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#### **Obituaries**

### Homecoming

Service

Gloria Harris

A Homecoming service for Gloria Dean Harris, who died Sept. 23, 2014, will be held Saturday, Oct. 4 at 10 a.m. at Ainsworth United Church of Christ, 2941 N.E. Ainsworth St. Viewing will take place Thursday, Oct. 2 at 10 a.m. at Terry Family Funeral Home, 2337 N. Williams Ave.

She was born on March 3, 1943 to Jack Sr. and Nancy Harris.

She attended West side Elementary and Eliza Miller High School in West Helena, Ark., Mississippi Valley State University (where she mastered how to press hair), and she received her Bachelor in Counseling at



Portland State University.

In Portland, she her sister Vera Harris were pioneer-

ing African American women in the community. Gloria finished her degree while working at Wonder Bread bakery and being a full time mother. She touched many lives in a career working at North/ Northeast Mental Health Agency, The Boys and Girls Aid Society, and Cascade AIDS.

Gloria was an active PTA member and regular volunteer at Boise Elliot School. She enjoyed nature and working in her garden. She was a board member of Dress for Success and ran for City Council with the slogan being "Back to Basics." She was an active member of the Aurora Women's Choir of Portland and was a member of Ainsworth United Church of Christ.

Her siblings were Annie Mae Cheatam, Annette Smith (deceased), Vera Harris, Ernestine Harris, Patricia Harris, George Harris, Jack Harris Jr. and Wendell Harris

Survivors include a son Dennis Harris, nephew/ son Hendrix Harris, daughter Tanya Harris and niece/ daughter Etta Harris; several grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews.



#### In Loving Memory

**Kyle Nathaniel Baker** 

A Celebration of Life service for Kyle Nathaniel Baker will be held Thursday, Oct. 2 at 1 p.m. at Living Waters Community Church, 2901 N.E. 65th

He was born Oct. 18, 1971 and passed away on Sept. 24, 2014. He attended Sabin Elementary, Beaumont Middle School and Franklin High School.

Survivors left to cherish his memory are his wife Dana, and children Tessa, Cassius and Jamison.



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