



## Monica McCurdy

December 4, 1958 - March 3, 2021

Monica “Stanky” McCurdy, 62, of Bronx NY, passed away peacefully on March 3, 2021 at Montefiore Hospital.

Monica was born in Toccoa Georgia, on December 4, 1958 to Joan Crawford McCurdy and the late Tyrone Russell “Butch” McCurdy. She attended Tilden High School, in Brooklyn NY and went on to receive her Masters in Social Work from Adelphi University in 2019.

Monica was married to Felisha Simmons on October 26, 2012; they were married for 8 years.

Throughout her life Monica touched many people through her field of Human Service. She dedicated her life to helping those in need. She enjoyed carrying the message that “an addict, any addict, can stop using drugs, lose the desire to use and find a new way to live”; like she did. Monica enjoyed living, love and laugh. Monica did possess a strong personality and was a natural born leader; many were attracted to her because of her charisma. In those early years she was considered to be a girly girl, she was into singing, dancing and proper etiquette. She may have been small, but she never backed down from a fight, no matter how big the opponent. She liked to travel and she enjoyed learning; she was a philomath. Monica was the ultimate educator, encouraging all those around her to continue their education and to go as far as they could possibly go. She had a flair for research and field work. Monica

was not only dedicated to the people she serviced but to her family and the organization of NA.

Monica is survived by her wife, Felisha Simmons of Brooklyn, NY; mother Joan Crawford of Statesboro, GA; son Stephen Brockett and her daughter in law Crystal Brockett of Statesboro, GA ; 2 brothers, Anthony Scott of Lawrenceville, GA and Keith Bley and his wife Karisma Bley of Statesboro, GA; 2 sisters, Prem Benson of Toccoa, GA and Marline Willis of Royston, GA; 4 grandchildren, Laniya Bacon, Jada Brockett, Joshua Jeremiah Brockett and Mi'Asia Brockett of Statesboro, GA; goddaughter Joelle of Brooklyn, NY; 4 aunts, Montina McCurdy, Harriett Smith, Caroline Crawford of Toccoa, GA and Helen Smith of Augusta, GA; 2 uncles, Bobby Crawford and Ralph McCurdy of Toccoa, GA; Lavona Billups of Statesboro, GA; and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

A celebration of Life Service will be held 3 p.m. Saturday, March 6, 2021 in the Ben Samuel Hill Memorial Chapel of Hill's Mortuary, Inc.

Final rites have been entrusted Hill's Mortuary, Inc.

# Tribute Wall



“ Hi, my name is Floydell, I used to babysit Monica & Kieth when I was a teen on Montgomery Street. My family & I send our deepest condolences to Joan and the rest of the family.

Willana Simmons-Brown - April 27, 2022 at 10:31 AM



“ Our love and sympathy. So very sorry on the passing of MONICA. FRED and JUANITA (JOHNSON) HAY. BOONE NC.



Juanita. HAY - March 16, 2021 at 04:49 PM



“ Vicki Lewis sent a virtual gift in memory of Monica McCurdy



Vicki Lewis - March 06, 2021 at 07:09 PM



“ I never met Monica, but her mom (Ms. Joan) petitioned prayers from the Original First African Baptist Church family for her daughter, and we put her on our prayer list. God was waiting with open arms. She'll Rest In Peace.  
Vicki M. Lewis

Vicki Lewis - March 06, 2021 at 07:06 PM

MB

“ *My condolences to the family. She was very nice and was a good supervisor*

*From myrlen Banks*

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**Myrlen Banks** - March 06, 2021 at 06:42 PM

MC

“ *I met Monica while she was working at Samaritan Village. She was always pleasant, knew her clients and always willing to help. I met Felisha some years later and she informed me that I knew her wife and when she told me it was Monica my face lit up. I was so happy that two wonderful people for a zest for life decided to share their life together. Monica your smile and bubbly personality will always be remembered . My prayers for Felisha and the family. Much Love, Mary Clarke*

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**mary clarke** - March 06, 2021 at 04:12 PM

NM

“ *Norma Mccurdy lit a candle in memory of Monica McCurdy*



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**Norma Mccurdy** - March 06, 2021 at 03:32 PM

CB

“ *My God's Blessings continue to to surround the family. Iwill continue to pray for all. Andre' Brockett*



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**Carl Andre' Brockett** - March 06, 2021 at 11:32 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Monica McCurdy.



March 06, 2021 at 11:22 AM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Hill's Mortuary, Inc - March 06, 2021 at 09:54 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Monica McCurdy.



March 06, 2021 at 09:15 AM



“ Lorraine Raymond lit a candle in memory of Monica McCurdy



Lorraine Raymond - March 06, 2021 at 07:42 AM

LR

*I meant Monica probably about 19 years ago. Found that she was a loving caring person. Monica love to share her story of gratitude I have in life the wall the things you've been through it she always willing to help another human being, for that I am very grateful to have met Monica.*

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**Lorraine Raymond** - March 06, 2021 at 07:47 AM

CC

“ *My Everlasting Sympathy to Mother Joan & Entire McCurdy Family, I Met Monica in 1989 in Brooklyn via her Best friend Alfreda , we got along so well. She was a true Friend...May her Transition be Peaceful....From Charles and my Entire Family and on Behalf of Alfreda's Entire Family....*

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**charles conner** - March 06, 2021 at 01:36 AM