



## Karla Arlene Grady

May 8, 1979 - December 22, 2017

Karla Arlene Grady, age 38, died on Friday, December 22, 2017 at University of Miami Hospital in Miami, Florida where she had also been employed for the past years as a Certified Nursing Assistant and was training to be an LPN.

From her birth in Chicago, Illinois on May 8, 1979 to her last day, she nourished people around her with honesty, kindness, and love. She was born to Darlene Hart and Edward A. Grady and was the oldest of two children.

Karla graduated from DuSable class of 1998. She then went on to attend and graduate from Harold Washington College where she majored in TV and Radio Broadcasting in 1999. In 2003, she became a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). In 2010, she moved to Miami, Florida where she was training to be an LPN at the University of Miami. While in school, worked for the United States Post Office, UPS during her summer breaks and Au Bon Pain restaurant after classes.

Karla loved everything and was an amateur songbird. She was a connoisseur of old school music and had an affinity for butterflies. Karla had a gentle spirit - so much so that she didn't even want to kill bugs.

Her brother, Eric Stallings; her grandmothers, Patricia Hart and Loretta Grady; her great grandmother, Marion Moore; and her aunt, Orella A. "Dimples"

Grady, preceded Karla in death.

Left to honor Karla and remember her love are, her mother, Darlene Stallings; stepfather, Alcee Stallings; her father, Edward A. Grady; Durell, her companion for the past ten years; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Karla will be remembered as a bright and shining light in the lives of the many she touched.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 8. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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## Service

JAN 8. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



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