

IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
*Yvonne*  
WILSON-HARLEY



*A Devout Christian, Loving Mother, Teacher, and Matriarch  
"He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall  
abide under the shadow of the Almighty." – Psalm 91:1*

SUNRISE: July 22, 1945 - SUNSET: April 4, 2025

Saturday, May 10, 2025 - 3pm

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# *Celebration Of Life*

**Processional**

**Musical Selection**

**Scripture Readings**

**Prayer of Comfort**

**Musical Selection**

**Reflections**

**(Family & Friends)**

**Darlene Wilson**

**Acknowledgements & Obituary Reading**

**Musical Selection**

**Eulogy**

**Closing Prayer & Benediction**

**Recessional**

*"Because you have made the Lord your refuge...  
no evil shall befall you..." – Psalm 91:9-10*



# Obituary

**Yvonne Wilson** was born on July 22, 1945, to parents, Sydney and Mary Campbell. She was a shining light whose warmth, wisdom, and grace touched all who knew her. At the age of 79, Yvonne peacefully transitioned from this life, leaving behind a legacy of love, resilience, and faith.

A devout Christian, Yvonne's life was grounded in prayer. She was known for faithfully lifting her family and loved ones before God, drawing strength from her favorite scripture, Psalm 91. As the matriarch of the Wilson-Campbell family, Yvonne led with grace, compassion, and unwavering devotion.

Her life's motto, "Keep going," was a reflection of her perseverance and indomitable spirit. No matter the challenges she faced, Yvonne inspired everyone around her to press forward with faith, strength, and dignity.

Yvonne was a devoted mother, sister, grandmother, aunt, and friend. She was the proud mother of three daughters, Zamora Wilson, Darlene Wilson, and posthumously, Anita Michelle Wilson. With determination and sacrifice, Yvonne ensured that all three of her daughters graduated from college. Once she fulfilled that dream, she courageously pursued her own education, earning her undergraduate degree in Education. Two years later, she proudly achieved her Master's degree.

In her later years, Yvonne embraced her calling as a teacher. Her passion for education and deep care for her students earned her numerous awards for excellence. Known for her impeccable attendance and dedication, Yvonne never missed a day of work, always putting her students first and becoming a beloved mentor and role model within her community.

Yvonne was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Jesse Harley, and is lovingly remembered by her cherished granddaughter, Candace Claggett. She also shared a special bond with her daughter-in-law, Lynda Rice.

She is survived by her devoted sister, Elaine Campbell, and is reunited in eternal peace with her siblings, Henrietta Campbell, Miriam Campbell, Sedonia Williams, Marilyn Campbell, and her brother, James Campbell.

Her nurturing spirit continues through her nieces, Jennifer Meylor, Lynda Williams, Veronica Leonard, Cynthia Leonard, Alchemy Leonard, and Jasmine Campbell; her nephews, James Campbell and Jacob Campbell; her great-nieces, Violet Leonard and Shameka Williams; her great-nephews, Karter Grier and Ryan Williams (affectionately known as NuNu); and her great-great-nieces, London Williams and posthumously Gianna Grier.

Yvonne Wilson's life was a testament to faith, perseverance, education, and unconditional love. She will be deeply missed but forever cherished by all who were blessed to know her.

*"He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High..." – Psalm 91:1*

# Her Hands

Her hands were gentle, guiding us through every storm.  
They held us up in prayer each night, a place where hearts were warm.  
Her hands wrote dreams upon our lives, with strength both kind and true.  
A teacher's touch, a mother's grace, in everything she'd do.  
Though now her hands rest peacefully, her love will never cease.  
For in our hearts, her hands still work, bringing comfort, hope, and peace.

*"He shall cover you with His feathers,  
and under His wings you shall take refuge..." – Psalm 91:4*

## FINAL WORDS

Though Yvonne Wilson has departed from this earthly life, her spirit remains ever-present in the lives she touched. She leaves behind a legacy of faith, perseverance, and unconditional love. As we reflect on her journey, we are reminded to walk in faith as she did—praying for one another, striving for excellence, and leading with kindness.

*Her favorite scripture, Psalm 91, will forever be a beacon of strength for those she leaves behind. In honoring her memory, we commit to carrying forward the values she lived by: faith, family, education, and service to others.*

Rest well, our beloved mother, sister, grandmother, aunt, and friend. Your work here is done, but your light will never fade.

*"Well done, thou good and faithful servant." – Matthew 25:21*

*"For He shall give His angels charge over you, to keep you in all your ways."  
– Psalm 91:11*

## Acknowledgement

The family of **Yvonne Wilson** wishes to express their heartfelt gratitude for your prayers, love, and support during this time of bereavement. Your kindness and comforting words have been a source of strength. May God bless each of you.

*"With long life I will satisfy him, And show him My salvation." –  
Psalm 91:16*

**In Loving Memory of Yvonne Wilson**  
**"Keep Going"**

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