



Wilhelmenia Edwards Kennedy

April 28, 1960 - October 11, 2024

Wilhelmenia was born on April 28, 1960 in Charlotte, Nc to the late Jay Charles Edwards Sr and Ada Brice Edwards. She was preceded in death by her brother Jay Charles Edwards Jr. She passed peacefully into eternal rest on October 11, 2024. Wilhelmenia graduated from Garinger High School in 1978. And continued her education at Central Piedmont Community College and Rutledge Business College. Wilhemenia met the love of her life-Otis Kennedy at an early age and was a loving husband of 41 years. She was a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, friend and so much more to many others. Wilhelmenia enjoyed doing puzzles, word search, coloring books, and watching old western cowboy movies (Gun smoke was her favorite). She loved her family dearly and was the one you could talk to about anything. She has a dog name Jordan which she bought him for Jade before she went off to college. Jordan became her best friend and it's been them two ever since. She was a great mom, sister, aunt, friend, spouse, so calm, very chilled, loving, and so much fun. Mama is what we called her, and she

was just that. We love you, Mama! Wilhelmenia started working at Nations Bank (Bank of America) for 8 years in the wire transfer department. And retired from Mecklenburg County ABC Board as a sales associate for 20 years. Wilhelmenia was preceded by her Mother Ada Edwards Brice, Father Jay Charles Sr, and brother Jay Charles Edwards Jr. Wilhelmenia is survived by her loving husband, Otis; Three devoted children, Jazmin(Terrell), Jarrett,

and Jade(Mareo),Three step children; Victor (Umonda), Shirley Denise, and One brother Adolphus Edwards (Elizabeth), Three sisters; A Deloris Edwards (Jeffery), Gladys Edwards, and Mericia Morris(Harry); Two grandchildren, Jaylan Edwards and Jamir White and a host of in-laws, nieces, nephews, other relatives and close friends.

Cemetery Details

Red Hill Church Cemetery

35 State Road S - 20 - 340
Blackstock , NC 29014

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Ebenezer Baptist Church
2020 W. Sugar Creek Road
Charlotte, NC 28262

Celebration of Life Service

OCT **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Rhonda Beatty lit a candle in memory of
Wilhelmenia Kennedy* ”



Rhonda Beatty - October 23, 2024 at 12:22 PM