



Ms. Velma Carter

November 18, 1932 - April 17, 2024

Velma Aedlaide Carter, 91, was born November 18, 1932, in Craven County, Havelock, NC to Alvin Dove and Estelle Carter Adams. She is preceded in death by her parents, maternal grandparents Joshua Carter, Luginnie Culley, and paternal grandparents James Culley and Lucinda Dove (Little Running Dove). She is also preceded in death by her son Dominic D. Holmes and sister Mae Adams.

Velma accepted Christ at an early age at Piney Grove AME Zion Church in Havelock, NC. She attended Godette Elementary School in Havelock, NC, and Queen Street High School Beaufort, NC. She lived in Newark NY before moving to Kansas City, MO. She attended the University of Missouri and obtain a Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education, and a Bachelor of Liberal Arts Degree. She was employed as an Elementary School Teacher and retired from the Kansas City School District. She had a passion for prayer, the Holy Bible and Christian books.

Velma was a good mother and grandmother. She loved spending time with her children, grandkids, loved ones, and close friends. She was a cheerful giver and supported Indian Schools, St Jude's Children Hospital and other charities.

She departed this life April 17, 2024, at St Luke's Hospice House.

Left to cherish Velma's memories: her children: Johnny C. Carter, Durham, NC, David D. Carter (Marguerite), Upper Marlboro, MD, and Glenda D. Holmes, Kansas City, MO, granddaughter, Shawanna Reed, sister Clara Purvis, NJ, and brother Kenneth Adams, NJ, and a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nephews, nieces, cousins and friends.

Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, April 27, 2024, 10am at Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapel. Interment Highland Park Cemetery, KCK. Visitation from 9am-10am at the chapel. Service conducted by Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapel. Condolences may shared on our website.

Cemetery Details

Highland Park Cemetery

3801 State Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66104

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 27. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I love you mum, I miss you too. I wish I could call you and laugh with you as we share similar experiences and great memories. I miss you so much mum. You gave me incredible advice and you were extremely supportive of all my endeavors. I sometimes wish I could start life over, just so I could relive all the moments spent together. Mum, you will forever be my most favorite person. Thank you for everything you've done for me and my children. You touched so many peoples lives. I pray I can feel your presence comforting me when I'm sad. I'm not sad often. Mostly I'm happy that you received the most perfect present, entrance into the Kingdom, you're inside the Heavenly gates. You kept your Faith and received your reward. I'm happy for you, the suffering is gone and the Glory has begun. Mum I'm going to keep my promises to you. I love you mum. I hope you loved your red dress, you looked beautiful in it. I picked it out. I can't wait to see you later mum. Love Shawanna Reed



Shawanna Reed - July 06, 2024 at 10:08 PM

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“ The Foxwells - Edenton, NC planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ms. Velma Carter.

The Foxwells - Edenton, NC - April 25, 2024 at 02:55 PM

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“ *The Foxwells - Edenton, NC purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Ms. Velma Carter.*



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“ *Sending prayers to the family of Velma A Carter*

Edna Carter Kearney - April 25, 2024 at 11:42 AM

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“ *With Deepest Sympathy in the loss of your love one. Barbara Carter Havelock NC*



Angela Blackmon - April 25, 2024 at 09:41 AM

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“ *Tony & Lisa Murphy and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ms. Velma Carter.*

Tony & Lisa Murphy and Family - April 25, 2024 at 08:22 AM

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“ Tony & Lisa Murphy and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ms. Velma Carter.



Tony & Lisa Murphy and Family - April 25, 2024 at 08:22 AM