



## Mrs. Brenda Ann Johnson

December 4, 1950 - April 4, 2014

The Life of Brenda Ann Johnson:

Brenda Ann Johnson (also known as Jorge or JorgeAnn to her close friends) was the third of four children born to Margaret and Ambus Johnson on December 4, 1950.

Brenda's interests included dancing, traveling, writing poetry, doing arts and crafts, decorating, hosting special dinners and gatherings for family and friends and gambling at the Motor City Casino. Brenda was witty, funny, opinionated and a bit eccentric. Brenda was a true and dedicated friend, sister, mother, grandmother and partner.

Brenda was diagnosed with Colon Cancer in February 2008. At that time, doctors informed Brenda that, based on the stage of her cancer, she would likely live only 24 months. Brenda was determined to fight through it and to get the most out of each day. There were some difficult periods, but Brenda's long-time partner Arthur (Sonny) McCullough was her anchor through it all. She also received emotional support from her closest friends - Leora Gilmore, Phyllis Williamson, Shelley Owens and Hattie Johnson (sister-in-law).

Brenda lived four years beyond the time the doctors predicted. Sorrowfully, Brenda went on her journey on April 4, 2014, leaving a host of broken-hearted family members and friends.



# Cemetery Details

## Elmwood Cemetery

1200 Elmwood Ave.  
Detroit, MI 48207

# Previous Events

## Visitation

Wednesday, Apr. **9**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
17600 Plymouth Road  
Detroit, MI 48227  
(313) 838-9770  
info@pyefuneralhome.com

## Family Hour

Thursday, Apr. **10**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
17600 Plymouth Road  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Brenda Ann Johnson*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Even though you are not physically here your spirit will forever be in our hearts. I miss you so much. Every day I sing a song just for you. I will never forget the day we listen to your albums and sung the songs from your collection. I will never forget dancing with you while singing the Carpenters song "Why do birds suddenly appear every chance you are near....just like me they long to be close to you.....on the day that you were born the angels got together and decided to create a dream come true. So they sprinkle moon dust in your hair....." I will forever love you, momma.....Your Vetkawackay*

**Davetta Johnson** - April 29, 2014 at 09:50 AM



“ *I knew Brenda from Facebook as well. She was kind and loving. I wish the family well and will be praying for you guys. She is here in memory and our hearts but is with the Lord. God bless you guys. Lots of love. Cristan*

**cristan mcmahill** - April 11, 2014 at 07:17 AM



“ *Brenda and I Would talk on the phone for hours. If it wasn't about where we worked, We would switch over the conversation to what ej ami was doing!!!! She loved Days of our lives!!! Bless you Brenda. I will never forget you dear friend...Shanon*

**shanon** - April 10, 2014 at 02:56 PM

JA

“ We are so sorry about Brenda's loss. We are thinking of you, Barbara, and your loved ones, and sending our most sincere condolences. From everyone at Tyler Technologies

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**Jeanne Anderson** - April 10, 2014 at 01:24 PM

TW

“ Tonga Wells lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Brenda Ann Johnson



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**Tonga Wells** - April 09, 2014 at 09:04 AM

MB

“ My heart goes out to Brenda's family, I knew her from Facebook as well. She was always encouraged and kind with her posts . Absent with the body present with The Lord - Marissa

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**marissa brown** - April 09, 2014 at 06:17 AM

RO

“ I wish to extend my sincere condolences to the family. Brenda was a sweet and wonderful person. I really enjoyed conversing with her. She will be missed.

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**Rosa** - April 08, 2014 at 07:00 PM

DG

“ To the Johnson Family...I am a FB friend of Brenda's and have known her for some time now and will always remember the good times we had talking about JS and \*Days\*. I have missed seeing Brenda's beautiful face. I hope that the Lord will give you all His comfort during the trying loss of one of the family. They are never really gone though. Always by your sides and watching over you until you meet again in Paradise. God bless you all and I am so sorry for your loss. I know I lost a beautiful friend.who is walking with the Lord and flying with the Angels. <3

Dorothy Galanis - April 08, 2014 at 06:23 PM

LJ

“ I WILL MISS BRENDA REALLY, MANY A DAY BRENDA AND I WOULD TALK ON THE PHONE FOR HOURS. WHEN I WAS IN THE HOSPITAL BRENDA WOULD COME AND SEE ME, COME BY THE HOUSE, WE WENT TO A PARTY OR TWO TOGETHER. I REALLY ENJOYED SPENDING TIME WITH HER. SHE WAS THE ONE THAT TALKED ME INTO GETTING ON FACEBOOK. I WILL MISS HER ALOT, BUT THE LORD CALLED ONE OF HIS SAINTS HOME. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE. SHE WILL BE MISSED BY EVERYBODY SHE TOUCHED. MAY GOD BLESS HER, A GOOD ONE HAS GONE HOME. GOD BLESS HER!

Lonnie Young Jr - April 08, 2014 at 12:55 PM



“ Loving Grace was purchased for the family of Mrs. Brenda Ann Johnson.



April 07, 2014 at 08:11 PM

MS

“ Dear Johnson family, I am so sorry for your loss. I would just like to leave you with a brief encouraging message from the bible found at 1 Corinthians 15:26 where it says, "And the last enemy death is to be brought to nothing. " May God's word bring you comfort in this difficult time.

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**ms.bates** - April 07, 2014 at 09:32 AM

DE

“ I am very sorry to hear about your loss. I offer my condolences to you and your family. I encourage you to read Revelation 21:3,4. "Death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away." You and your family are in my prayers.

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**Deyona** - April 06, 2014 at 09:04 AM

FL

I am so sorry for your loss. I only knew Brenda through FB and I enjoyed posting with her. He was a beautiful person. May she Rest in Peace.

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**Flo Lebelle** - April 08, 2014 at 06:28 PM