



Thelma Wright

January 1, 1929 - June 29, 2022

Thelma Lee Wright was born on January 1, 1929, to James and Viola Perkins in Hartsville, South Carolina. She had humble beginnings, leaving primary school early to work and take care of her 4 siblings. She married the late Carl Milton Wright Sr. and had six beautiful children, Dora Lee Perkins, Angelene (David) Holmes, Carletta (Howard) Sipes, Alma B. (Furman) Langley, James E. (Denise) Wright Sr., and Carl M. Wright Jr. Together they raised their daughters in the South and then migrated to New Haven, CT where their sons were born.

She is survived by 1 sister, Mildred Simpkins, 5 of her children, 13 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, and 4 great-great-grandchildren. She enjoyed spending time with her family, daytime soaps, and a good trip to the casino. She will always be remembered for the love and wisdom she imparted throughout her years. To know her is to truly love her; there are many extended family members and friends who can attest to the magnitude of her welcoming and warm spirit.

Thelma had a servant's heart and was an active member of St. Martin's de Porres Church. She passed away on June 29th, at St. Raphael's Hospital. In addition to her parents, Thelma is predeceased by her husband, one daughter, Dora Lee Perkins, two brothers, Nathaniel and Sylvester Perkins, and one sister Rosa Lee Brown.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

769 Ella T Grasso Blvd
New Haven, CT 06519
(203) 624-5505

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JUL 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St Martin De Porres Church
136 Dixwell Ave
New Haven, CT 06511
(203) 624-9944

Funeral Service

JUL 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Martin de Porres
136 Dixwell Ave.

Tribute Wall



“ *Thelma Wright*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Diane Forbes lit a candle in memory of Thelma Wright*



Diane Forbes - July 05, 2022 at 02:16 AM



“ *To the family. I feel like apart of the family. Mrs Wright always treated me as if I was one of her daughter. There wasn't one time that Mrs Wright would not hold a conversation with a beautiful smile. She will be miss, but most of all she will always be apart of our hearts. RIP in the arms of God.*



Min Tanga Williams - July 01, 2022 at 09:30 PM



“ *Min Tanga Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Thelma Wright*



Min Tanga Williams - July 01, 2022 at 08:56 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of
Thelma Wright.*



July 01, 2022 at 03:54 PM



“ *I truly will miss Cousin Thelma.*



Sandra Wade - July 01, 2022 at 03:14 PM