



## Arlissa V. Cummings

August 30, 1954 - November 23, 2020

Arlissa V. Cummings was born August 30, 1954 to the late Adele and Clifford Cummings. She is the proud mother of Tyrece Cummings and Tabias Greene. Arlissa was a life long resident of New Haven. She was educated in the New Haven Public Schools. Arlissa was employed by Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield- most of her time spent in the National Accounts department. She was later employed at Sam's Club.

Arlissa transitioned this life on Monday, November 23, 2020 along with her partner of 40+ years Joseph Greene. To cherish the countless memories in addition to her sons are her sister May Gause(Joe) and brother Johnny Cummings of New Haven. Two granddaughters Shyrece Cummings of New Haven and Amieya Cummings of North Carolina; Tabias Greene Jr., Tour'e Greene and Tyson Greene all of New Haven. She was anxiously awaiting the birth of her first great grandson "Izzy".

She was predeceased by 5 brothers, 2 sisters and 1 sister in law.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Calling Hours

DEC 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

McClam Funeral Home Chapel  
95 Dixwell Ave  
New Haven, CT 06511

### Funeral Service

DEC 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Arlissa V. Cummings*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *To John and the Family  
My heart was saddened to hear of your loss I  
pray that God gives you the Comfort of warm  
memories during these trying times. He will  
never leave you or forsake you Peace and  
Blessings Joyce Troutman Diggs*



**Joyce Diggs** - December 17, 2020 at 05:54 PM



“ *Deborah Tolson-Furlow lit a candle in memory  
of Arlissa V. Cummings*



**Deborah Tolson-Furlow** - December 07, 2020 at 09:19 PM



“ *Susan Lafrazier lit a candle in memory of  
Arlissa V. Cummings*



**Susan Lafrazier** - December 07, 2020 at 07:17 PM

MB

“ On behalf of the BCBS National Accounts retired DIVAS, we send our heartfelt sympathy to the Cummings family. It was fun back then working at the North Haven office especially with Lisa. She could make you laugh just by looking at you. I will never forget the day she said to us I bought a cat.. she was having some uninvited small house guests. She loved her sons & proud of her only granddaughter during my time at BCBS.

Written for & by: Marva Sears Braggs (FL), for all those who shared & loved Lisa at BCBS.

*"Let not your heart be troubled,..... I will come again & will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. John 14: 1-3(ESV)*

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**Marva Braggs** - December 07, 2020 at 11:37 AM

NH

“ My most sincere condolences To Johnny and the Cummmings family at this time.

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**Nate Hurse** - December 07, 2020 at 09:14 AM

CM

“ Chevelle Mack lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings



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**Chevelle Mack** - December 07, 2020 at 08:57 AM

CD

“ Carolyn Deboise lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings



Carolyn Deboise - December 06, 2020 at 09:25 PM

CD

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Carolyn Deboise - December 06, 2020 at 07:19 PM

TP

“ Tina Phelmetta lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings



Tina Phelmetta - December 06, 2020 at 11:59 AM



“ Sleep in Heavenly Peace Lissa.  
My prayers and condolences to you all.



Hope Johnson - December 06, 2020 at 10:04 AM



“ *My condolences go out to the family of Ms Arlissa. I worked with her for 2 years and never a unkind word to say to me. She will be missed*



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**Christine Martin** - December 05, 2020 at 07:09 PM



“ *Cherylann Natale lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings*



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**cherylann natale** - December 04, 2020 at 10:14 PM



“ *Charzette Wearing lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings*



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**charzette wearing** - December 04, 2020 at 09:38 AM



“ *You were like a quiet storm to me aunt Lissie!! I will miss you!!!*



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**Thonequa Grant** - December 04, 2020 at 08:12 AM

MR

“ *Much love, Bettie & Ricky purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Arlissa V. Cummings.*



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**Much love, Bettie & Ricky** - December 03, 2020 at 09:06 PM

GB

“ *Gina Byrd lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings*



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**Gina Byrd** - December 03, 2020 at 07:59 PM

SH

“ *SIP godmother*

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**Shamia** - December 02, 2020 at 05:49 PM

MC

“ *Maria Coardes lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings*



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**Maria Coardes** - December 02, 2020 at 08:15 AM

HP

“ To Cummings Family: sending condolences & prayer's another brick baby gonna home, just saw Lisa at Stop&shop and talking about old days. and when heard of her passing & Joe both sharing RIP Upstaires together



Helen C Powell - December 01, 2020 at 03:45 PM

CD

“ Arlissa and I were childhood friends. When I would come home I would see her. Arlissa and I grew up on Canal St. as well as North Court. The time we spent together as childhood friends was out of this world. I will miss Lisa and will never forget the lasting friendship we had. Rest and peace my friend because we will meet again. Your long time friend Cooky Douglas

Cooky Douglas - December 01, 2020 at 09:11 AM

EY

“ Elizabeth Yarbrough lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings



Elizabeth Yarbrough - December 01, 2020 at 08:22 AM

KH

“ May the love and peace of God rest upon our family during this time of sorrow. God has been good to us. We all have many good memories of Lissie. Let’s continue to live our lives in a way that will please God and make our own memories. In one of my last texts with Lissie, I asked her how she was feeling and she replied, “I’m in His hands.” She knew where she was going. We just didn’t know when. Rest In Peace, Lissie. We Love You!  
Your Cousins Kim and Daughters

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**Kim Hibbert** - December 01, 2020 at 07:47 AM

MS

“ Martha Smalls lit a candle in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings



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**Martha Smalls** - November 30, 2020 at 08:28 PM

MS

“ Martha Smalls sent a virtual gift in memory of Arlissa V. Cummings



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**Martha Smalls** - November 30, 2020 at 08:28 PM

CL

“ R.I.P. My friend gone but not forgotten.



Cheryl Grimes LeShore - November 30, 2020 at 07:55 PM

AP

“ Earth has know sorrow that heaven can't heal  
prayers are with you and your family From  
Minister Angela Dea.Jackie Pemberton.



Angela Pemberton - November 30, 2020 at 04:43 PM

DR

“ Arlissa (Lisa) Cummings was my best friend since our teenage  
years. When you saw one you saw the other. I moved away from  
New Haven to South Carolina 22 years ago and nothing changed  
with our friendship except us being together everyday. We had so  
much fun being around the Ashmun Street Projects. I love my friend  
and miss her, but I know I will see her again. Praying for Tyrese and  
Tobias that God will give them the strength to carry on. Love Diane  
Bradley Ritter.

Diane Bradley Ritter - November 30, 2020 at 04:11 PM