In Loving Memory of

Norma D. Wilson

Sunrise
April 2, 1945

Sunset
September 28, 2026

Service
Saturday, October 24th 2026 - 10:00 a.m.

Butler Memorial United Methodist Church

3920 Paulding Avenue • Bronx, NY 10466

Reverend Dr. Alpher Sylvester, Officiating

Maria Rowell-Witherspoon, Organist

Order of Service

Musical Interlude/Processional…….Maria Rowell-Witherspoon

Words of Welcome……..…….... Reverend Dr. Alpher Sylvester

Hymn of Comfort……..…….... 496 "Sweet Hours of Prayer"

Scripture Readings
Old Testament ……..…. Psalm 90: 1-12, Aaliyah
New Testament ……..……John 11-20-26, Andrea

Musical Selection…….……. Bronxwood Men's Choir

Obituary……..……...……...Lesa (Niece)

Reflections…….…. Norma's Family & Friends

Acknowledgments ……. Melisa (Niece)

Musical Selection.……...…. Bronxwood Men's Choir

Sermon…….…..…Reverend Dr. Alpher Sylvester

Commendation & Committal

Prayers for the Family……..……Mrs. Milda Bailey

Final Remarks…….……..…Funeral Director

Benediction

Recessional…….Maria Rowell-Witherspoon

Interment
Kensico Cemetery
273 Lakeview Ave.
Valhalla, NY 10595

REPASS
Bronxwood International Church of God
3232 Lurting Ave., Bronx, NY 10469

Obituary

Norma Wilson was born in Palmers Cross, Jamaica on April 2, 1945 to parents Emily Black and Baltimore Donaldson.

She went to school and lived in Clarendon, Jamaica until she immigrated to the US in 1968. She studied nursing, attending Bronx Community College for her associate degree in nursing and earning her bachelor's degree at The College of New Rochelle, graduating to become a Registered Nurse. She began her nursing career working at and eventually retiring from Montefiore Hospital in 2007. Affectionately known as "Norms," "Norma D" or "Mrs. Butterworth" to her colleagues.

In 1977 she married Charles "Jeff" Wilson and had a son, Charles Wilson in 1978.

Aunt Norma was both determined and selfless. Both qualities led to her always being "out." She was always on the go making her rounds. No one has been more giving, more selfless or more loving. She kept in touch with everyone form primary school friends to those she met throughout the years of her life She was always concerned about and trying to take care of others to her last breath.

She attended Butler Memorial Methodist Church where she was involved in various church activities always requesting donations for scholarships, school building funds, etc. to help others. She always saw the good in people and went out of her way to make everyone feel loved, valued and included.

She is survived by her husband, Charles Wilson; son, Charles Wilson, Jr.; Siblings, William, Stanley, Silas and Edith Henry along with multiple nieces, nephews, grand nieces, grand nephews and many, many friends.

Take your rest now, Aunt Norma, YOU'RE ENTITLED!

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 is a journey that we all must take,
And each must go alone.
It's all part of the Master's plan,
A step on the road to home.
When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go to the friends we know.
Laugh at the things we use to do
Miss me-but let me go.
-author unknown

Acknowledgments

The family would like to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness shown to them during their time of bereavement.

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