



Jeanette Lewis

May 7, 1961 - March 14, 2018

It was a mild Sunday evening on May 7, 1961 when Jeannette, affectionately known as “Jay”, was born to Joyce Jones and R.C. Page at Cook County Hospital.

Jeanette was a happy baby, chunky and beautiful. She was known for her big cheeks. As a young child, she was shy, stubborn and always determined to do things her way. These traits would follow throughout her entire life. Jeanette loved to laugh and became more sociable as a teenager.

She grew up on the west side of Chicago. She received her formal education in the Chicago Public School System completing her studies at Westinghouse High School.

As a young woman, Jeanette started working at the University of Illinois Hospital, and in the autumn of 1977, met John Lewis who she would later marry. She had many jobs however she really enjoyed working as a custodian for the Chicago Police Department.

On April 4, 1992, Jeanette married John and together they raised four children Krystal, Shacola, John, and Whitney.

She was a devoted mother and grandmother. She opened her home to those

in need and served as a surrogate mother to many.

Jeanette was a homebody and loved to cook. She cherished her many cookbooks and loved experimenting with new recipes. She loved music, watching games shows, old movies and soap operas. Most importantly Jeanette loved spending time with her family.

On Wednesday March 14, 2018, Jeanette fell asleep in death at 12:58 pm surrounded by her family.

Jeanette leaves to cherish her memories, her husband of 25 years John Lewis, children Krystal, Shacola (Roger), John III and Whitney; grandchildren Derrick, Devin, Kierra, Kiya, Miya, Kamyra, Alonzo, Quentin, Alijah, Jordan, Janiah, Alahnna, Trevonne, Aleiko and Kashmir; great grandchildren; parents Joyce and Robert Riley; one brother Michael Jones, one sister Angel (Samuel) Page-Rivers; sisters-in-law Lennea Tyler, Latanya Lewis (deceased), Lauren and Lesa (Jeffrey) Lewis-Jones; nieces and nephews; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **24**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Service

MAR **24**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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