



Shirley A Britt

March 14, 1951 - June 20, 2021

Shirley A Britt passed away on June 20, 2021. Services will be on Tuesday, June 29, 2021.

Cemetery Details

New Crown Cemetery

2101 Churchman Ave
Indianapolis, IN 46203

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **29**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

New Garfield Missionary Baptist Church
2940 East Minnesota Street
Indianapolis, IN 46203

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ To Shirley's family: I met Shirley at New Horizons Church. She and another lady were sitting together when I came and they both had friendly faces. I wasn't wrong, they were both friendly & welcoming so I always sat with them. The other lady's name is Vickie. Shirley often invited co-workers to come to the church and I always thought that was kind of her. Shirley, take your rest now, in the arms of Jesus. May God bless you, her family as you go through the days ahead. Pam O'Neal

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What I remember most about Shirley Ann Britt, my sister's daughter and my dear niece was those long thick braids, landing perpendicular grazing her tiny waistband in those colorful paddle pushers--long shorts that grazed little girl's knees--which were very popular during those dog days of summer when she and her sisters and brothers would visit Mom Mable, my mother, on Lockwood Street. That may sound silly, but each and everyone of us remember something of no real value or consequences of a love one that leaves this life, heading for the next. With Shirley Ann, it was her beautiful long meticulous woven braids.

Shirley Ann's mother pride herself in making sure her daughters were dressed in the latest attire, especially when the Holidays came around. Remember those Ben Casey White Doctor Shirts? Smile! However, I vividly remember those black and white oxfords Rita Joe, Joyce and you, Shirley Ann wore once while visiting our home for one of Mom Mable's big dinners, right before school begun in the fall in Indianapolis, Indiana. I secretly wished for a pair of those shoes after seeing you guys in them. Guess what? I actually got a pair later that week, and girl I couldn't stop looking at them, sporting those rolled down bobby socks just like you and your sister's did back in the day. Whatever! That was where most of our dreams begun and ended.

I didn't have the pleasure of being around Shirley Ann as she ventured into womanhood, but I'm certain her dreams were far from having a pair of black or white oxfords to sport during her elementary school days, nor that Ben Casey Shirt that took hours to button up, trying hard not to miss what seemed like a thousand unnecessary buttons to close. Just a little trivial flash back in the day! Shirley Ann, you will be terribly missed by all who knew and loved you--and make no mistake--God will cradle your precious family in His arms, as dark days become light again. God promises us that, dear girl.

I'm sending my condolences straight from Charlotte, North Carolina to your family for the death of their precious sister and may God bless them all.

Love,

*Florene Crowdus-Allen
Charlotte, North Carolina*

Florene Crowdus-Allen - June 28, 2021 at 09:33 AM