

## Poem from Rhonda

*Sisters can be annoying pests who hog the bathroom and borrow your clothes without asking to get on your nerves, they are always there for you when times get tough and usually, they are your best friends. Sisters are always ready to love, comfort, and defend you. They are lifelong friends you can count on until the end. In fact, the only force powerful enough to cut short the friendship between a sister and her siblings is death. The loss of such a special relative can be particularly painful, but holding dear all of the precious memories we shared will help me to cope. You may have drove me crazy but I would give anything to have you here with me again.*

## Poem from Kimberly

*If only I knew that our time would be so brief,  
Spoiled you rotten I would have done.  
If only I knew that would be our last phone call,  
Just to listen to you speak, held on longer I would have done.  
If only I knew that would be your last text,  
Kept it in my inbox I would have done.  
If only I knew it was the last time I was seeing you,  
Called you back and hugged you tight I would have done.  
If only I knew it was the last time I would see you smile,  
Stood longer and watch you smile I would have done.  
If only I knew that I was seeing your face for the last time,  
Memorize all its features I would have done.  
If only I knew that God would take you away so soon,  
Spend all my time with you I would have done.  
There are a lot of things I would have done differently  
If only I had known.*

*Repast*  
Will be announced

## Acknowledgements

The family of the late Jacqueline Denis Pughsley, would like to express their sincere appreciation to each and every one of you for the calls, text messages, visits, warm meals, cards, flowers, gifts of love, and the precious gift of your time during this difficult season. Your kindness, prayers, and support have brought comfort and strength to our family.

May God bless you all, and may His face richly shine upon you and your family.



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*Celebrating The Life Of*

*Jacqueline Denise Pughsley*

DECEMBER 14, 1961 - FEBRUARY 14, 2026

Saturday, February 21, 2026  
10:00 AM

*McWhite's Funeral Home Chapel*  
3501 West Broward Boulevard  
Lauderhill, FL 33312

Pastor Pastor Larry Walker, Officiating

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# Her Story

*"To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord"*

On February 14th the Lord called home a vibrant soul, Jackie Pughsley. Known to all who loved her as "Pastor" To some but "Mom" to others, Jackie was a woman of realness and love. She was a mother figure to everyone she came in contact with because of her nurturing spirit. She was blunt and can seem strict when she wants the best for someone she loves. In her spare time outside of work and church she loved to shop, have lunch dates, and spend quality time with family and friends.

Born on December 14th 1961 to Frank and Joyce Brooks in Morristown Tn. She graduated from Morristown East High School then continued her education at Middle Tennessee State University where she later graduated with a degree in social work. After making a choice to move to Fort Lauderdale Florida she took on a job at the Department of Children and Family where she later retired after 35 years.

Jackie leaves behind her sisters Kimberly Brotherton and (Garrick) , and Rhonda Brooks. She also leave behind her brother Chris Nicely (Michelle), Stepson Jeremy Mccrea, Spiritual daughters Te'niya, Shakira McFadden (Elijah Harris), Carmilia Pompey (Derell) , and Aiden.

She was preceded in death by her father Frank Brooks, mother Joyce Nicely, her son Ryan Kennedy, her brother Zachary Nicely and husband Kurt Pughsley.

The Family finds comfort in knowing that Jackie is now with her husband Kurt Pughsley resting in the Lord's hand once together again in peace.



*Precious Memories...*

# Order Of Service

**Processional**

**Selection**

**Opening Prayer**  
(Javaris Shields)

**Scripture Reading**  
Old Testament (Natasha Wiggins)  
New Testament (Arnell Lamons)

**Poem**  
(Latoya Tisdale-Turner)

**Praise Dance**  
(Carmilia Pompey)

**Song Rap**  
(Jerodd Fain)

**Words Of Encouragement**

**Shakira McFadden**  
(As A Daughter)  
Darryl Cook  
Syreeta Cook  
(As Friends)

**2 Min Remarks**  
(Please keep it at 2 minutes)

**Acknowledgements**  
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**Selection**

**Eulogy**  
(Pastor Larry Walker)

**Last Glance**

**Recessional**