

2 Timothy 4:7-8

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day—and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing."

Acknowledgements

Kirk Williams would like to say a special Thank You to his cousins Valarie Jackson & Beverly Williams for their continuous love & support. Thank You to all of the family members who have traveled from afar.

Thank You to all who sent cards, made phone calls, emailed, text, or posted on social media your condolences to our family during this hour of bereavement. May God bless and keep you!

- The family of Vivian J. Williams

In the end would use her coined phrase
"Let The Good Times Roll!"

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance.

Pallbearers

Elijah Jackson Kendrick Jackson
Vonce Frosh Fred Williams
Maurice Hardy David Stokes
John Leathers

Honorary Pallbearers

Kirk Williams Charles James
Thomas Malone Tony Macone
Joseph Williams Roger Williams

Flower Bearers

Tara Alexander Va'Andra Frosh
Anita Jackson Krystal Jackson
Amiyah Boggs Inna Riveria
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Vivian J. Williams

Sunrise: August 1, 1935 - Sunset: March 30, 2024

April 13, 2024

Visitation: 10:00am - Funeral Service: 10:30am

*Walker Funeral Home
Northern Kentucky*

1129 Garrard Street | Covington, Kentucky 41011

Obituary

Vivian Juanita Williams was born on Thursday August 1, 1935 to the parents of Charles Herron Sr and Leatha J. Herron in Covington, KY. She departed her life and received her heavenly wings on Saturday, March 30, 2024.

Vivian attended Lincoln Grant school from kindergarten to high school. She transferred to Old Woodward High in Cincinnati and ultimately graduated from Hughes High Night School. As a teenager Vivian worked her first job at a family business owned by cousins Earl & Ethel Otis. Vivian sought new opportunities as a young woman as the first Black elevator operator at Coppins Department Store in Covington.

Vivian had a lengthy resume' which included positions such as key punch operator at Burger Brewing Company and Internal Revenue Service. Vivian loved the opportunity of being a Mary Kay beauty consultant where she attended the Jubilee where she was honored by Mary Kay herself. Vivian entered employment at Hamilton County Sheriff Department as a Deputy Sheriff where she was honored to wear and flash her badge daily up until retirement in 2000.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charles Herron Sr and Leatha J. Herron-Montgomery, husband Warren H. Williams Sr., her siblings Charles Herron Jr. and Joan Herron, son's Anthony P. Williams (Pam) and Warren H. Williams, Jr (Kimberly). Vivian was very socially active and always ready to go. She enjoyed traveling, music and going to dances. Her favorite dance move was participating in the Soul Train line with her showstopper move "THE SPLITS". Her trademarks splits became her signature move up until age 75, where she laid them to rest.



She participated in a local beauty contest winning 1st prize and always bragged about her Coke bottle figure. In her later years she was a part of the Silver Sneakers maintaining her glamour girl style.

She traveled near and far to destinations such as Paris, Spain, New York, Atlanta, Arizona, New Orleans, South Carolina, several islands, just to name a few. She loved cruises but her favorite place was California where she traveled yearly for special events, such as weddings, birthdays, 4th of July parties. But her favorite was the Super Bowl parties where she amazed everyone with those show stopping SPLITS.

One of the best times of Vivian's life was going to the inauguration of the first Black president of the United States, President Barack Obama. She was thrilled to attend not once but twice, witnessing HISTORY! You would think that they were her family because it was such a proud moment in her life. She decorated her home with Obama's memorabilia from pictures to light switch covers, Michelle's purses/books/Covid mask and numerous T-shirts. She also proudly helped with his first campaign.

She was very proud of her many accomplishments she made in life, the things she achieved, the places she has gone, and she was OK with God. When he was ready she was ready.

In her final years her joy and laughter came from spending time with her great grandson's, Zyon & Zyke'l. Even on her worst days she was overwhelmed with love by their presence.

She is survived by her sister Willa M Jackson, son Kirk D. Williams, granddaughter's Tara Alexander & Va'Andra Frosh; honorary daughter Patricia Sims, honorary grandson Josh Frosh; great grandchildren Zy'on, Zyke'l and Vya Richburg; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.



Order of Service

- Musical Prelude Yolanda Adams
"Open My Heart"
- Prayer Tony Malone
- Scripture Tony Malone
- Recorded Selection Mary, Mary
"Yesterday"
- Acknowledgements
Va'Andra Frosh & Anita Jackson
- Remarks Family & Friends
(Please Limit Remarks to Two Minutes)
- Obituary Read Silently
***A time to reflect and thank God for the life of
Vivian J. Williams***
- Recorded Selection Leandria Johnson
"Better Days"
- Benediction David Stokes
- Recessional Family & Friends
- Recessional Selection Ray Charles
"Let The Good Times Roll"



Final Resting Place

Highland Cemetery
2167 Dixie Highway, Ft. Mitchell, KY 41017