



## Willia Carrington

May 10, 1935 - March 30, 2023

Willia Lee Kizer Carrington lovingly known as Kip and Willia Lee was called home to be with the Lord on Thursday, March 30, 2023. Willia was born on May 10, 1935 in Bamberg, SC to the late Prince Kizer, Sr. and Eartha Lee Boatright-Kizer. Willia moved to Brooklyn, NY at the age of 9 and attended PS57. Willia attended New Haven Public Schools when she arrived in Connecticut at the age 14. Willia married her best friend, William Thomas Carrington, Sr. on August 28, 1954.

Willia had many jobs she enjoyed. In her early years, she worked as a nurse's aide in the newborn maternity unit at St. Raphael's hospital and as a dietitian at Yale New Haven Hospital before being employed at Yale University for 22 years where she worked as a Chamber Maid before retiring due to an injury. Willia was a faithful member of St. Matthews U.F.W.B. Church of New Haven, CT for more than 70 years where she served the Lord as a Missionary. Willia loved working in the Bishop Robert J. Gay Building's food pantry and serving the community every Saturday morning until she became ill.

Willia leaves to mourn her children, Steven Carrington, Anthony Carrington of New Haven, CT, Adrian (Kia) Carrington, Sr. of Hamden, CT, Maurice Carrington, Sr., Maurice Douglas and Lynair Walker all of New Haven, CT; six Grandchildren – Franki (Melissa) Jones of Winter Haven, FL, Caprece (Marcus) Tavares, Danyelle Jones, Adrian Carrington, Jr., Asia'h Carrington,

Maurice Carrington, Jr all of New Haven, CT; eight Great Grandchildren – Gerricka Jones, Sinque Tavares, Raveighn Tavares, Taylor Perry-Lambert, Brianna Rivera, Mackenzie Jones, Suni Henry and Marisa Henry; three great-great grandchildren – Kyrie Sean-Frank Jackson, Melody Atterberry and King Earl Jackson; God-daughters: Novena Gillians and Dalesha (Tyrone) Smith; along with a host of family and friends.

Willia was predeceased by her husband and best friend: William Thomas Carrington, Sr., father: Prince Kizer, Sr., mother: Eartha Lee Boatright-Kizer; stepmother: Josephine Kizer; daughters: Deborah Ann Harris and Cheryl Denise Carrington-Jones, son: William Thomas Carrington, Jr. and brother: Prince Kizer, Jr.

The family of Willia Lee Kizer-Carrington would like to thank you all for your kind words and expressions of love during this difficult time. The Carrington Family will be receiving family and friends on Saturday, May 6, 2023 from 3:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. at the Empire Restaurant – 53 Quinnipiac Avenue, North Haven, CT.

## Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall



“ *Willia Carrington*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *One of my moms and first home away from home.*



**Debra Rhinehart-Vaughans** - April 09, 2023 at 07:37 PM



“ *To Carrington Family; Sending my prayers and blessings to everybody, Mom's was loved by many people didn't know she worked with my mom's at St Raphael's on maturity floor. Going miss my homegirl going on bus trips and casino we always had fun, and with 😊 brought light to everybody. Now you're finish your work going home SIP*



**Helen C Powell** - April 06, 2023 at 09:49 PM



*Rest in Heavenly peace. You welcomed me into your home as family. You are loved by many who will miss you but you are now with the loved ones that departed this life before you. SIP*

**Ada Lopez** - April 09, 2023 at 08:33 PM

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“ *Caprece Tavares lit a candle in memory of Willia Carrington*



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**Caprece L Tavares** - April 06, 2023 at 08:45 PM

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“ *There are not enough words to express how I'm feeling. I became a part of your life 52 years ago. We spoke every week. This past Sunday was tough. You now take your Rest. I Love You ❤️, but God Loved You More 😭*



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**Novena Gillians** - April 05, 2023 at 09:54 PM



*She was a person to have known to nice and kind. She can now take her rest she have passed her test. Rest In The Hands of The Lord.*

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**Bertha McArthur** - April 08, 2023 at 01:35 AM