



Mrs. Woodrine Edwards

January 9, 1945 - December 28, 2020

Public Viewing for Mrs. Woodrine Edwards will be Wednesday, January 6, 2021 from 12:00 Noon until 5:00 P.M. at A. A. Dicks Funeral Home - Sullivan Chapel, 2548 Main Street, Columbia, SC 29201.

Graveside Services will be held on Thursday, January 7, 2021 at 2:00 P.M. at The Promised Land Cemetery, 1740 Cushman Drive, Columbia, SC 29204

Interment will follow in The Promised Land Cemetery.

Please click the link below to view services for Mrs. Woodrine Edwards <https://www.facebook.com/A-A-Dicks-Funeral-Home-Sullivan-Chapel-115729839828313/>

Woodrine Edwards, “Woody with the Goody” as she was affectionately known, was the daughter of the late Woodrow B. Stroman Sr. and Annie Bell Davis Stroman Johnson. Mrs. Woodrine Edwards went on to be with the Lord on Monday, December 28, 2020 at 3:45 pm.

Woodrine’s life was a full one! She received her education in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina.

She was married to Terrance “Sandman” Edwards on March 17, 1989; a

faithful union that lasted 31 years with a blended family of five children. She was also married to Odell Wiggins Sr.

She was a skilled cook, Bid-Whist player, and a negotiator; gifted in the art of in-kind trading of, “meals for work”. She patterned her life after her hero, her mother. She was employed at an early age at the “House of Joy”, which was her mother’s restaurant, and like Mother, she also worked at S&S Cafeteria on Forest Drive. She later worked at Dobbs Catering preparing meals for several major airlines at Columbia Airport in West Columbia. She also worked as a “Master” cook for “Po Folks Restaurant” on Two Notch Road.

She relocated to Queens, New York in May of 1984 and remained there until 2004. While there, she was employed by the Administration of Children Services at the 103rd Avenue Group Home as a counselor. Her love for others was ever present as she would use part of her own income to ensure the young adults in her care had what they needed.

She retired in 2004 and joined her husband, Terrance in Tampa, Florida where they became members of the First Church of God and was blessed to share her gift of hospitality with all through her wonderful and lovingly prepared southern homestyle cooking that she shared with church members, those in her immediate community to include management and staff of the complex where she lived as well as the nurses at her doctor’s office, trash collectors, postal office personnel, friends and neighbors—simply, all were welcomed at her table. It didn’t matter who you were, she treated all as family! Woodrine would never said goodbye, instead she insisted that it was never goodbye, but “later” because surely she would see or hear from you again.

Preceding her in death was her sister, Mary F. Stroman and brothers; Horace Watts III and Lipton Stroman.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories: her sons, Kenneth D. Stroman, and Odell (fiancée Monique White) Wiggins Jr.; her daughters, Johnette Stroman (fiancé Kenny Finch), Tara Edwards, and Tamara (Kevin) Reid; her brothers, Woodrow B. (Margaret) Stroman Jr., Jeffrey and Chris Stroman, Theodore Opahora, and Ricky Jamison; sister, Harriet E. (Johnnie) Gardner; Grandsons, Antonio L. (Ashley) Stroman, Wm. Donnell Stroman, Calvin Stroman, Calvin Omar Wiggins, Raishaun M. Wiggins; granddaughters, Tiffany (Steven) Vitale, Jasmin, Destiny and Sade Stroman, Dominique McClough; great-grandsons; Qa Shawn M. Stroman, Ray`den C. Wiggins, Nasir McClough; great-granddaughters; Zoy Vitale, Ta`miya N. Stroman, Cali V. Wiggins, and Taylor McClough; nephews; Robert A. (Theresa) Stroman, Woodrow B. Stroman III, Horace Watts IV, Chris Watts, Torrey Smalls, Michael Sinkler; nieces; Remonder S. (Walter) Tyler, Yolanda Gallman, Clinteener (Frank) Danzy, Laverne (Darrell) Riley, Caroline (Dominic) Jones, Annjenette Stroman, Raven C. Watts, Yolanda Easterling; and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins, and friends. You will truly be missed!

Please leave the Edwards family your condolences and prayers.

The Edwards family, acknowledges with grateful appreciation, all of your kind expressions of love and sympathy.

Thank you for helping us care for our families.

A. A. Dicks, Sr. and Staff.

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Cemetery Details

Promised Land Cemetery

1740 Cushman Drive
Columbia, SC 29204
(803) 254-4673

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 6. 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

A. A. Dicks Funeral Home Sullivan Chapel
6400 North Main Street
Columbia, SC 29203
(803) 254-4673

Graveside Service

JAN 7. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Promised Land Cemetery
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Tribute Wall

SB

“ *Stephanie Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Woodrine Edwards*



Stephanie Brown - January 07, 2021 at 01:19 PM

CJ

“ *Sending prayers and my condolences.*

Carolyn Jacobs - January 07, 2021 at 08:51 AM

MM

“ *Mildred Mcgee lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Woodrine Edwards*



Mildred Mcgee - January 06, 2021 at 12:01 PM

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“ *To the Edwards family. Woodrow and Margaret I was so sorry to hear of the passing of your sister always remember the good times you all shared. I will keep the family in prayer.*

Sandra Jacobs Carr - January 06, 2021 at 09:01 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mrs. Woodrine Edwards.*



January 05, 2021 at 04:36 PM