



Penithia Hamer

September 24, 1983 - December 8, 2018

Penithia ****Star**** Hamer passed on Monday December 3, 2018, 5:45 pm at Piedmont Hospital in Atlanta, Georgia due to surgery complications. Penithia was born the third child to the union of Ricardo Hamer Sr. (deceased) and Glenna Heard. On Saturday September, 24 1983 at Women's Hospital in Las Vegas Nevada.

At the tender age of 18 months her mother and siblings relocated to Georgia. Penithia affectionately known as "Penny" was raised primarily in the cities of Lawrenceville and Duluth, Georgia where she attended Benefield and Kanoheda Elementary, Sweetwater middle, and Graduated from Berkmar High School in June of 2002.

Penithia was well known by fellow students and Teachers in middle school and high school because of her quick wit and fun loving personality. In middle School she was awarded "The Student of the Year" award in her eighth-grade year of middle school. Upon graduating from High School Penny attended two years of college pursuing a degree as a Fashion Designer and Stylist at American Intercontinental University (AIU) in Atlanta Georgia.

Penny was a go-getter and an overachiever. She had great work ethics and believed in doing it well or not at all. This tenacious mature spirit was with her in all the occupations she worked. She began as a teenager working at Toys R Us and Kohl's as the shoe department manager at age 19. Then graduated into medical billing with Lincare, Northside Hospital and was currently employed with Children's Healthcare of Atlanta (CHOA).

Penithia had a big heart and infectious smile. Young children naturally gravitated to her and loved her. She loved them as well. She enjoyed mentoring young adults especially young ladies.

Penithia was preceded in death by her father Ricardo Hamer Sr. (July 11, 2003) and her grandfather Otis Heard Sr. (July 2, 2018). Penithia is survived by her mother Glenna Hamer, one sister Rickenna(Joseph)Walker, three Brothers, Ricardo(Jessica) Hamer, Sean Simmons, and Anthony Hamer; Her grandmother Imogene(Penny) Heard, three aunts; Senorra(Charles)Hines, Linda(James)Rouse, and Tammy Heard Hodges. Four uncles; Lorenzo (Dee Dee) Heard, Clark Hamer, Otis (Tirene) Heard Jr., Kevin Hodges. Two nieces and six nephews and a host of Family members and friends.

Cemetery Details

Mount Harmony Memorial Gardens

581 Veteran Memorial Hwy
Mableton , GA 30126

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 11. 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Hunter Hill Baptist Church
166 Edward Street
Atlanta, GA 30314

Service

DEC 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Penithia Hamer*

October 22, 2023 at 04:48 PM



“ *We went to school together and rode the same bus. She had an infectious energy. Always happy and smiling. Plus she was hilarious. I still remember her cracking jokes in science class. It's hard for me because my nephew accidentally shot himself two days after Penny passed away. I hope they're both in Heaven and making each other laugh. I miss them both*

Suzanne Johnson - November 03, 2019 at 12:34 PM



“ *My condolences to Penny's family. I worked with her at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. She was such a sweet young lady and the only one who could get away with calling me "Miss Norma". You could tell she was raised to be respectful and with manners. I thank her mom for raising such a wonderful young lady, what a testimony! She was always willing to share any information and keep me up to date on fashion and hair! I will truly miss my fashionista friend! Norma Smith @ CHOA*



Norma - December 12, 2018 at 09:16 AM



“ *Penny will truly be missed, I work with her at Children Healthcare of Atlanta, I would see her in the break room in the morning, she was a positive person. May God bless her family and keep them thru this difficult time. Paula Lockhart at CHOA.*

Paula Lockhart - December 10, 2018 at 09:43 AM