

ORDER OF SERVICE



Officiant - Pastor Darron Harley,
New Birth Praise & Worship Christian Church

- Musical Prelude.....
- Processional of Clergy & Family.....
- Call To Worship..... Pastor Darron Harley
- Prayer of Comfort.....
- Scriptural Reading:
- Old Testament.....
- New Testament.....
- Solo.....
- Reflections (2-3 Minutes).....
- Solo.....
- Reading of Cards and Resolutions/Obituary.....
- Special Family Tribute.....
- Solo..... Mya Williams
- Eulogy..... Pastor Darron Harley
- Benediction.....
- Recessional..... Clergy & Family

To My Sister

Never thought this pain I could not bare,
 Never thought your voice I would not hear,
 Never thought your smile I would not see,
 Never thought that you would go away from me,
 Never thought that I would miss your touch
 or I'll be crying inside because it hurts to much
 Never thought this dream would be real
 but it's confirmed because of the pain I feel.
 Instead I thought you would live forever
 And that we would always be together
 I thought we had much more to do
 but instead God chose you.
 He opened the gates of Heaven to let you in .
 So bye for now, until we meet again. - **Love Wanda**



My First Friend

When I am gone, release me, let me go.
 I have so many things to see and do.
 You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears,
 Be happy that we had so many years.
 I gave you my love and you can only guess,
 How much you gave me in happiness.
 I thank you for the love you each have shown,
 But now it's time I traveled on alone.
 So grieve awhile for me, if grieve you must
 Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
 It's only for awhile that we must part
 So bless the memories within your heart.
 I won't be far away, for life goes on,
 So, if you need me, call and I will come.
 Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near;
 And if you listen with your heart,
 You'll hear all my love around you soft and clear.
 And then, when you must come this way alone
 I'll greet you with a smile and say, "Welcome Home."
 Love, The Family



Interment: PRIVATE

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Celebration OF LIFE AND LOVE OF



Vanessa D. WILLIAMS

NOVEMBER 13, 1960 - JUNE 20, 2023

WEDNESDAY, JULY 5, 2023
 VIEWING 9:00 AM | SERVICE 11:00 AM

G. Choice Funeral Chapel
 2530 North Broad Street, Philadelphia PA, 19132



My Story

Vanessa Dawn Williams

also known as "Nessa" was born to her single parent, Willie Mae Williams on November 13, 1960.

Vanessa completed part of her education at Simon Gratz High School, and later extended her education at Charleston Job Corps Center where she received her certification in carpentry. At the age of 9 y/o Vanessa joined Cornerstone Baptist Church, where she loved to sing and praise the Lord. Vanessa had a beautiful voice and spirit. Vanessa loved to tell jokes, and was known to fill the room with laughter. She was a kind and caring person who loved to help others, whether it be to help seniors in her community, working the political polls, or the broad street run, you would always find Vanessa willing and ready to serve.

Vanessa predeceased the death of her mother, Willie Mae Williams Traore, her grandmother, Hattie Mae Jordan, her grandfather John Mccutcheon Senior and her brother Victor Williams.

She leaves to cherish her memories with her two daughters; Shamarah Williams and Rolanda Williams, Siblings; Wanda Hammond, Gregory Williams, and Crystal Heard, Uncle and aunt; Lamar and Hattie Mccutcheon, In-laws; Charles Hammond Jr, Felicia Williams, Jonathan Heard, Deborah and Leroy Herbert, Nephews and Nieces; Gregory M Williams, Charles Hammond III, Michael Williams, Mikel Hammond, Jonathan Hassan Heard, Shareff Hammond, Janisha Heard, Jasmine Williams, Jonnell Heard, Lakisha Webb, D'Anna Hammond and a host of great nieces, nephews and special friend, Crystal Stroman.

LOVINGLY SUBMITTED,
The Family



If Roses Grow in Heaven

If Roses grow in Heaven
Lord, please pick a bunch for me.
Place them in my Mother's arms
and tell her they're from me.
Tell her that I love her and miss her,
and when she turns to smile,
place a kiss upon her cheek
and hold her for a while.
Because remembering her is easy,
I do it every day,
but there's an ache within my heart
that will never go away.

Shamarah & Rolanda

