



Denise Marie Butler

September 20, 2023

Denise Marie Butler passed away peacefully at the age of 60 on Wednesday, September 20, 2023. She was born on May 31, 1963 in New Orleans, Louisiana to the late Leroy Anthony Butler, Sr., and the late Elaine Vigne Butler. She is survived by her son Toma Iwo Danagogo, Jr. She leaves to cherish her memory her sisters Cynthia B. Robinson and Sylvia B. McKnight and brother Leroy A. Butler, Jr; her grandchildren Toma I. Danagogo III, Kaydence Brantley, and Elaine Danagogo; Uncle Everette Vigne, Sr.; nephews Brent and Terrence, nieces Patrice and Lanaya, and a host of family and friends. She is preceded in death by her parents Leroy and Elaine Butler Sr., her maternal grandparents Marguerite and Sidney Vigne, Sr., paternal grandparents Noel and Pearl Butler; maternal aunt Gloria V. Gavion (Lloyd Sr.), maternal uncles Sidney Vigne, Jr. (Helen), Clarence Vigne, and Arnold Vigne, paternal aunts Florence Lucas and Norena Lewis, brother-in-law Leonard McKnight, Sr.; nephews Leonard McKnight, Jr. and Leroy A. Butler, III.

Denise was educated in the Orleans Public School System and earned her diploma from Joseph S. Clark Senior High School in 1981. She went on to Katie's Beauty School to study cosmetology. Through the years Denise worked for Food for Families and Avondale Shipyard, and ended her career at Bon Ton Café where she was a dedicated employee for 15 years.

Family, friends, and employees of Landmark of Plaquemines are invited to attend the Celebration of Life service for Denise M. Butler on Friday, September 29, 2023 at 1:00 pm at Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70125. Visitation from 12:00 pm until 1:00 pm. Interment: Restlawn Park Cemetery, 4004 W Hwy 90, Avondale, LA 70094. Arrangement by D. W. Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Ave. Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the online guestbook.

Cemetery Details

Restlawn Park

4004 US hwy 90 W.
Avondale, LA 70094

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 29. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Rhodes Funeral Home - Washington Avenue
3933 Washington Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70125
(504) 822-7162
<https://www.rhodesfuneral.com>

Funeral Service

SEP 29. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Denise was a beautiful part of our Bon Ton family. My husband and I enjoyed working with her. We had so many of our regular customers that delighted in her warm smile and helpful nature. I know she is smiling down on us from Heaven!* ”

Debbie Pierce - October 06, 2023 at 10:53 AM

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“ *Condolences and prayers for Denise and Family during this moment of bereavement.
Rest in peace in God's embrace.
Love,
Michael & Rhonda* ”

Michael Gavion - September 27, 2023 at 01:33 PM