

In Loving Memory of

Our Gift
April 12, 1951



God's Gift
October 22, 2021

*Delbra Anita
Holman Phillips*

Her Loving Legacy

“The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name’s sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.”

(Psalm 23:1-6)

Delbra Anita Holman Phillips was born on April 12, 1951 to Henry Jefferson and Jerelean Jefferson in Groveton, Texas.

With the blessing of being in a loving Christian home, Delbra accepted Christ at an early age and was a member of Goodwill Baptist Church, where she was a faithful songbird.

Delbra met and united in holy matrimony with Mr. Bobby Lee Holman Sr. on September 23, 1967 in Lufkin, Texas.

She was employed by Xerox for twenty-five years and then for Alief ISD for six until her demise.

Delbra departed this earthly life on October 22, 2021. She is preceded in death by her parents Henry and Jerelean Jefferson; sister, Tawanda Louise Jefferson, Bobby Lee Holman Sr.

She leaves precious and loving memories to her daughters, Diedra Holman-Nervis (Pastor Kenneth Nervis), Sonja Holman-Nickels (Marcus Nickels), Tiffany Holman of Houston, Texas; son, Bobby Lee Holman Jr. (Dawn Holman) of Carlyss, Louisiana; siblings, Henrietta Brown (Bobby Brown) Sally Hamilton, Mona Moye (Robert Moye), Lonnie Jefferson (Rochella Jefferson), Sandra Borten (Bil Borten); grandchildren, Porsche Hutchins, Andre Shaw, Lexus Shaw, Paula Bates, Kennedy Lee Williams, Marcus Nickels II Monique Patterson, Kiara Patterson James Lindsey, Amar Holman, Riley Holman Princess Ann Holman; great grandchildren, Kenslee Jones, Jace Bates, and Jay’Veon Owens; ex-husband and long-time friend, John E. Phillips; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, bonus grandchildren, co-workers and friends.

She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Celebration of Life

Saturday, the 30th day of October, 2021
Three Thirty P.M.

McCoy and Harrison Funeral Home Chapel
4918 Martin Luther King Blvd. • Houston, Texas 77021
Pastor Kenneth Nervis, Officiating

Musical Prelude.....(Soft Music)

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Reading of Scriptures:

Old Testament.....Appointee

New Testament.....Appointee

Prayer of Comfort.....Appointee

Selection.....Bishop Hillard

Resolutions and Acknowledgments

Expressions of Love.....(Two Minutes Please)

Reading of the Obituary.....(Read Silently)

Selection.....Pastor Jackson

Eulogy.....Pastor Kenneth Nervis

Funeral Directors in Charge

Recessional.....Clergy and Family

Postlude





Expressions of Love

We little knew that morning that God was going to call your name,
In life we loved you dearly; in death we do the same
It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone.
For part of us went with you, the day God called you home
You left us peaceful memories, your love is still our guide,
And though we cannot see you, you are always at our side
Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.

Love Your Children

A wife, a mother, a grandma too, this is the legacy we have from you
You taught us love and how to fight, you gave us strength, you gave us might.
A stronger person would be hard to find and in your heart you were always kind.
You fought for us all in one way or another not just as a wife not just as a mother.
For all of us you gave your best and now the time has come for you to rest.
So go in peace, you've earned your sleep, your love in our hearts we'll eternally keep.

Love Your Adoring Grandchildren

If flowers grow in heaven Lord, then pick a bunch for me
then place them in my great grandma's arms and tell her they're from me.
Tell her that I love and miss her and when she turns to smile,
place a kiss upon her cheek and hold her for a while.

Love Your Great Grands

We think about you always we talk about you still
You have never been forgotten and you never will
We hold you close within our hearts and there you will remain
To walk and guide us through our lives until we meet again

Your Loving Siblings

Message From Heaven



Do not stand at a grave and weep,
I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow.
I am the diamond glint on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain.
I am the gentle autumn rain.

When you wake in the morning hush,
I am the swift, uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circling flight.
I am the soft starlight at night.
Do not stand at a grave and weep.
I am not there, I do not sleep.

(Do not stand at a grave and cry.
I am not there, I did not die!).

Love you all, Delbra "Ann"

Active Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Honorary Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Our Sincerest Gratitude...

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair;
perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest word, as any friend could say;
perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts,
we thank you so much, whatever the part.*

The family extends our sincere and deepest gratitude to everyone who prayed for us, visited, called, and offered support during the bereavement. Your words of encouragement, acts of love, and loving thoughts have truly blessed and strengthened us. To God Be the Glory for the things He has done through you. We love and appreciate your many kindnesses to us. We ask that you continue to pray for us. May God bless each and every one of you.

- The Family -

Interment

Private

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