



## Ms. Tennia M. Shelby

September 8, 1976 - March 26, 2021

Tennia Shelby, 44 of Peoria, departed this life on March 26, 2021. She was born on September 8, 1976 to DaVene F. Jackson and Billy Joe Cox, they preceded her in death. Tennia was affectionately known as “Coco” to her loved ones, and she enjoyed spending time with her nieces and nephews as she helped raise them all. To know her was to love her because she had an infectious spirit and smile. Her favorite pass time was listening to music, calling the prayer line and most importantly, eating. She was a devoted Christian, who loved God. As a youth, she attended Rising Sun Baptist Church, while later in life, she attended Virtual Church with Pastor Flowers. Tennia is survived by her maternal grandmother, Cassadia Shelby of Peoria; three brothers Billy Henderson of Kansas, MO, Chris Shelby and Breon Randall, also of Peoria, five sisters, DaVene N. Jackson of Minneapolis, MN, Robin Jackson, Sherian Jackson, Dionne Gordon, Christy Payne and her best friend, Tanya West, all of Peoria. She is preceded by her maternal grandfather Ernest Shelby and her maternal grandparents, Daisy Cox and Joe Mosley. Services will be held on Friday, April 2, 2021 at T.W. Parks Colonial Chapel at 11:00 a.m., with visitation commencing one hour prior at 10:00 a.m. Pastor Estella Flowers from Pagewood Christian Church of Lifeline Ministries will present the eulogy.

Tennia will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery.

Online condolences and words of encouragement can be made at [twparkschapel.com](http://twparkschapel.com)



# Cemetery Details

**Lutheran**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

APR 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

### Celebration of Life

APR 2. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.”

*To the Family*

*We the Pastor and congregation of Sovereign Grace Missionary Baptist Church first bow our heads in humble submission to the Will of our Heavenly Father.*

*We would like to extend our condolences to your family during this time. The passing of a dear loved one is never easy. May it comfort you to know that your loved one is safe in God's care now, and that we are praying for you in your time of sorrow. May words of comfort rest gently upon your heart, and in time may they become words of healing. We pray that God gives you the peace that you seek. May our condolences bring you comfort and may our prayers ease the pain of this loss.*

*Please contact us if you need our assistance at any time.*

*Prayerfully Submitted,*

*Pastor Alvin E. Riley*

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alvin riley - April 06, 2021 at 10:57 AM

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“ You Were Like A Second Mother To Me  
Always Smiled And Was Positive I'll Forever  
Love You TT 😭💔 Rest Up Beautiful Itll  
Forever Be LongLiveCoco ☐💜



Ke'ijah - April 02, 2021 at 04:25 PM

MR

“ Mattie Risby sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms.  
Tennia M. Shelby



Mattie Risby - April 02, 2021 at 09:23 AM

JB

“ You truly going to be missed Tennia Rest in  
Paradise Love You family#B4L



Jamar Berry - April 02, 2021 at 01:52 AM

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“ Neicy Cagle lit a candle in memory of Ms.  
Tennia M. Shelby



Neicy Cagle - April 01, 2021 at 07:09 PM



*Love you always CoCo! 🌹🌹*

**Neicy Cagle-Owens** - April 01, 2021 at 07:12 PM

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“ *Tete Neicy and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ms. Tennia M. Shelby.*



**Tete Neicy and Family** - April 01, 2021 at 07:06 PM

JB

“ *TO THE FAMILY OUR LOVE THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL. WE ARE SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. TENNIA MAY YOU RIH IN THE ARMS OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOR WHERE'S THERE'S PEACE AND NO MORE SORROW , NOR SAD DAYS. NOW ONLY GLAD TOMORROW'S IN YOUR NEW HEAVENLY HOME. GBNF*



**Joanie Brown** - April 01, 2021 at 02:03 AM

JB

“ *Joanie Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Tennia M. Shelby*



**Joanie Brown** - April 01, 2021 at 01:47 AM

JS

“ RIHP.

*Joy Smith, Indy*



**Joyce Smith** - March 31, 2021 at 08:27 PM



“ *May your memories give you peace and comfort*



**Evelyn Tate-Clayton** - March 31, 2021 at 07:53 PM



“ *I will always love you sis ❤️ prayers to the Shelby family*



**Dionne Gordon** - March 31, 2021 at 10:38 AM

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“ *I will truly miss you so much 😞 sis .I see you again and I know you're watching over all us.*



**Christy** - March 30, 2021 at 05:05 PM