



Linda Woods Lyle

December 26, 1952 - November 4, 2011

Linda "Lady" Woods Lyle was born to Beulah Woods and the late Wilson O'Neal Woods in St. Louis, Missouri on December 26, 1952.

At an early age she was baptized at Fairfax Baptist Church, where she sang in the choir. She also attended Eternal Light Missionary Baptist Church with her mother.

Linda was educated in St. Louis Public Schools, graduating from Irving Elementary School and receiving her high school diploma after attending Central and Beaumont High Schools.

Linda was known as a "tomboy," participating in and excelling at basketball, volleyball and baseball.

She worked as a secretary for many years and enjoyed shooting pool after work, eventually becoming a fierce pool league competitor.

She was also an avid card player and loved dance and music of every genre - especially R&B, gospel, jazz and blues.

Linda was a strong-willed, fun-loving, very confident woman who had a great sense of humor. She loved people and especially loved her family. Linda had a way of making almost any situation or any occasion more fun. She had a

unique way of making people feel loved -- sometimes with a smile, and sometimes with a song. Nobody laughed like her, nobody sang like her, and nobody loved like her.

After a tough battle with cancer, Linda departed this life on November 4, 2011. She was preceded in death by her father, Wilson Woods; brother, Stanley Woods; sister, Sandra Woods; and her husband Michael Lyle.

Affectionately known as "Lady", she leaves to cherish her memory and mourn her: her mother, Beulah Woods; daughters, Deon Woods Bell (Christopher) of Washington, D.C., Tracey Lyle and Michelle Lyle Hampton, both of St. Louis; 11 grandchildren, Darvis Logan, Daymon Logan, Darius Collins, DeAndre Woods, Demya Woods, Dasia Woods, Moorea Bell, Morgan Lyle, Jovan Bell, Darrien Hampton, and Zavier Bell; brothers, Michael Woods of Columbus, Ohio and Eric Woods (Juanita); sisters, Marsha Woods and Susann Williams (Kenneth) of Nashville, Tennessee; and special friends Ronald Creswell and Juanita Tate Thomas. She also had a host of other nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

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“ *my granny the most beautiful lady in da world raised me since i infant the nicest lady in da world cashed out errday day she love me and my brother more than anthing raised us both i miss my granny 1 love*

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“ *i love my granny my lady she da most wonderful granny any one could have*

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