



Patricia Ann Cureton

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Patricia was born in Oceanside, CA to proud parents Jerome B. Williams and Velma L. Williams. Patricia lived the majority of her life in the San Francisco Bay Area. At the age of 15 she was baptized and became a member of St. John Missionary Baptist Church in East Palo Alto. She was a graduate of San Francisco State University. On September 28, 1990, she gave birth to Nicole Patrice Watkins. On June 30, 2001, she married Hardiman Cureton II. The family moved to Rocklin, CA in 2002. There they attended church and became gracious hosts to a Wednesday Bible Study group in their home. Patricia spent over 20 years as a Human Resources professional. In 2000, she joined Oracle Corporation. As a Director of Human Resources, one of her proudest accomplishments was being a Co-Founder of the Oracle Women's Leadership (OWL) program. Patricia had an even bigger heart to serve. Her volunteer service included: o Board of Trustees and Chair, Presidential Relations Committee at William Jessup University, Rocklin o Board of Directors and Secretary, Executive Committee – Rocklin Area Chamber of Commerce o Advisory Board – Professional Business Women of California (PBWC) o Member – National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Sacramento Chapter The Cureton's recently returned to the Bay Area. They soon began supporting the Youth Department at St John Missionary Baptist Church, Shortly after their return Patricia became ill and fought a courageous battle to the end. Patricia leaves to cherish her memory, husband, Hardiman Cureton II; daughter, Nicole Patrice Murphy; son-in-law, Tyler Murphy; grandchildren, Lyric and Enoch Jerome "EJ" Murphy; parents, Jerome and Velma Williams; and a host of relatives and friends.



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BG

Beverly Griffin posted:

We were impressed with Patricia the moment we met her and Hardiman in bible study. Her broad smile and vivacious personality drew us in as friends. After we met her parents and family we understood why she was so driven to reach out and give back through her church, civic and professional endeavors. Her family was her heart and she loved God. As friends, we miss her already, but we are better because she touched our lives. Lovingly, Beverly, Dorsey & Kisha

February 18 at 4:35 AM

MC

Marilee Cederbloom posted:

Patricia was a wonderful human being and so intelligent. Everyone smiled when she was around. She will be greatly missed by her friends at work.

February 17 at 8:25 AM

RJ

Rosemary Jones posted:

Please accept my deepest sympathy during this difficult time. Patricia was a devoted and valued member of the National Coalition of 100 Black women, Sacramento Chapter. May God be with you and grant you peace. Rosemary Jones Organizing Leader/Chartering President National Coalition of 100 Black Women Sacramento Chapter

February 16 at 6:50 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Patricia by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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