



PALLBEARERS

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A MESSAGE FROM SHANNON

*To my dearest family, some things I'd like to say
But first of all, to let you know that I arrived okay.
I'm writing this from heaven, here I dwell with God above.*

*There are no tears of sadness, just pure eternal love
Please do not be unhappy just because I'm out of sight
Remember that I'm with you every morning, noon, and night.*

*That Monday I had to leave you when my life on earth was through
God picked me up and hugged me and said I welcome you.*

*It's good to have you back again; you were missed while you were gone
And as for your dearest family, they'll be here later on.
I needed you here badly, you're part of my plan.
There's so much we have to do to help our mortal man.*

*God gave me a list of things that he wished for me to do.
And foremost on the list was to watch and care for you.
So, when you retire to your bed, the day's chores put to flight,
God and I are close to you in the middle of the night.*

*When you think of my life on earth and all those loving years,
Because you're only human, they are bound to bring you tears.
But do not be afraid to cry, it does relieve the pain
Remember there wouldn't be flowers unless there was some rain.*

*When you are walking down the road and I am on your mind, remember
that I love you and I'm with you every mile.
I am now content that my life was so worthwhile, knowing as I passed
along the way I made somebody smile.*

Loving you Always...Shannon Joi

EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE

We the family of the late **Shannon Joi Rogers**, would like to express our sincere appreciation for every act of kindness that has been expressed to our family. Your thoughtful prayers, sympathy cards, food, flowers, gifts, calls and visits has blessed and strengthened us through this difficult time. We sincerely thank you.

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A CELEBRATION
OF HER **LIFE**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2021
ONE-THIRTY IN THE AFTERNOON

BOSTICK-TOMPKINS FUNERAL HOME
2930 COLONIAL DRIVE, COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

Shannon
JOI ROGERS

Sunrise
OCTOBER 14, 1980

Sunset
NOVEMBER 29, 2021



Reflections of Her Life

*The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?
The LORD is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?
Psalm 27:1*

Ms. Shannon Joi Rogers, beloved daughter, sister, aunt, niece, cousin, and friend departed this earthly life on the evening of November 29, 2021, while in Cozumel, Mexico. She was born in Columbia, SC on October 14, 1980, to Leroy Rogers and the late Corinne Peay Rogers.

Shannon accepted Christ as her personal Savior at an early age and was an active member of Concord Fellowship Baptist Church in Columbia, SC. She was known to send uplifting scriptures to family, friends, and coworkers. She would show up unexpectedly just to see how you were doing, bolstering saying "Hey Y'all...What's Up."

Shannon excelled academically and was selected and attended an educational trip to Australia/New Zealand while in middle school. At the age of 16, she joined the Columbia Awareness Team that focused on youth wellness and health which influenced her career choices in therapy and counseling. She was a graduate of W.J. Keenan High School, Class of 1998. She attended East Carolina University in Greenville, NC where she earned her B.S. in Recreational and Leisure Studies. She later went on to Webster University and obtained a M.S. in Community Counseling. She received her certification as a Therapeutic Recreation Specialist, and she used her skills in many walks of life.

Shannon worked at Prisma Health in Behavioral Health where she provided individual and group counseling. She also worked in the ER Department where she evaluated patients and offered mental health assessments. She was known to have led team building activities and spirit week. After many years at Prisma Health, she joined the team at Blue Cross Blue Shield where she was employed at the time of her passing as well as Three Rivers Behavioral Health. Shannon also started a private practice, New Insight Counseling & Consultant, LLC.

Shannon was inducted into the ETA Mu Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. at East Carolina University in 2004. After graduation, she briefly transferred into Zeta Pi Sigma Alumnae Chapter in Greenville. Upon her move back to Columbia she became affiliated with Beta Epsilon Sigma Alumnae Chapter. On December 12, 2021, she will be recognized and named as a Charter Line Member of Nu Nu Sigma Alumnae Chapter, Newberry, SC.

Shannon had such a sweet spirit that simply lit up a room upon entering. She loved traveling but cruising was her favorite. She was always willing to help others in any way that she could. She enjoyed her work as a counselor, and it was truly a calling on her life. Shannon volunteered at Transitions. She also worked with Wounded Warriors providing activity therapy. She showed love and offered hope to everyone she encountered.

Shannon Joi was the apple of our eyes. On the same day of Shannon's transition, God welcomed her maternal grandmother, Gaynell Bush Rogers Glenn home as well. Shannon leaves to cherish precious memories, her loving father, Leroy Rogers; a dear brother who was her best friend, Cedric (April); three nieces that she loved so dearly, Taylor Gabrielle Ross, Nadia McKenzie, and Kennedy Amya Rogers; a host of uncles, aunts, other relatives and friends.



Order of Service

REVEREND BURDELL VERNON HILL, PRESIDING
EMANCIPATION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
698 ST. MATTHEWS ROAD, ST. MATTHEWS, SC 29153

- Prelude
- The Processional Clergy and Family
- Song of Praise Malik Mooney
- Scripture Readings Rev. April Ware
Christian Life Church, Columbia, SC
- The Prayer of Comfort..... Rev. Dr. Andre T. Melvin, *Pastor*
Temple Zion Baptist Church, Columbia, SC
- Song of Praise Rev. Melandie Portee
Greenhill Baptist Church, Logoff, SC
- Reflections Kotina Hutto, *Supervisor*
CBA/BCBS
Tangenia Stroman, *Coworker*
CBA/BCBS & Three Rivers Behavioral Health
Juliet Eichelberger, *Church*
- Acknowledgements Sherina Sanders, *Friend*
- Song of Praise Malik Mooney
- Reflections Eunika Simons, *Friend*
Maudra Brown, *Cousin*
Taylor, McKenzie, and Kennedy, *The Loving Nieces*
- Song of Praise Rev. Burdell Hill
- Words of Comfort..... Rev. Dr. Andre Rogers, *Pastor*
Concord Fellowship Baptist Church, Columbia, SC
- Recessional
- Final Farewell to Our Beloved Shannon.....
- Postlude

Committal, Closing Prayer, Benediction & Interment

GREENLAWN MEMORIAL PARK
845 Leesburg Road • Columbia, South Carolina



We love you Aunt Shannon!!!