



Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton

May 12, 1944 - April 30, 2024

Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton was born on May 12, 1944, to the late Robert T. Macklin and Ella Mae Jones Macklin in Orange, NJ, the third child of three daughters. She was baptized at Union Baptist Church, Orange, NJ where she remained a strong and faithful servant until her relocation to Georgia.

She went home to be with the Lord peacefully on April 30, 2024, with her family by her side.

Her formal education began in the East Orange Public School system where she attended Elmwood School, Vernon L. Davey Jr. High School, graduating from East Orange High School in 1963, where she was affectionately known, adored and loved by her school and classmates as “Mack”.

On January 25, 1964, Carolyn married the love of her life, her dearly departed husband Willie C. Hampton and to this union their daughter Mary Elizabeth Hampton was born, while living in Staten Island, NY. They made their home in East Orange, NJ in 1966.

While in NJ, she became employed with The Martland Hospital/UMDNJ in Newark, NJ in the Department of Anesthesiology as a Doctor Assistant from 1967-1969. In 1973, she became employed with the USPS Dominick V Daniels Processing & Distribution Center in Kearney, NJ as a LSM Operator until her retirement in November 1987.

In February 1998, Carolyn and Willie relocated to Lithonia, GA, which she did not consider home yet until her daughter Mary and Grandson Ronald relocated to Lithonia, GA in 1999. Now her dream became her reality once again. Something about that Grandson (“Boo Boo” as they called him) they could not do without.

She became a member of Salem Bible Church where she served faithfully until she became ill in 2016. She was a friendly, kind and generous woman, with a truly endearing spirit, who loved her family and friends with whom she spent countless hours with, consisting of traveling and the beloved camping trips. She loved to dance and hang out with her girlfriends/sisters with whom the friendships still blossomed after more than 70 years. In all the years, she never forgot a birthday and made sure she called everyone on their day to sing happy birthday to them.

She leaves to cherish her memories: her daughter: Mary Elizabeth Hampton-Allah (Righteous); grandson: Ronald D. Legette, Jr (Aprial): great-grandchildren: Harper Elizabeth Legette and Jonathan William Legette; Godson: Kenneth E. Rowe, Jr. (Stephanie); nieces: Margaret Chandler, Ella Simonson, Doris Thomas and Lisa Roberts; nephew: Arthur Simonson; great-nephews: Louis and Darnell Thompson, Raymond McNair and Dorian Thomas, Jr.; great-great nephew: Darnell Maurice Thompson; special cousins: Annie Boone Cutler, Johnnie Boone, Gloria Peters, Linda Ganues, Gregory Cutler, James Howard Cutler and All The Macklins to name a few; special lifelong friends: Janet Crute, Mamie Alston, Clair Crocker, Barbara Webster, Christine Dean, Joyce Cook, Ernest Hobson, Charles Rowe, Kenny Williams and a host of MANY MORE relatives and friends.

<https://vimeo.com/event/4305592>

Previous Events

Memorial Celebration of Life (Live Streamed)

MAY 18. 3:00 PM (ET)

South DeKalb Chapel
4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy.
Decatur, GA 30034
(404) 241-5656
info@levettfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory created a Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton in memory of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton



Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory, Inc. - May 15, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ I come here from time to time, and I just shake my head and let a few tears run down my face. Cousin Carolyn was more like my aunt, and I was her favorite baby cousin on her mother's side of the family. She made my childhood special and memorable. She showed up at moments that were critical in my adult life. I enjoyed showing up and surprising her. I gleaned a vast amount of family history details from her and her mother. I will miss her until the day I close my eyes. It was my heart-breaking honor to do her eulogy, at her request.

Gregory Cutler - December 01, 2024 at 11:26 PM



“ "Hamp" was a good friend of mine for Many years. I going to miss her but She is with "Bo" and the rest of Her family.

Diane Bronson - May 19, 2024 at 09:09 AM

LC

“ Love Dawn, Denise, and Clyde planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton.

Love Dawn, Denise, and Clyde - May 17, 2024 at 03:43 PM

LC

“ Love Dawn, Denise, and Clyde purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton.



Love Dawn, Denise, and Clyde - May 17, 2024 at 03:43 PM

RF

“ Rayfield and Lucille Ganues & family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton.



Rayfield and Lucille Ganues & family - May 16, 2024 at 09:22 AM

SF

“ Stephen Fowler and The Fowler Firm planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton.

Stephen Fowler and The Fowler Firm - May 15, 2024 at 11:28 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton.*



May 15, 2024 at 11:28 PM



“ *Teri Lollis lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton*



Teri Lollis - May 14, 2024 at 09:43 AM



“ *Even though you were the youngest of your siblings.. You became the Matriarch of our Maternal history.. So many good Memories Laughter and Joyous reunions with our families in East Orange North Carolina to Lithonia. I had a question to ask about our family history a few weeks ago...that I knew you could explain..but that will go unanswered.. You had the best memory.. Will never forget our last unplan visit..how family met up at the same time.. What a reunion. until we meet again.. RIHP Cuz 🙏*

Theresa Lollis (Teri) - May 14, 2024 at 09:35 AM



Her memory and knowledge of family history were simply incredible. She got it from her mother. I'm so glad I had the time to sit with both of them and take LOTS of notes.

Gregory Cutler - December 01, 2024 at 11:19 PM

NP

“ I can't imagine this earth without you, but I know that your purpose will live on in all that you connected with and I am one of them. Thank you for making me feel welcome when I came to Georgia.

Natasha Pearman-Pile - May 08, 2024 at 08:48 PM

MH

Tasha you are family and she loved you since our meeting in grade school. Thank you so much for loving my mother

Mary Hampton-Allah - May 09, 2024 at 01:01 PM

LM

“ Linda & Paul Martin lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton



Linda & Paul Martin - May 08, 2024 at 11:50 AM

RT

“ Richard Turner lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton



Richard Turner - May 08, 2024 at 10:57 AM

BW

“ *Barbara Webster lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Elizabeth Hampton*



Barbara Webster - May 07, 2024 at 08:02 PM

RT

You will be missed

Richard Turner - May 08, 2024 at 10:46 AM

MH

“ *MOMMY!!!!!! You Are Forever In My Heart. Lost, Empty, Confused doesn't describe none of this. I am NOT alright but I am OK because you suffer no more. I pray GOD and YOU are pleased with the job I did in taking care of you. It wasn't easy but WORTH IT, and if I had to do it all over again, I WOULD. I Love You Mommy. Get Your Rest My Beautiful Queen*

Mary Hampton-Allah - May 07, 2024 at 03:39 PM

EF

“ *We are saddened to learn about your family loss. Continue to rely on God and know that he hears your prayers, because he cares for you. Thinking of you all.*

Evans family - May 06, 2024 at 07:24 PM