



Janel Paul

December 19, 1970 - September 7, 2021

Janel Paul, 50 of Clayton, NC, was born on Dec. 19, 1970, to David and June Willis, in New Haven, CT. Janel has 2 brothers and 1 sister. Dani McLeod (Bpt, CT), David (Jap) Willis jr. (New Haven, CT), Darryl Willis (Hamden, CT). Janel attended New Haven Public Schools through high school.

Janel started her career in the medical field briefly at Yale-New Haven Hospital shortly before starting a family. She gave birth to two sons, before meeting her lifelong mate and future husband, Lenard Paul. They then had a baby girl. They were together 19 years, married 13 of them. The blended family now consisted of 9 children & a host of grandchildren, Eric Anthony Walker, Lenard Paul II, (Lenard III, Sincere), Jalen Paul, David Walker, Lindsey Paul, Lannae Gilbert, (Makayla), Rhayne Paul, (Prince Musah), Dieshell Gilbert, (Messiah, Josiah), & Paige Boyd (Uri, Enzo). Janel's nieces and nephews were also very close to her. Sherrell & Kayla (Jap), Tamara & Janie (Dani), Tatiana (Darryl).

In 2009, the family moved to Raleigh, North Carolina where Janel shortly after continued her career in the healthcare field, by starting nursing school. She graduated and excelled in the field rapidly. While performing a stint with Duke Medical, Janel joined the ranks of other educators assisting nursing students studying to enter the field. During the global pandemic of 2020, Janel left her family for New York City to stand on the front lines of her fellow first

responders to assist with the high rate of infected patients. This was all with the company Fresenius.

Janel has been the pillar of her family making sure that everyone is taken care of, including her mother. The same level of love and dedication put into her family was also given to her patients and students. She leaves to cherish her memories her loving husband, mother, children, grandchildren, other family, and a host of friends. Janel has been predeceased by her father.

A celebration of life memorial will be held on Monday, September 20, 2021 at Christian Tabernacle on Newhall St at 11am, with a repast at Trinity Temple on Dixwell Ave, in New Haven also.

A special thanks to; Cunningham & Sons Funeral Home in Fayetteville, NC & McClam Funeral Home in New Haven, CT. Fresenius Medical staff, and patients for all your dedication, love, & support.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Christian Tabernacle Baptist Church
425 Newhall Street.
Hamden, CT 06517

Tribute Wall



“ *Janel Paul*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *So very sorry to hear about Janel. My condolences to her family.*



Sandra - September 21, 2021 at 01:11 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to the families. Becky and Matt Ford.*



Rebecca Ford - September 19, 2021 at 07:06 PM



“ *Peace Eternal Wreath was purchased for the family of Janel Paul.*



September 18, 2021 at 11:59 AM

SA

“ Sherrie, Kandas, Shelby, Kei and Aparna purchased the Sunny Memories for the family of Janel Paul.



Sherrie, Kandas, Shelby, Kei and Aparna - September 17, 2021 at 09:18 PM

DA

“ Deneshia Best & FKC- Wake Capital Area purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Janel Paul.



Deneshia Best & FKC- Wake Capital Area - September 17, 2021 at 01:15 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Janel Paul.



September 17, 2021 at 11:52 AM

SD

“ Shirley Cooky Douglas lit a candle in memory of Janel Paul



Shirley Cooky Douglas - September 17, 2021 at 06:56 AM

ER

My sincere condolences to Janel's family. Janel was a very dear friend of my late nephew many years ago. Janel was a sweet girl with a beautiful smile. God be with you. Edith Hundley Rawls

Edith Hundley Rawls - September 20, 2021 at 11:44 AM