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Obituary

Sandra Morton, age 64, passed away peacefully on May 31, 2025, at her home in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Born on July 10, 1960, in Freeman, Virginia, Sandra was the beloved daughter of George and Jossie Trusty. She graduated from Brunswick High School in 1978 and went on to earn a degree in Marketing from Virginia Commonwealth University. Later, she pursued a degree in Education from Virginia Union University and, with her enduring love of knowledge, returned to school to earn a master's degree in Library Science.

Sandra was the devoted and loving wife of Bert Morton, with whom she shared a lifetime of love, laughter, and unshakable faith. Together, they were a shining example of commitment and grace, and would have celebrated their 44th wedding anniversary on October 2, 2025.

Known for her radiant voice and graceful dance, Sandra brought joy to many through her musical and artistic talents. Whether lifting spirits with her band's rendition of Mustang Sally or dancing with purpose and passion, she touched countless hearts and left lasting impressions. But beyond her talents, Sandra will be most remembered for her generous heart and unwavering willingness to help anyone in need.

A pillar of strength and service within her Jehovah Witness Ocean congregation, Sandra was often the first to lend a hand, offer a word of encouragement, or sit and pray with someone. She loved to travel, having visited most U.S. states, as well as the Bahamas, Mexico, Canada, Bermuda, and Italy. In 2024, she fulfilled a lifelong dream of touring South America. She also found joy in reading, exercising along the oceanfront, and spending cherished time with her family.

Sandra thrived in educational spaces and was passionate about learning and teaching. Her presence would light up a school, and she made a lasting impact on students, colleagues, and friends wherever she went.

Her life was a melody of love, faith, and service—and though she has taken her final bow, her song lives on in the hearts of all who knew her.

She is survived by her husband, Bert Morton Sr.; her daughter, Tierney Walker (James) of Macon, North Carolina; and her son, Bert Morton Jr. of Chester, Virginia. She was a devoted grandmother to three grandsons: Keegan, Shiloh, and Jahari and two granddaughters: Jahmya, and Jahtia.

Sandra is also survived by her sisters: Margaret (Ed) Clay; Carolyn Trusty; Elsie Best; and Stephanie Trusty; and her brothers: George (Bonita) Trusty; Milton (Pearl) Trusty; Marvin (Sandra) Trusty; and Terry (Ellen) Trusty; her sister in law Malinda Morton. She leaves behind a host of beloved nieces, nephews, cousins, dear friends, and lifelong companions. *She will be deeply missed and forever remembered.*

Order of Service

Chairman | Brother Morrison
Opening Song | 139 - See yourself when all is new
Prayer
Obituary
Discourse | Brother Cornell Brown
Interview | Carlette Lewis
Closing Song | 151 - He will call
Prayer

Appreciation

Your calls, texts, cards, and thoughtful gestures during this challenging time have provided comfort beyond measure. In our darkest moments, your presence was a true ray of hope, offering strength, encouragement, and a reminder that we are never alone. We are profoundly grateful for your kindness, empathy, and unwavering support.

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