



## Shirley Alberta Walton

December 14, 1936 - August 16, 2016

Shirley Alberta Walton was born December 14, 1936 in St. Louis, Missouri to Hamp and Alberta Adams. Shirley was born the third of seven children. When she was a child, she relocated to Chicago, Illinois where she attended Manley Middle and Manley High School.

On February 16, 1980, she symbolized her dedication to Jehovah through water baptism becoming a Jehovah's Witness where she was very active in the Kingdom Hall. Shirley enjoyed fellowshiping with her spiritual brothers and sisters by participating in field service, Bible studies and sharing Jehovah's word. Shirley was very proud to have served Jehovah for over 35 years.

Having the most rewarding jobs as a homemaker, a devoted wife, and a loving mother to her ten children, Shirley took pride and honor in taking care of her family. As a loving, caring, and kind person she helped to assist anyone that she could.

On Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at 6:38 a.m., with Jehovah's sun shining onto her face, Shirley A. Walton fell asleep in death. Preceding her in death were her parents, Hamp Adam Sr. and Alberta Adams; three brothers, Hamp Adams Jr., Arlee Adams, and Paul Smith; her husband of over 43 years, Fonzie Walton Sr.; and her son, Anthony Temple Sr.

Shirley leaves a host of family to cherish her memory, nine children, (from her union with King David Temple Sr.) King David Jr., Cynthia Daab and Frederick Temple, (from her union with Fonzie Walton) Eric Temple, Sheila Roden, Shirley Gibbons, Sheria Walton, Sharon Walton and Samara Walton-Bowen; two brothers and a sister, Jadie Smith (Donna), Charles Smith (Bonnie), and Paula Davis; one brother-in-law, Elehue Walton; two sisters-in-law, Betty Adams and Beatrice Walton-King; two aunts, Alice Jones and Roseline Singleton; twenty eight grandchildren, King David III, Keith, Dara, Tiffany, Daniel, Anthony Jr., Carlisa, Prince, Alanza, Demetrious, Corey, Jeremy, Jamie, John, Cedrick, Dawn, Erica, Charles, Casandra, Ezekiel, Laurence, Shantora, Shamia, Shavon, Chara, Sarae, Shaunace and Sasha; forty-five great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

# Previous Events

## Service

AUG 27. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Alberta Walton*

October 04, 2023 at 06:11 PM



“ *The death of Mrs. Shirley Alberta Walton is the most devastating experiences your family can face. At times, the loss may seem unbearable. Please know that there are those who care and more importantly Psalm 34:18 tells us that "God is near to those that are broken at heart. Jehovah is the God of all comfort. My prayers are with you and your family.*

Mrs. Williams - September 06, 2016 at 07:49 PM



“ *Heartfelt sympathy for your loss. Trust and hope in Jehovah for he promises not to leave you bereaved - John 14:18*

G. Rich - August 31, 2016 at 06:31 AM



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McCullough Funeral & Cremation Services - August 27, 2016 at 03:00 PM