



Joann Works

June 8, 1961 - June 13, 2013

Joann Works was born on June 8, 1961 in Chicago, Illinois to the union of James and Ruth Ellen Works. She was the tenth of eleven children.

Joann received her formal education in Chicago, IL. She attended Perkins Bass Elementary School, Juliette G. Lowe Upper Grade Center and a graduate of Paul Laurence Dunbar Vocational High School in June 1980. She furthered her education by taking courses at Western Illinois University in Macomb, IL and graduating from Daley College in Chicago, IL.

As a teenager, Joann started attending meetings with the Ogden Park Congregation along with her parents. She made the truth her own in 1985, when she symbolized her dedication through water baptism. Her study conductor was Thelma L. Thompson, whom she affectionately looked to as a spiritual mother. Joann had a deep love for Jehovah and regularly attended meetings with the Fernwood Congregation, where she served for the past 8 ½ years.

Joann worked for the Federal Government for over 25 years. She formerly held the position as Contract Specialist. Joann was a woman of strong character. She also had a generous spirit. Joann enjoyed music, entertaining, shopping and traveling.

On Thursday, June 13, 2013 at 6:52 a.m., after suffering from a 15-year battle with illness, she succumbed to man's greatest enemy, "death". She was preceded in death by her parents, James and Ruth Works; and one brother, Randy Works.

Joann leaves to cherish her memory, six sisters, Carol (Bobby) Sherrod, Marcia Solomon, Connie (Lester) Locke, Gail Dukes, Kimberly Daniels and Patricia (Gerald) Tolbert; three brothers, Norman Gates, Bill Works and Gary (Lori) Works; one uncle, Arvon Winston; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, grand nieces, grand nephews and many loving friends.

Previous Events

Service

JUN **19**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses (101st)
10134 South Vincennes Avenue
Chicago, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Joann Works*

October 04, 2023 at 06:11 PM