



**Ms. Mary Mechell "Duke" Carter**, daughter of Sallie Mae Salmon, was born on February 18, 1969 in Duplin County, North Carolina. She departed this earthly life on Monday, March 14, 2016 at McLeod Medical Center in Florence, South Carolina.

**Mary** was educated in the public schools of Dillon County. She worked at South of the Border and served as an Election Poll Manager in Dillon County.

**"Duke"** was a loving and giving person who would do whatever she could for others, even when they didn't deserve it. She loved her family and especially her grandson who lived with her, Lamari Carter. Because she loved them, **Duke** was known for giving young people words of wisdom and truth which made a positive impact in many lives.

She was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Khaleena Carter.

**Mary** leaves to cherish her memories: her mother, Sallie Mae Salmon; her children: Mario Carter, Montrell (Cliff Pearce) Carter and Kareema Carter; sisters: Monique (Latoya) Salmon, Sonya Campbell, Schenike (Charles) Horne and Morris Burroughs; brothers: William (Pamela) Salmon, DeCarlo Salmon and Willie Burroughs; grandchildren: Lamari Carter and Josiah Alford; special children: Renata McCormick, Bobby Campbell, Tony Williamson, Jr., Patrick Salmon and Latifah Nails; special grandchildren: Shayla and Moni McCormick; special brothers: Jared Page and Tyrone Manning; special sisters: Renee (James) McNeil, Martha Shider, Karen Short and Cindy Campbell; goddaughter: Janaijah Hamilton; special niece: Jaylyn Salmon; special nephew: Lindsey Salmon; special cousin: Wesley Carter; six aunts, five uncles, a host of nephews, nieces, cousins, friends and many others whose names may not have been written, but surely have not been forgotten.