

Obituary

Ms. Octavia Lucille Grace Wilson was born May 23, 1970, in Columbia, South Carolina. She was the only child of Alberta Sims Jones and the late Marvin Bailey. She departed this life on Saturday, October 7, 2023.

Octavia was educated in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina. She was a 1988 graduate of A.C. Flora High School. At A.C. Flora Octavia excelled. She loved to read. Octavia was an honor roll student, Homecoming Queen, a track and basketball star. After high school, she attended the University of South Carolina and majored in Accounting. Octavia was employed with Champion Mortgage of Brooklyn, New York. She also did volunteer work with the Summerville Homeless Community, also in Brooklyn, New York.

Octavia was baptized at an early age at Saint Matthews Baptist Church, in Eastover, South Carolina.

She was preceded in death by her father Marvin Bailey; grandfather, Herbert Sims, Sr.; and grandmother, Annie Bailey.

Ms. Octavia Lucille Grace Wilson leaves to cherish her memory: her mother, Alberta Sims Jones (Aaron), of Columbia, South Carolina; two sons, David and Jonas Wilson, both of Columbia, South Carolina; grandmother, Emma Anderson, of Hopkins, South Carolina; brother, Quentin Green (Rosa), of Cleveland, Ohio; sisters, Rhonda Harris (Robert), Taibah Reese, Erica Livingston (Reginald), Sarah Geiger (Fredrick), all of Columbia, South Carolina; aunts, Belle Taft (David), Linda Etheredge, both of Hopkins, South Carolina, Rosa Smith, Tonya Burke (Gaumal), of Columbia, South Carolina, and Julie Bailey, of Eastover, South Carolina; uncles, Herbert Sims (Lillie), of Killeen, Texas, Derrick Sims, of Savannah, Georgia, Sidney Anderson, Jr. (Sandra), of Seattle, Washington, and Alphonzo Anderson, of Columbia, South Carolina; a host of nieces, nephews, many other loving relatives, and caring friends, all of whom will miss her dearly.

Memories



Order of Service

- Prelude
- Processional
- Viewing.....Funeral Directors
- Opening Hymn.....Reverend Tommy Gibson
- Old Testament.....Reverend Tommy Gibson
- New Testament.....Reverend Michael Baker
- Prayer.....Reverend Michael Baker
- Selection.....St. Matthews Angelic Voices of Praise
- Remarks.....Mrs. Veronica Barnett
Ms. Henrietta White
Mrs. Leann Carnes
- Selection.....Musician
- Words of Comfort.....Reverend Michael Baker
- Recessional.....“Going Up Yonder”
- Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

Lincoln Cemetery
4900 Farrow Road
Columbia, South Carolina



Psalm 23

*The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He makes me lie down in green pastures.
He leads me beside still waters.
He restores my soul.
He leads me in paths of righteousness
for his name's sake.*

*Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow
of death,
I will fear no evil,
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff,
they comfort me.
You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies;
you anoint my head with oil;
my cup overflows.*

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life,
and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD AMEN.*

Pallbearers

Uncles

Floral Bearers

Aunts

Acknowledgement

We, the family of the late Octavia Lucille Grace Wilson, would like to thank each of you for your prayers and support shown to us, during the passing of our loved one. It is our prayer that the Lord blesses each of you in a very special way.

Services Entrusted To:

Taylor Street Chapel 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803) 771-7799 E. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	Leevy's FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	Lower Richland Chapel 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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Homegoing Celebration for Ms. Octavia Lucille Grace Wilson



Monday, October 16, 2023

1:00 p.m.

Leevy's Funeral Home Chapel

1831 Taylor Street
Columbia, South Carolina

Reverend Michael Baker

-Officiating-