



Carrie Atkins

February 20, 1940 - January 24, 2019

On Thursday January 24, 2019, at the age of 78 Carrie Mae Atkins earned her wings. Carrie was born in McCormick, SC to the late Mattie Jane (Tatum) Dixon and Willie Morris on February 20, 1940.

Carrie was a devoted mother to Connie Atkins and Denise Atkins-Perry, grandmother of Katurah Andrews and great-grandmother of Kymani Ricardo Brown-Mason. She also leaves to cherish her memory sister Dorothy Henderson of Charlotte NC and sister Mamie Gray, and brothers Tyrone Gray and Greg Gray of Abbeville SC.

Carrie graduated from McCormick HS and relocated to New Haven CT shortly thereafter. She remained a New Haven resident but frequently returned to South Carolina to visit her family and classmates. Carrie worked as a housekeeper and for Grand Light and Supply Company upon her arrival in CT. She also worked part-time at Yale Medical School until she secured full-time employment as a custodian at Old Saybrook College at Yale University, where she worked for 35 years until she retired.

Cemetery Details

Hamden Plains Cemetery

Hamden, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hours

FEB 2. 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM (ET)

Christ Chapel
220 Dixwell Ave
New Haven, CT 06511

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Carrie Atkins*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Missing you.*



Niecey - October 18, 2020 at 02:23 AM



“ *Happy 79th birthday mom. Words can't express how much I miss you. I love you.*

Niecey - February 20, 2019 at 01:35 PM



“ *Denise Atkins lit a candle in memory of Carrie Atkins*



Denise Atkins - February 08, 2019 at 06:04 PM



“ *I could never imagine my life without you. I miss you, love you and honor your name.* 🌸🥰🥰

Denise Atkins - February 08, 2019 at 06:03 PM

SP

“ *To God be the Glory....My deepest condolences to you Connie and your family. I never had the pleasure of meeting your mother but your warm heart and character tells me she was a strong and Almighty Queen. May the princess rest in peace!... Keep your head up!!!.... you will meet again!!!*



Saidah Primus - February 02, 2019 at 08:57 AM

MS

“ *Michael Smith lit a candle in memory of Carrie Atkins*



michael smith - February 01, 2019 at 06:24 AM

OH

“ *To the Family,
My sincere condolences for the loss of your dearly loved one . May you find comfort in God's word. The God of Peace, Hope and Comfort.*

O Holmes - January 31, 2019 at 08:16 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Carrie Atkins.*



January 31, 2019 at 05:02 PM

KA

“ Miss you Gramma, thank you for everything



Katurah - January 31, 2019 at 02:47 PM

TF

“ Our deepest sympathy to Connie, Denise and the Atkins family, forever in hearts.

The "Young" Family - January 31, 2019 at 01:23 AM

VS

“ Veronica Solomon lit a candle in memory of Carrie Atkins



Veronica Solomon - January 31, 2019 at 12:45 AM

VS

“ Veronica Solomon purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Carrie Atkins.



Veronica Solomon - January 31, 2019 at 12:41 AM

PE

“ A Best Friend I Will Truly Miss

Peggy - January 30, 2019 at 08:01 PM

EL

“ Elizabeth lit a candle in memory of Carrie Atkins



Elizabeth - January 30, 2019 at 01:06 PM