



Carolyn "Nip" Gary

May 6, 1956 - May 2, 2016

Carolyn (Harper) Gary, affectionately known as "Nip," was called home by the sweet and gentle voice of Jesus on May 2nd, 2016 while surrounded by her loving family. Born on May 6, 1956 in Phoenixville, PA, Carolyn was a daughter of the late Durrell and Hattie (Johnson) Harper of Devereux, Georgia. She was the wife of the late Anthony Gary of Norristown, PA.

Carolyn was a graduate of Chester County Vo-Tech School where she played on the girls' varsity basketball team. She was a supervisor at the Phoenixville Area YMCA for over 25 years. She truly loved her job and her YMCA family. She was known through the community for her kindness and compassion towards others.

Carolyn was a pillar of strength for her family. She was a great listener and always had encouraging words to share. She loved the Lord and her church family. She accepted Jesus Christ as her personal savior and made peace with God before he called her home.

Carolyn leaves to cherish her memory, her children Chasity M. Gary, of Phoenixville PA, Michael A. Gary, of Phoenixville, PA, and stepson Anthony King, of Norristown, PA. We thank God that Carolyn was able to witness the birth of her first grandchild Amelia Marie Lyn Gibbs. She also leaves to cherish her memory, her siblings Eleanor Harper and her companion, Richard "Junior" Perry, Albert Harper and his wife Rhonda Harper, her sister and caretaker Edith Cuascut, the wife of the late Francisco Cuascut, Jr., Madelyn Harper, Doris Jones and her husband Howard Jones, Sherry Harper-Jeter and her husband Anthony Jeter and her youngest brother Michael Harper. Carolyn is also loved by a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Carolyn was preceded in death by her sweet daughter Tiffany Patrice Harper, and brothers Phillip Durrell Harper, Jr. and John David "Johnny" Harper.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 6, 2016, at 11:00 am at the Bethel Baptist Church, 412 Fairview Street, Phoenixville, with the Rev. Dr. Nathan Coleman officiating.

Interment will follow in the Morris Cemetery. Friends will be received from 9:45 - 10:45 am at the Church. Memorial contributions may be made to . Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, PA.

Cemetery Details

Morris Cemetery

428 Nutt Road
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 6. 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Bethel Baptist Church
412 Fairview Street
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Funeral Ceremony

MAY 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

EL

“ *The Brightful Family in West Philly and Tiffany's Aunt Evelyn are so sorry to your lost. We just found out on Google because we have been calling since May reaching out. She kept up with us and we with her. Please contact us . We are unable to leave à message on her phone.My brother Chip(James) and my mother Evelyn have left phone calls.*

Elaine - September 08, 2016 at 08:32 PM

RM

“ *Leo and I just found out about Nip's passing and were deeply saddened. Our deepest condolences to the Harper family. May she rest in peace always.*

Leo and Rosanna Marosek

Rosanna & Leo Marosek - May 17, 2016 at 03:44 PM

DB

“ *Frank and I were very saddened to hear that Carolyn had passed. Her and I went all through school together and she was always such a kind person. She was our friend and our neighbor for a long time on High St. We got to share Michael's graduation with the family. She was so kind to invite us. She will be sadly missed by many. Rest in Peace our friend and we love you.*

Frank & Debbie Brancaleoni

Deborah Brancaleoni - May 10, 2016 at 09:05 AM

BB

“ *In loving memory as a mother on Mother's Day to a Family who has given support, love and service to so many. A FRIEND IN NEED IS A FRIEND IN DEED. I quote this because God places people in our lives who share, care and give from their hearts without complaints." LOVE SUFFERETH LONG AND IS KIND". CAROLYN exemplified so many times that " I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me ". I am so glad for her friendship in my life. A Mother's Love Is Everlasting!! PEACE HOPE JOY and BLESSINGS!!*



Barbara Byrum - May 08, 2016 at 10:44 PM

BB

“ *Barbara Byrum sent a virtual gift in memory of Carolyn "Nip" Gary*



Barbara Byrum - May 08, 2016 at 10:30 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Carolyn "Nip" Gary .*



May 06, 2016 at 10:28 AM



“ *Cheryl's 18ct Cookie Box was purchased for the family of Carolyn "Nip" Gary .*



May 06, 2016 at 09:53 AM

KS

“ *Chastity, I am deeply saddened to hear of your mother's passing. Your mother was such a beautiful person to all who knew her. Our days back at the tech school brings fond memories of her. She is now in the Arms of Our LORD and is at Peace! I am praying for you and your family that GOD wraps His loving arms around each of you and brings the peace that can only come from HIM!! Trust in the LORD and know that we love and care about you at this sad time!!! Sincerely Kevin sr and Kevin jr*

Kevin Stroman - May 06, 2016 at 09:18 AM

EM

“ *Evelyn McCray purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Carolyn "Nip" Gary .*



Evelyn McCray - May 06, 2016 at 08:42 AM

KT

“ Chastity and family we were sad to hear the passing of your mother. Nip was always nice to our family. Your mother looked after my son, Josh when he started his part-time job at the YMCA. Not only was she a beauty, she was a beautiful person inside and out helping others. May our Lord bless and comfort you and your family during this time of grief. Please accept our sincere condolences.



Karen Thompson - May 06, 2016 at 06:51 AM



“ Patty Quinn lit a candle in memory of Carolyn "Nip" Gary



Patty Quinn - May 06, 2016 at 04:03 AM



My thoughts & prayers go out to the Harper/Gary family during this sad time. May our Lord hold her in His arms for eternity.

Patty Quinn - May 06, 2016 at 04:04 AM

DE

“ Condolences from Cousin Sissy and family from Georgia!



delilah - May 05, 2016 at 09:07 PM

SR

“ My deepest sympathy to Chasity and family. I have many fond memories of both Chasity and her Mother at the Phoenixville YMCA. Carolyn was always a pleasant and welcoming face at the front desk for many years and she will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.
Sue Ellen Masters Raser

Sue Ellen Raser - May 05, 2016 at 05:16 PM



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Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - May 05, 2016 at 03:18 PM

JG

Dear chas and mike, you will always be in my prayers. Luv u., aunt Jessie.

Jessie Deleaver, gary - May 06, 2016 at 02:04 PM

LW

After all is calm and settled down I finally watched for the first time tonight, Very nice!

LaSonya Winstead - May 10, 2016 at 11:47 PM

RW

What a beautiful tribute my heart is sad 😭

Rhoda Wheatley - May 16, 2016 at 04:16 PM

BD

“ *Carolyn was a great person and always there for everyone. I give my true condolence to Chastity her daughter. May your Mom rest in peace and may the Angels come to greet her at her new Heavenly home.*

Bob Domarasky - May 05, 2016 at 02:54 PM



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Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - May 05, 2016 at 12:08 PM