



## Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris

May 20, 1957 - July 7, 2024

Honoring Her Life, Lineage, Love, Legacy, & Laughter  
Carolyn Ann Watts Harris

"I am safely home"

Carolyn was called to eternal rest in her home on Sunday, July 7, 2024. Carolyn, affectionately known to most as "Lynn" was born on May 20, 1957 in Prattville, Alabama, the first child to parents Mary L. Warren and Henry Watts Jr. Growing up in a military family provided Lynn the opportunity to attend New Dorp High School, Staten Island, New York, and Sidney Lanier High School, Montgomery, Alabama, before finally graduating from Jefferson Davis High School in Montgomery, Alabama in 1975. After graduating High School Lynn continued to pursue her education by attending Alabama State University where she studied English/Science and Humanities.

While attending Alabama State University, two events would have a major impact on her life for the next 35 years. The first event was being selected to participate in a Cooperative Education Program that would guide her to a career in Civil Service focusing on Labor and Employee Relations.

The second was becoming a sister of Delta Sigma Theta, Inc., a sorority dedicated to public service. After graduating from Alabama State University summa cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1979, she continued her education by acquiring a Masters Degree in Adult Education from Troy University in 1981, while working full time. The valuable work experience gained in the Coop Program, coupled with the post graduate education, made Carolyn an excellent candidate for roles of greater responsibility. She applied and was hired by U.S. Customs, the Defense Logistics Agency, and finally the Federal Aviation Administration where she retired in 2012.

Carolyn accepted Christ as a child and began her walk with God attending First Baptist Church, Prattville, Alabama. After the family moved to Montgomery, Alabama, they also moved their church membership to Holt Street Baptist Church where she participated in the choir and other youth groups. This foundation of staying close to the church and serving God would eventually lead Carolyn (and Danny) to Greenforest Community Baptist Church, Decatur, Georgia where they would become Husband and Wife (April 28, 2001), devoted and active members.

Carolyn was preceded in death by her father, Henry Watts Jr. and brother, Mark Randall Watts. She leaves to cherish her memories, Mother, Mary L. Watts, Stonecrest, GA; brother, Kevin (Holly) Watts, Smyrna, GA; Nieces: Taylor V. Watts, Atlanta, GA; Ariel Watts, Las Vegas, NV; Nephews: Kevin R. Watts, Atlanta, GA; Damien J. Watts, Las Vegas, NV; Aunts: Barbara (Charles) Jamison, Pensacola, FL; Bettye (Robert) Smith, Brooklyn, NY; Charity (Leander) Watts, Prattville, AL; Magnolia (Willie) Watts, Montgomery, AL; Claudia (James) Watts, Midland, NJ; Henrietta DeRamus, Cleveland, OH; and Malvelene Long, Prattville, AL. Uncles: Morris Warren, Montgomery, AL; and Johnnie Watts, Toney, AL; Mr. and Mrs. H. Jones and family, Prattville, Alabama; Sisters-in-Law, Marilynn (Donald) Long, Conyers, GA; Wendy

Harris, Conyers, GA.

Brother-in-law, George Harris, Conyers, GA; Stepchildren: Sonsereah B.

Harris, Decatur, GA; Dinah R. Harris, Decatur, GA; Joseph B. Harris, Decatur, GA and a host great nieces and nephews.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Memorial Garden

164 Fairview Rd  
Stockbridge, GA

# Previous Events

## Homegoing Celebration

JUL 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Greenforest Community Baptist Church  
3250 Rainbow Dr  
Decatur, GA 30034-1713  
(404) 486-1120

## Burial

JUL 18. 1:30 PM (ET)

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164 Fairview Rd  
Stockbridge, GA

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ *Marcus S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*

Marcus S. - July 18, 2024 at 09:16 AM

CH

“ *Concha H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*

Concha H. - July 17, 2024 at 08:34 PM

KF

“ *Kishawn Griffin and family. purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*



Kishawn Griffin and family. - July 16, 2024 at 08:56 PM

MF

“ *Michelle King and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*

Michelle King and Family - July 16, 2024 at 06:32 PM



“ *Calm & Comfort Bouquet for Sympathy - Florist C hoice was purchased for the family of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*



July 16, 2024 at 06:32 PM



“ *Christella, Gloria Watts, Angela & Tanja purchased the Plants-A-Plenty for the family of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*



**Christella, Gloria Watts, Angela & Tanja** - July 16, 2024 at 03:08 PM



“ *Rest well my dear cousin. Your passing has left me in disbelief and sad but when I think about God's love that he has for us gives me comfort, knowing he has you in his arms. no more sickness and no more pain gives me a sense of relief. I love you always. Gone too soon. Auntie Mary, Kelvin and Holly and the rest of the family you have my heartfelt condolences. Praying for the family.*

**Gwendolyn Piller** - July 16, 2024 at 09:47 AM



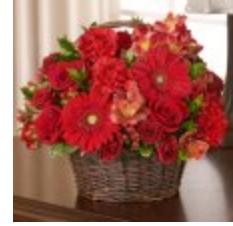
“ *Bessie V Harris, Mary E Varner & Family purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*



**Bessie V Harris, Mary E Varner & Family** - July 15, 2024 at 02:42 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All Red was purchased for the family of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*



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July 15, 2024 at 02:06 PM



“ *Cassandra Harris purchased the Floor Plant for S ympathy for the family of Mrs Carolyn Watts-Harris.*



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**Cassandra Harris** - July 15, 2024 at 02:04 PM