



## Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood

January 10, 1969 - November 27, 2021

Mrs. Lisa Franklin Underwood transitioned unexpectedly to heaven on November 27, 2021, at Riverside Regional Medical Center with family at her side. She was born on January 10, 1969, in Newark, New Jersey to the late Marcia Franklin and Norman Dorch.

She precedes in death her beloved husband Thomas L. Underwood; parents Marica Franklin and Norman Dorch, her sister Nicole Franklin, and her brother Maurice Franklin.

She was a graduate of Barringer High School in Newark, New Jersey. Seeking a better life, she and her children moved to Virginia in 1998. Two years later, she met the love of her life Thomas. They quickly created a life together and married in 2008. She was employed by Hampton Newport News Community Service Board as a Community Service Associate for both the Day Program and Residential Program for the last five years. She took pride in caring for people who were unable to care for themselves. Lisa had a passion for crocheting and diamond art. She had a smile that brighten a room and a bubbling personality to match. She enjoyed hanging out with her children whether it was going out to eat, getting the "tea", watching movies, or getting her nails done with her daughter. Lisa especially took pride in being "Baby" to her grandson.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories to her daughter and best friend Sayshell Freeman, two sons Dwight and Elijah Harrington all of Newport News; her stepdaughter Patrice Knox of Hampton; her grandchildren Christian Minor, Da'Naudia Knox, Sarah Thompson, Dwayne Barrett, and Dwan Barrett; her sister Kelly Franklin of Newport News; brothers Gregory Franklin of Newport News and Terrance (Karen) Franklin of Richmond, VA along with a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

# Previous Events

## Franklin-Underwood Memorial Service

DEC 8. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

M.E. Fisher Funeral Home  
2117 Madison Avenue  
Newport News, VA 23607

# Tribute Wall



“ *M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood*



M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - December 07, 2021 at 10:13 AM

EB

*Lisa, I still can't believe you aren't here with me. I'll genuinely miss our friendship, the laughter, and the precious time that we shared. We talked at least three times a week on the phone, and now the phone doesn't ring anymore. My friend, I'll see you again, and may your soul rest in peace. Gone but not forgotten.  
I love you, Le-Le*

*Emerald Baucum*

Emerald Baucum - December 07, 2021 at 07:49 PM

GP

“ *GONE BUT NEVER FORGET. LOVE YOU LISA. RIH*

Geneva Patterson - December 07, 2021 at 08:50 PM

GP

“ *Geneva Patterson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood*



Geneva Patterson - December 07, 2021 at 08:41 PM

EB

“ To the Family of Lisa Franklin-Underwood. I wish you peace to bring you comfort, the courage to face the days ahead, and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts. My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.

*Emerald Baucum  
Hampton, VA.*

Emerald Baucum - December 07, 2021 at 07:26 PM



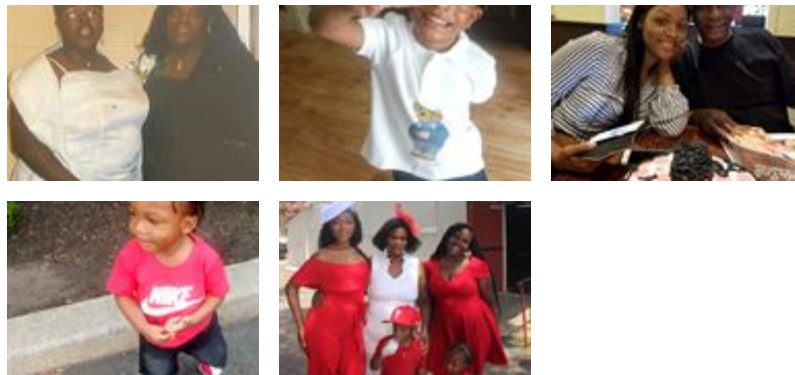
“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood.



December 07, 2021 at 07:25 PM



“ 47 files added to the album Life Tributes



M.E. Fisher Funeral Home, Inc. - December 07, 2021 at 09:52 AM

LC

“ *Lisa Council lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood*



**Lisa Council** - December 07, 2021 at 09:34 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood.*



December 06, 2021 at 04:26 PM

HM

“ *Henry Mitchell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood*



**Henry Mitchell** - December 06, 2021 at 03:20 PM

CV

“ *Christine Vaughan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood*



**Christine Vaughan** - December 05, 2021 at 08:02 PM

CV

“ To The Family Sorrow for the passing of your Mother Praying Comforter and Peace At This Time He is Our Refuge at this appointed Time Joy Of The Lord Is Your Strength Stay Strong In The Lord Love You Samod and Quan Grandma Mrs.Wilson-Vaughan



Christine Vaughan - December 04, 2021 at 10:32 PM

BW

“ Baby..... This is a hard pill to swallow Baby. I miss you, & love you. Watch over us.



Boo Boo Williams - December 03, 2021 at 06:29 PM

MK

“ Marcus King lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood



Marcus King - December 03, 2021 at 05:12 PM

PT

“ Pearlline Tynes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lisa Franklin-Underwood



Pearline Tynes - December 03, 2021 at 10:05 AM

CM

“ Cynthia Manley lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Lisa Franklin-Underwood



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**Cynthia Manley** - December 02, 2021 at 09:47 PM