

Miss Me, But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road and the sun has set for me,
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room;
Why cry for a soul set free?
Miss me a little—but not too long and not with your
head bowed low.

Remember the love that we once shared.

Miss me—but let me go.

For this journey that we all must take and each must go alone. It's all a part of the Master's plan, A step on the road to home. When you are lonely and sick of heart, go to the friends we know and bury your sorrows in doing good deeds.

Miss me—but let me go.

The family of Yvonne Williams would like to thank everyone for all their prayers, calls, and acts of kindness during our difficult journey. Thanks to the Terry Family Funeral Home staff.

To send the family personal messages of condolence, please visit Yvonne's online webpage guestbook at www.terryfamilyfuneralhome.com

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Yvonne Williams

Sunrise August 5, 1950 Sunset November 4, 2019

Homegoing Celebration

Wednesday, November 20, 2019 at 11:00 AM
Antioch Missionary Baptist Church
5935 N. Minnesota Ave
Portland, Oregon 97217
Pastor Charles N. Collins



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Order of Service

Yvonne Williams was born to Leanna Thompson and John Thompson, on August 5, 1950 in Winnfield, Louisiana. In 1953, Leanna relocated to Seattle and bought her 3 children with her, Vera, Yvonne and Tommy. Yvonne went on to graduate from Garfield High School in 1968 and continued her education with Washington State University. She graduated in 1972 with a BA in Education.

After she graduated, she relocated to Portland where she gained employment with Portland Public Schools. She retired from that school district after 34 years of dedicated service.

She was an active member of Alpha Kappa Alpha (AKA) Sorority, Inc. since her college days.

Yvonne was an active member at the New Hope Missionary Baptist Church in Seattle before relocating and became a loyal and dependable member of the Antioch Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Pastor Felton Howard Sr.

On June 29, 1983, Yvonne married Louis B. Williams Jr. They were married for over 36 years. They had one son, Louis B. Williams III and a daughter, Shelby Lynne Williams. She strived to instill respect, love, and kindness in her children whom she adored immensely.

Yvonne leaves to cherish her memory and continue her legacy her husband, Louis B. Williams Jr. and her children Louis B. Williams III and Shelby Lynne Williams; three grandchildren, LaMar Williams, Tyrique Williams and Venessa Lana' Williams; three sisters, Vera Jenkins, Dorothy Vaughn, and Elaine Calloway; two brothers, Marion Jones and Michael Thompson; niece Brittni Thompson and nephew, Kyle Thompson along with many more beloved nieces, nephews and other relatives. As well as her special mama, Mother Cleo Cobbs.

She was preceded in death by her brother Tommy Thompson, father Emanuel Jones, and her beloved mother Leanna Jones.

Reverend Charles Howard Sr. Prelude Minister of Music

Officiating Missionary Dorene Jones New Testament C.O.G.I.G.

Processional Clergy & Family

Pastor Carland Allen Greater Mt. Gilliard MBC Opening Prayer

Scripture Old & New Testament Rev. Charles Howard & Rev. Percy Davis

Antioch MBC Choir Musical Selection

Words from the Family

Crystal Wilson, A Former Tubman Student Musical Selection

Reading on behalf of Alpha Kappa Alpha Margarett Peoples

Reading of Obituary Rena Allen

Shukura Mitchell Musical Selection

Alice Elizondo Cards & Acknowledgements

Words from Friends

2 Minutes Please

Musical Selection Mother Lorene Wilder

Fellowship MBC

Pastor Charles N. Collins Antioch MBC Eulogy

Viewing

Recessional

Interment immediately following the service at Willamette National Cemetery Please join the family for the repass at Antioch MBC directly after the Cemetery

Pallbearers

Tony Dillon Robert Jamison Kenny Jenkins Alexander Massad Princeton Jamison Xavier Massad

Honorary Pallbearers

Thomas Glenn Noah Guinn—Godson Reggie Williams Andre Jamison

