



Mrs. Linda Mary Washington

June 3, 1948 - February 17, 2025

In Loving Memory of

Linda Mary Washington was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on June 3rd, 1948, to the union of Joseph Washington and Helen Mary Jones Washington. She was the second oldest of her three siblings; Gloria, Gregory (deceased) and Bruce.

Linda accepted Christ at an early age at River Rouge Bible Assembly. After college, she attended she became a member of Union Second Baptist in River Rouge. Linda enjoyed using her God given gifts, skills and education to work in the church for the glory of the lord. Linda worked in several ministries: finance, planning, programs, missions, and culinary. She enjoyed her church fellowship with the saints as well as the multiple sermons and studies. She developed a personal ministry to spread the gospel.

While in high school, Linda matured and was the grand prize winner at the Science fair. She also became a member of the National Honor Society. In 1966, She graduated River Rouge High School with a six-year full ride scholarship to the University of Michigan.

From 1966-1972, Linda had earned both her bachelors and masters degree in Business Administration and Marketing.

Linda began her career at First Independence Black Bank. From there she went to a position at the Chrysler Corp. Controller's Office and finally landed a position at the Ford Motor Company as a Purchasing Specialist where she worked for over 30 years until retirement.

July 14, 1987 she was joined in holy matrimony to James Allen Peterson Sr. She became a loving mother to his five children: Danielle, Evette, Veronique, Eugene and James Jr.

Following the untimely passing of their daughter, Veronique, she opened her home to her two grandsons, Lance and Jordan on Outer Drive in Detroit. Lots of growth and accomplishments were made. Later the family moved to Farmington Hills, MI.

Linda loved to bake cakes and cook for the family. James, an excellent cook that made great meals. With his God given talent as a carpenter he did a beautiful job redesigning their Farmington Hills home. Linda lived her life praying, practicing patience using grace and maintaining a strong relationship with the lord.

Linda's hobbies were traveling, knitting, ice skating /roller blading, collecting elephants, and planning parties. Most of all she enjoyed reading, and spending time with her family and friends. As well as sharing daily inspirational quotes on Facebook.

Linda departed this life on February, 17th, 2025. She is preceded in death by parents, Joseph and Helen, daughter Veronique, and brother Gregory.

She leaves to Cherish her memory: husband, James Sr. Children: Danielle, Evette, Eugene and James Jr. Siblings; Gloria & Bruce and 17 grandchildren; Chris, Eric, Lee, Allen, Tony, Lance, Ya'Sa, Diamond, Jordan, Francis, Angelique, Ayana, Azayna, James III, Marcel, Jayden and Cameron. Along with a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles cousins and friends.

Linda's family matriarch and patriarch, Fred Moore Jr. and Lenora Moore, were especially close to her heart.

Previous Events

Visitation

Sunday, Mar. **2**. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
17600 Plymouth Road
Detroit, MI 48227
(313) 838-9770
info@pyefuneralhome.com

Family Hour / Visitation

Monday, Mar. **3**. 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
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Celebration of Life

Monday, Mar. **3**. 3:00 PM - 4:15 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

GG

“ Gloria And Kenny Grigsby lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Linda Mary Washington



Gloria and Kenny Grigsby - March 03, 2025 at 03:50 PM

CR

“ Cheryl Davis Rorie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Linda Mary Washington.

Cheryl Davis Rorie - March 03, 2025 at 10:05 AM

CR

“ Cheryl Davis Rorie purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mrs. Linda Mary Washington.



Cheryl Davis Rorie - March 03, 2025 at 10:05 AM

JF

“ Joyce Franklin lit a candle in memory of Linda Washington



Joyce Franklin - March 01, 2025 at 04:35 AM

JF

“ Joyce Franklin lit a candle in memory of Linda Washington



Joyce Franklin - March 01, 2025 at 04:34 AM

WE

“ With Sympathy, Temple Beth Emeth planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Linda Mary Washington.

With Sympathy, Temple Beth Emeth - February 27, 2025 at 05:21 PM

WE

“ With Sympathy, Temple Beth Emeth purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Mrs. Linda Mary Washington.



With Sympathy, Temple Beth Emeth - February 27, 2025 at 05:21 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Linda Mary Washington.



February 27, 2025 at 03:27 PM

ZR

“ Always kind and caring, always soft-spoken, always brilliant, always wise, always a voice of reason and common sense. Never heard her speak above a pleasant tone. May God forever bless your soul and be a comfort to your family during these times. Zenobia Ridgell



Zenobia Ridgell - February 25, 2025 at 06:13 PM

GC

“ Imagine me running across this! I worked with Linda in the 70's at First Independence Bank, She was the president Ix administrative Assistant! I remember her being from SW Detroit! Very kind, I could always get her laughing! There are people that cross your path in life and you will always remember them! Blessings and Prayers to the Family! 🙏
Gary Craig



Gary Craig - February 25, 2025 at 01:07 AM

JT

“ Condolences to the family for my classmate and lifelong friend. You will be missed.

JOHNSON L TAYLOR - February 21, 2025 at 08:29 PM

JD

“ Jeffrey Davis lit a candle in memory of Linda Washington



Jeffrey Davis - February 20, 2025 at 09:45 AM