, IL. She graduated from Peoria Manual Highschool than she attended Western University in Malcomb, IL where she received, her bachelor's degree in business management. During this time, she traveled extensively. She made Chicago, IL her residence where she was ordained a Prophetess and Minister at Valley Kingdom Ministries. Armosha was a "Powerhouse" in the ministry" she touched lives everywhere she went. She later decided to go back to college receiving her Masters and Doctorate at Colorado Technical University. After her father's death in 2010 she came back to Peoria making her mark working for the Southside Mission as Director of Career Training and Development. Armosha founded programs such as "Hospitality Training school" and "Second chance programs for individuals even those with felonies". She helped young women who were displaced find new housing and empower themselves. Armosha became chapter President of "The Black Chamber of Commerce of Peoria". In 2014 she met the love of her life Elwood Harris and married on August 5, 2016, he survives. In addition to her loving husband Elwood Harris she leaves to cherish her precious memories: Her mother: Ollie Sturdivant of Peoria, IL; two brothers: Nathan Sturdivant of Uganda, Africa; Timothy (Judith) Sturdivant of Elgin, IL; two sister: Mary Sturdivant and Deroita Welch both of Peoria; three

stepchildren: Darlene Harris, Amanda Harris, and Matthew Harris all of Boston, MA and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends who will miss her dearly.

In addition to her Father Joe Sturdivant she was preceded in death by one brother: John Sturdivant; two sisters: Joyce Stukes and Wanda Welch.

A Private Celebration of Life service will be held Saturday, November 7, 2020 at T.W. Parks Colonial Chapel at 11:00 a.m. and a public visitation will be held two hours prior at 9:00 a.m. Bishop Joseph Johnson of Star of Hope Full Gospel will officiate.

She will be laid to rest at Parkview Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Parkview Cemetery

2001 N. University  
Peoria, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 7. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

T W Parks Colonial Chapel  
201 N. Macarthur Hwy.  
Peoria, IL 61605  
(309) 674-6323  
<http://www.twparkscolonialchapel.com>

# Tribute Wall

DS

“ Praying for you guys at this very difficult time. May God's love bring you comfort & strength.

*Denise Smith*

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**Denise Smith** - November 19, 2020 at 05:29 AM

KM

“ Armosha aka Peoria's own Patti Labelle! You had a flair for life and and strong flame for the Lord! I just happened upon your obituary and felt saddened but then I prayed and I know that you are in your Father's arms!

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**Kandice Moore** - November 18, 2020 at 01:32 AM

RP

“ To the Sturdivant and Harris 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. Armosha!!



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**Renee Linwood Peoria,IL.** - November 10, 2020 at 02:08 PM

JB

“ Jim And Kathy Burdette lit a candle in memory of Dr. Armosha A. Harris



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**Jim and Kathy Burdette** - November 09, 2020 at 10:18 PM

EB

“ Sending heartfelt condolences to the family. Armosha and I served in ministry together at VKMI. She will be missed. Edward and Kimberly Baker

Edward and Kimberly Baker - November 07, 2020 at 07:44 PM

AT

“ My beautiful friend, confident and spiritual daughter... I will have you in my heart and knowing that you were a great inspiration to me in so many ways. You chose me and I accepted all your teachings and prayers. You should unconditional love and you walked in great integrity in the Lord.

Your wedding and love for Elwood was genuine and tender. The “bun” chronicle is still in my mind.

I love you and rest in the bosom of ABBA FATHER 😊



Anita Thomas - November 07, 2020 at 02:35 PM

PG

“ Armosha my friend you are truly going to be missed. I remember our grade school & high school moments. You imitating Patti Labelle in the high school talent shows with all of our track days.....soooooo fun. May God provide the peace & comfort needed for your husband & family. We miss you Mosh. Until we meet again.....



Pam G - November 06, 2020 at 09:58 AM

KM

“ Mosha and I met at a Valley Kingdom Ministries International, Women's Retreat, we were in MTC together, Mosha was a Powerful Woman of God, Full of Love And Laughter, I will definitely Miss her kind spirit, Rest Well my Sweet Friend

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**Katrina Moten** - November 05, 2020 at 05:39 PM

LA

“ Mosha was my little sister and friend. I Pray Gods Comfort and Peace during this time to her Husband El and Her Family and Friends .

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**Loria Ashby** - November 05, 2020 at 01:43 PM

VK

“ To the Harris & Sturdivant Family-I was very sorry learn of your love one, Armosha's passing. She had a dynamic personality & will be missed. May God comfort & keep you during your time of bereavement.

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**Vickie King** - November 05, 2020 at 01:29 PM

DD

“What can I say about “Moshee.” We met in a prophetic class at Valley Kingdom Ministries International, became fast friends and then roommates. The thing about our relationship is that it was very spiritual, but very comical. We shared so many laughs and great times. Whenever I think about Armosha, it puts a smile on my face and a chuckle in my heart. I miss her, but I am so grateful that our paths crossed.

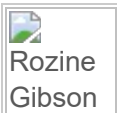


Deidre Dixon - November 05, 2020 at 12:17 PM



“What wonderful memories I have of you, BFF Mosha. We had close to 30 years of friendship all the way back to WIU. From all of the jokes, laughter and meaningful conversations - too many to count. You will be missed, my friend. Love you. RIH, Mosh! Prayers for comfort, peace and strength to the entire family.

Lynsie Gibson - November 04, 2020 at 08:52 PM



Rozine  
Gibson

I am deeply saddened but I know my friend is finally at peace. Mosha was my sister/friend and our relationship can never be duplicated. Sending love and light to Elwood and the entire family.

Rozine Gibson - November 06, 2020 at 03:00 PM

JB

“ Joanie Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Armosha A. Harris



Joanie Brown - November 04, 2020 at 07:32 AM

RW

“ Rena Webster-Horton lit a candle in memory of Dr. Armosha A. Harris



Rena Webster-Horton - November 04, 2020 at 04:15 AM

VJ

“ Sorry Deroita for your loss. Misha was a woman of integrity and stood for no nonsense like her mom. She was a Scorpio born on November 12 the like me and we are mean as hell is hott👀, but our personalities excel them all. Mosha was a woman who could make you smile one minute and make you cuss the next, but not me! I could never say anything cross to her because; she wasn't haven't it at all. She will be missed immensely. Peace til the other side💕



Love you,

Venus M Jones

V M Jones - November 03, 2020 at 11:31 AM