



Tolliver D. Edwards

September 12, 1972 - May 1, 2025

The true measure of a man is not based on outward appearances, wealth, or social standing, but rather on his character, especially his love for God and others, his faithfulness, and his ability to handle challenges with maturity and grace. Key aspects include spiritual leadership within the home, responsible stewardship of resources, and a willingness to love and support his family.

Tolliver Derwayne Edwards was born in New Haven, CT at St. Raphael Hospital on September 12, 1972 to Charlie and Selma Edwards of Aden and Winterville, North Carolina. He departed this life on May 1, 2025.

Tolliver graduated from West Haven High School and attended Gateway College in New Haven, Connecticut for Computer Science.

His first career was with Stop & Shop Warehouse, then the U.S. Postal Service. He was the proprietor of Who's Next Barber Shop and lastly with Sodexo at the University of New Haven in West Haven. Tolliver's hobbies were Motorcycle Riding, movies, fun and food.

He leaves to cherish his fond memories his parents, Charlie and Selma Edwards of West Haven; his wife Monica Edwards of Windsor Locks; son DaQuan Edwards (Amber) of West Haven; daughter Tierra McCurdy (Lloyd Jr.) of New Haven; son Myles Edwards of Windsor Locks; HIS BROTHER

Carlus (Mary) Edwards of Seymour, CT; nieces Epiphany and Eden Edwards of Seymour and nephew Evyn Edwards; sister-in-law Linda Smith (Jim); four uncles, two aunts, numerous family members and friends; along with his special brother Andrew Odei-Nitri and special sister Jacquiel Bradley.

He was predeceased by his paternal grandparents John Frank and Gladys Edwards; maternal grandparents Charlie and Catherine Durham; six uncles, 6 aunts, several cousins; father-in-law Charles Taylor, mother-in-law Gwen Taylor and brother-in-law Tony Taylor.

Cemetery Details

Beaverdale Memorial Park

90 Pine Rock Avenue
New Haven, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAY 12. 10:00 AM (ET)

The New Trinity Temple Church of God in Christ
285 Dixwell Ave
New Haven, CT

Funeral Service

MAY 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SA

“ *I can't believe that you're gone. I came home thinking I was going to pop up on you.... I hadn't talked to you in forever....you're gone.
Will miss you and our talks. Love you,
Sabrina*



Sabrina - March 06 at 12:48 PM

SA

My sincere condolences to the entire Edwards family.

Sabrina - March 08 at 11:43 AM

SA

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. Gone too soon*



Sandra - May 30, 2025 at 01:27 PM

ME

“ *Miss you baby brother, I know you are resting with God now and are at peace. Thank you for the love and laughs, and a great uncle to our children who miss you dearly.*



Mary Edwards - May 11, 2025 at 02:36 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Tolliver D. Edwards.*



May 09, 2025 at 07:36 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to mom and dad and Carlos
Love Brenda DardenAllen*



Brenda DardenAllen - May 08, 2025 at 10:48 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Tolliver D. Edwards.*



May 08, 2025 at 10:39 AM



“ *Rest Easy Bro. Condolences to the family. Sorry for you loss.*

Travis R Perry - May 06, 2025 at 05:47 PM



*To Monica Taylor Edwards, Daquan and Myles.
From Carolyn M Garner. My deepest sympathy for your loss. May the Lord comfort you and give you strength.
Love you all.*

Carolyn McNeil-Garner - May 11, 2025 at 08:09 PM



“ *An excellent coworker and human being. Always cheerful and helpful. My deepest condolences to the family. Rest in peace, my friend.* ”



Jami Romero - May 06, 2025 at 04:36 PM



“ *Please Accept Our Sincerest Condolences. Thinking Of You In These Difficult Times. Sending Peace, Love and Comfort. Curtis and Alberta Jones* ”

The Jones Family - May 06, 2025 at 09:16 AM



“ *Spent mad years around him sorry the family loss* ”



Samuel short - May 05, 2025 at 10:43 PM



“ *You.was.beautiful.person.love.rest.inpeace !!!* ”

Susan Hutchersonu - May 05, 2025 at 09:38 PM

SA

“ Sarah Blount Anderson lit a candle in memory
of Tolliver D. Edwards



Sarah Blount Anderson - May 05, 2025 at 06:16 PM