

Celebrating the Life

of

Mrs. Patricia Elaine Williams Coffey

Sunrise

March 9, 1942

Sunset

July 24, 2024



FUNERAL SERVICE

Saturday, August 3, 2024

Service: 12:00 P.M.

First Baptist Church (Monroe)

109 West Morrow Avenue

Monroe, North Carolina 28112

Dr. Chris Dawson, Pastor

Rev. Haywood Redfern, Eulogist

Order of Service

Family Processional.....	Pianist Jairus Poston
Scriptural Readings	Rev. Beverly Clawson
	<i>Pastor Mt. Olive AME Zion Church</i>
Old Testament.....	Psalms 121:1-8
New Testament.....	2 Corinthians 5:1-9
Prayer of Consolation.....	Rev. Haywood Redfern
Musical Selection.....	<i>(The Love of Jesus)</i>The Hailey Family
Remarks:	
Retired Principle of Union County Public Schools.....	Raymond Holman
President of the Winchester Alumni Association.....	Nancy Baker
Rock Rest Nursing & Rehabilitation.....	Jeremy Barrows
Special Acknowledgments	Ashley Banks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Our family wishes to extend our deepest appreciation to Eleanor Kennedy for her loving and praying support for Pat during their time together.• A special thanks to the administration, staff, and residents of the Rock Rest Nursing & Rehabilitation. You will always be remembered for a job well done.	
Musical Selection.....	<i>(Wind Beneath My Wings)</i>Perrin Williams
Obituary.....	Read Silently
Musical Selection.....	<i>(His Eye Is On The Sparrow)</i>Perrin Williams
A Message from His Word.....	Rev. Haywood Redfern
Recessional.....	Pianist Jairus Poston

The Committal / Benediction / Internment

Lakeland Memorial Park Cemetery

Monroe, North Carolina

Acknowledgment & Expressions of Gratitude

The family would also like to express their profound and heartfelt gratitude for every act of love and kindness extended to us during this season of bereavement.

After the Committal Service, please join the family for a repast at the church.

The Obituary for Pat Coffey

Pat Coffey began this journey of life on March 3, 1942, in Monroe, NC. She was the first of 12 children to the late Jones McConnie and Lillie Mary Williams.

Pat was lovingly known as “*Toot*” in her early years by all who knew her. Spoiled by her grandparents Juanita and Cleveland Allen, along with neighborhood teenagers Uncle Willie Haskell, Jimmy Morrison, Howard Blount and Holly Shannon, to name a few who helped contribute to her character.

She garnered a spirit of love and selfless giving throughout her years in high school, where she was a member of the girls’ basketball team, a cheerleader, and other activities.

It wasn't until she met and married her husband, the late Otis Coffey, who sang in the local band, “The Swinging Pedros”, that she became affectionately called Pat Coffey, due to numerous Pats in the family.

Pat Coffey was a matriarch to her family, hosting most of the cookouts and family gatherings. She lovingly supported her brothers, sisters, nieces, and nephews through life’s trials with sound advice and a loving touch. She taught her nieces and nephews to be well-rounded, cultured, and took them on adventures like their first plane ride at the JAARS Center in Waxhaw, NC. Pat put them in fashion shows for K-Mart and got them into community theater. She was an amazing sister and aunt!

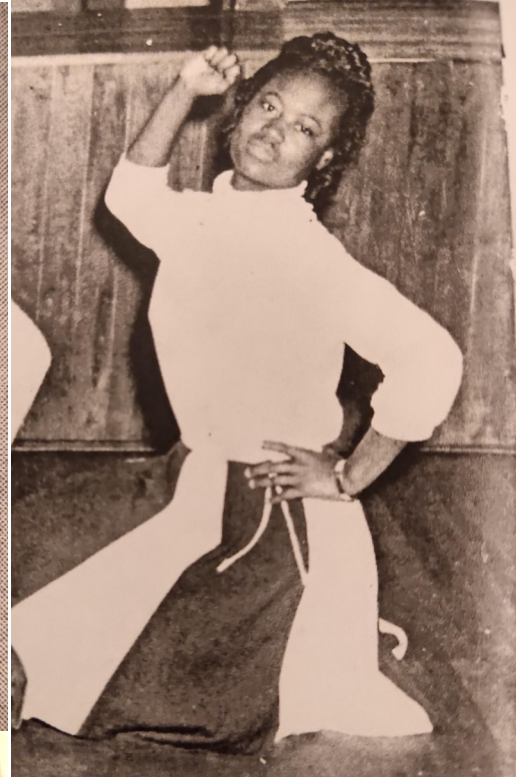
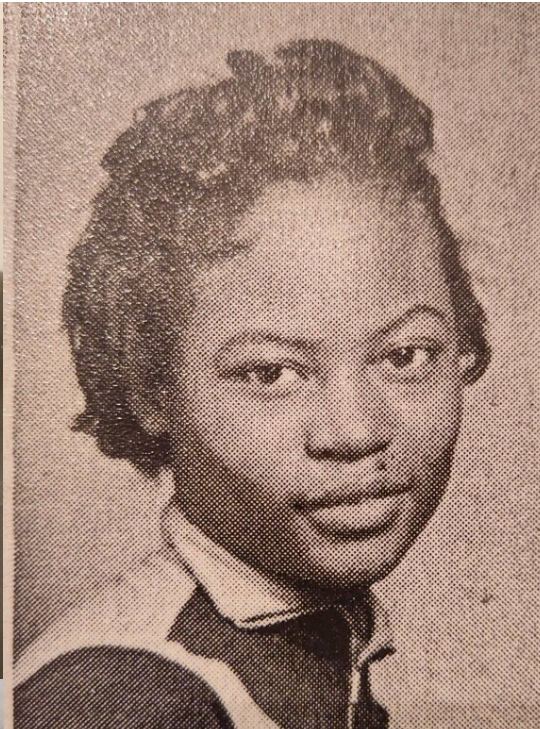
Pat Coffey was a nurturing soul to many people, willing to assist in all aspects of life to provide comfort to all. Her love for the community and her creativity led to the involvement of several organizations: Rape Crisis Assistance, Signs of The Zodiac, The Winchester Alumni Association, she was Founder of The Junior Gentlemen Club of Benton Heights Elementary School, Co-Founder of The Rainbow Theater, and a mentor of the Monroe High School Alternative Program. She affected the lives of so many.

Pat Coffey could take ANYTHING and make it into SOMETHING!

SHE COULD HAVE BEEN MAYOR!

Pat Coffey was young when she began her Christian journey and joined Blacks Memorial Presbyterian Church where she was a faithful servant.

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Patricia Williams.









Preceded in death by her husband Otis Coffey, her sister's; infant Sandra Williams, Gail Cunningham, and Jennifer Winchester.

Pat Coffey leaves to cherish fond memories: Connie Williams-Massey (Robbie), Donald Williams (Marlene), Chester Williams (Shirley), Addie Wynn (Vernard), Jones Williams (Konya), Christopher Williams (Cathy), Marcus Williams (Tammy), and Gina Williams along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousin, and friends.



I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one.
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways,
of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry before the sun,
of happy memories that I leave when life on earth is done.

Floral Bearers

The Signs of The Zodiac

Casket Bearers

Nephews and Friends

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