



## Talana Hawley-McCullough

December 16, 1966 - June 10, 2020

Talana DeLise Hawley-McCullough departed this life and stepped into eternity on Wednesday, June 10, 2020, in Hartford, Connecticut. She was born December 16, 1966, in New Haven, Connecticut to Lynda Faye Dawson-Hawley and Frederick Herb Hawley. Talana was educated in the New Haven Public School system graduating from Ricard C. Lee High School. Talana furthered her education in Billing and Coding from Stone Academy in Hamden, Connecticut. She worked various jobs in many capacities in the city of New Haven for many years. In 2011, Talana was united in holy matrimony with her loving husband Lionell McCullough Sr. The two later relocated and settled in North Carolina. Talana was a former member of Uttermost Deliverance and Restoration Ministries and also served on the usher board. She demonstrated a love for Christ through her interactions and love for all. Talana affectionately known as "Lana" loved spending quality time with her husband, family, and friends. Inspired by her love for gospel and R&B music, she also enjoyed traveling and attending concerts at the casino. Talana looked forward to dancing and creating priceless memories with her children and grandchildren. Those who knew Talana describe her as a very humble soul. Talana lived her life to the fullest. She ensured that if anyone needed anything she was there to support. Talana was a wife, daughter, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin, friend, and godmother who will always be missed. Talana leaves behind to cherish her loving memory her husband Lionell McCullough Sr., mother Lynda Faye Wilson, father Fredrick Herb

Hawley, stepfather Denorris Wilson Sr., mother-in-law Daralese F. McCullough. 1 son Taimar Hawley Sr. (Shequeda), 1 daughter Tiffany Hudson, 2 stepsons Donnell Blowe Sr. (Tracy), Lionell McCullough Jr. (Quadiriah), 1 stepdaughter Sierra Connelly. 1 granddaughter Teniya Warren-Hudson, 1 grandson Taimar Hawley Jr. 5 step-grandsons Lionell J. McCullough III, Joshua and Jacob McCullough, Micheal and Donnell Blowe. 4 step-granddaughters Nyla and Jaden McCullough, Enise and Carter Blowe. 4 brothers Denorris Wilson Jr. (Tracy), Derrick, Kent, and Anthony London and William Lathrop. 6 sisters Frieda Hawley-Hobson (Mark), Kimberlee Hawley, Colleen Wilson, Rhonda, Laura, and Carla Lathrop. 2 brother-in-laws Jerome McCullough (Katrina), and Corey McCullough (Yazmine). 1 godson Sinciere Lathrop. 2 lifelong friends Selena Edwards and Allison Carter. A host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Talana was predeceased in death by her daughter Jamese Nicole Hudson. Maternal grandparents McNeal and Erlia Mae Yates-Dawson. Paternal grandparents Frederick H. and Sarah Ogarita Hawley. 1 uncle Benjamin Hawley. 4 aunts Shirley Victoria Dawson, Patricia Ann Dawson, Vanessa Gail Dawson and Bernestine Dawson. To know her was to love her. Talana will be sorely missed by family and friends, near and far. We on earth loved her, but God in heaven loved her best.

# Cemetery Details

## Beaverdale Memorial Park

90 Pine Rock Avenue  
New Haven, CT

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

JUN 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity Temple Church of God in Christ  
285 Dixwell Ave  
New Haven, CT 06511  
(203) 776-8179

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Talana Hawley-McCullough*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *My Condolences to the Hawley-McCullough Family, Jesus will carry you through!*



**Joyous Pittman** - October 05, 2020 at 11:35 AM



“ *Marilyn Grimes lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



**Marilyn Grimes** - June 23, 2020 at 01:02 PM



“ *Doreen Hutchinson lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



**Doreen Hutchinson** - June 20, 2020 at 12:29 AM

BJ

“ *Barbara Joyner-Howard lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



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**Barbara Joyner-Howard** - June 18, 2020 at 05:38 PM

LM

“ *Lashawn Mccoy lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



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**lashawn mccoy** - June 18, 2020 at 04:54 PM

CH

“ *Charles Benjamin Hawley lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



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**Charles Benjamin Hawley** - June 18, 2020 at 10:15 AM

HB

“ *Talana you will be missed! Yoi always treated me like a little sister. I always wanted to hang with you, Gaye and Jessica. Love you see you when we meet again.*

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**Helen Barnes** - June 18, 2020 at 10:07 AM

PH

“ *Phyllis Hansberry lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



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**Phyllis Hansberry** - June 18, 2020 at 07:52 AM

GB

“ *Gina Byrd lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



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**Gina Byrd** - June 18, 2020 at 12:51 AM

ES

“ *Dawson, Hawley, Wilson, and McCullough family,*

*Sorry for your loss. Prayers of comfort during this time. Continue to cherish the loving memories of Talana*

*Ella and The Smith Family*



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**Ella Smith** - June 17, 2020 at 09:39 PM

MH

“ *Thanks for your wonderful service and smiles at Udar ministries from Ushers and members our condolences and prayers to family RIP #love you ❤️❤️ Marilyn Hemingway*

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**Marilyn Hemingway** - June 17, 2020 at 06:18 PM

JT

“ My dearest Talana.....I'm not mourning...because your with the one and only the Alpha and Omega ...paradise....I'm still in shock ..... when ever we come into each other's presence...it would always be a pleasure... it's True you had a beautiful humble sole a radiant smile positivity out weight the negative with you...true story.....Rest Talana you are in the right place....you will be missed...love you My Sister in Christ....love Jody Taylor



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**Jody Taylor** - June 17, 2020 at 04:54 PM

PH

“ Linda,my sincere condolences in the passing of your daughter. My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.

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**Patricia A Hurse** - June 17, 2020 at 04:40 PM

CE

“ Chrissy Edwards lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough



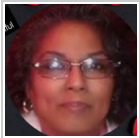
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**chrissy edwards** - June 17, 2020 at 09:07 AM

WL

“ I was 16 and you were 14 when we met from that day until your last you were always a beautiful friend ❤️ with every encounter you brought a smile to my face and for that I will love you and keep your memory in my heart for the rest of my days you sleep in peace my dear to talana sleep in peace  
Your friends forever and ever.  
Wayne Lucas

Wayne Lucas - June 17, 2020 at 06:13 AM



“ Consuela Laurent lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough



Consuela Laurent - June 17, 2020 at 05:03 AM

CM

“ Too The Family Sorry For Your Loss Ya'll Have My Deepest Sympathy and Prayers 🙏. R.I.Paradise Talana.



Cynthia McCoy - June 16, 2020 at 10:45 PM

BJ

“ Barbara Joyner-Howard lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough



Barbara Joyner-Howard - June 16, 2020 at 09:59 PM

MG

“ *Mayling Graves lit a candle in memory of Talana Hawley-McCullough*



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**Mayling graves** - June 16, 2020 at 06:44 PM



“ *Talana your Poppy misses you dearly*

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**Shequeda Rowe** - June 16, 2020 at 06:15 PM

RB

“ *Dearest ❤️ Talana, I will always love you 🥺 and will never forget the happy moments that we've shared on Earth... Just give Jesus my love & then you rest until I see you again. I will say that I love you again, but never goodbye. Love, 🌹 Rose and Patrick Batchelor!!!*

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**Rose Batchelor** - June 16, 2020 at 05:37 PM

PU

“ *My condolences to the family*

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**pumpkin** - June 16, 2020 at 04:44 PM

PH

*I would like to send my deepest condolence to the Hawley family and Brother McCullough Keep your head up brother " Talana Sleep in peace*

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**Phyllis M Hansberry** - June 18, 2020 at 07:51 AM