



## Ms. Rhonda Unescia Swift

October 30, 1956 - September 13, 2012

Rhonda U. Swift was born on October 30, 1956 to the union of Claudia and Ulysses Swift, Sr. in

St. Louis, Missouri.

Rhonda graduated from Washington High School in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and attended the University of Wisconsin Madison.

At an early age, Rhonda was baptized and accepted Christ at Greater Galilee Baptist Church. She was a member of Riverwest Baptist Church, under the leadership of Pastor Jimmy Burks in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Rhonda was a sister, friend, and a warrior in and out a highly intelligent, articulate, courageous and adventurous woman. She was filled with passion, sensitivities, hopes, fears and abilities. She loved hard and deep, her family, friends and colleagues.

She possessed a strong desire to understand and strive for peace. She had an enormous capacity and will to live. We admired her. She was a brave woman, stubborn, gentle, but direct and had an amazing sense of humor.

Rhonda was a longtime employee with the Milwaukee Public School System and served in multiple positions. In her leisure she enjoyed reading, with a passion and her thrill was watching "scary movies".

Rhonda U. Swift departed this life on September 13, 2012. She was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, Frank and Roseann Swift; her maternal grandparents; John and Mamie Joiner, her brother Ulysses (Sandy) Swift Jr., and nephew, Jason Stewart.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her parents, Claudia and Ulysses Sr. of Milwaukee, WI; sisters and brothers, Brenda Swift of Milwaukee, WI, Randall Swift(Linda) of Mequon, WI, Janet Swift of Boston, MA, Lorraine Swift of San Antonio, TX, Jacqueline Swift of Milwaukee, WI, Waylon (Terry) Swift of Milwaukee, WI; Tracy Marshall (James) ofAtlanta, GA; nephews, Gregory LaShawn Swift, Dion Swift, Brian Swift, and David Anthon Paul; nieces, Jessica Marshall and Krystal Paul; sister-in-law, Karen; and a host of great nieces, great nephews, other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.  
Milwaukee, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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