



Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac

July 30, 1952 - February 4, 2024

Cassie R. Isaac, 71, of Lawrenceville, GA passed away on Sunday, February 4, 2024. Celebration of Life (Memorial Service) will be held on Friday, February 9, 10:30 AM at our Gwinnett Chapel, 914 Scenic Hwy, Lawrenceville, GA 30045. These services will be recorded and streamed live. If the event is interrupted at any time due to technical issues, the entire event will be uploaded and available to view later in the day. Please copy and paste the link to share, or simply click on the link to view the event.

<https://vimeo.com/event/4074314>

Please express your condolences here on our website. Services entrusted to Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home, Gwinnett Chapel, 914 Scenic Hwy, Lawrenceville, GA 30045. 770-338-5558

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On Sunday, February 4, 2024 at 10:08 a.m., Cassie Janeria Russell Isaac answered her Heavenly Father's call to peacefully enter her eternal home. Cassie was born on July 30, 1952 in Cabarrus, NC to Thomas Leon Russell and Oretha Ruth Caldwell Russell. She was the fourth born of six children. She graduated from Boyden High School and later attended Livingstone College in Salisbury, NC.

In 1971 Cassie moved to Baltimore, MD to be alongside her oldest brother, Larrics, and older sister, Shelia. There she was blessed with a beloved son, Timothy Rice, Jr. whom she adored. In fall 1973 Cassie moved to Detroit, MI where she later began her career with General Motors Corporation.

In 1989, she married best friend and love of her life Donald Isaac. The two of them would make cherished memories traveling the U.S. visiting beaches and all the Black History Museums and Memorials. Cassie was well known for her Afrocentric style and pizzazz. She proudly spoke of her roots and loved her African American descent. In 1992 they moved to Baltimore where they became first time homeowners. This move was short lived as they relocated to Atlanta, GA in 1997. Here is where they purchased their dream home and made lots of friends. Cassie would later retire from General Motors in 2008. After two short years of retirement, she returned to the workforce at JCPenney for one year to keep busy until her husband retired to carry-out their dreams of traveling. She later worked for Gwinnett County, School Bus Services.

Cassie, along with her husband, joined Cedar Grove Presbyterian Church in Concord, NC. Cedar Grove is her home church where she and her family of four generations actively worshiped and served. Cassie was a faithful member of the Cedar Grove Presbyterian Church Midweek Bible Study. She attended worship service online every week until the week before her passing. Cassie also worshiped in person on many special occasions.

Cassie loved gardening, photography, traveling, sports cars and Celebrities. Her indoor and outdoor decor was nothing without the greenery produced from her very own green thumbs. Her desire to take photos of what nature had to offer never fell short of "pretty as a picture". She loved to travel the highways and bi-ways and never hesitated hitting the road even alone. She was a life time subscriber to JET, EBONY, ESSENCE and OPRAH magazines to stay abreast of African American issues and her favorite celebs. She was a

proud owner of several sports cars over the years, a Chevy Camaro and later a couple of Sharp Red C5 Corvette which labeled her with OCD "Obsessive Corvette Disorder" and landed her the Classic NickName "Corvette Cass".

Corvette Cass and Donald were members of corvette clubs. The first was 2 Unique Corvette Club of ATL and the latest club "Corvette Cruisers of Atlanta" was what they had been yearning for with excursion after excursion after excursion. These excursions landed them 2 First Place Prize Trophies after all these years. Corvette Cass loved her Vet family and accolades associated with the club. In 2023, Cassie won two trophies from her Corvette Club: Best in the Class and Most Popular.

Cassie was a dedicated supporter of several charitable organizations. Her annual donations to UNCF, Parent Planhood, National Museum of African American History and Culture (DC) and the National Democratic Party just to name a few awarded her life-time membership and donorship.

Cassie faced several health challenges over the years but always remained (positive or uplifted) and faithful. She gave her life to Christ many years ago as she comes from a God-fearing family. She and husband Donald are members of the Cedar Grove Presbyterian Church located in Concord, NC. where she attended faithfully virtually and in-person as often as possible.

Cassie was preceded in death by her parents and her brother, Larrics, Sr., She leaves to cherish her memories: Her loving and devoted husband, Donald Isaac (GA); one son, Tim Rice. Jr., (Africa); two granddaughters, Anna-Marie Matic (TX), and Zianna Cassie Dobbins (MD); one grandson, Justin Pruitt (MD); three great-granddaughters, Asia, Avrie, and Asandi; one great-grandson, Achilles (TX); two sisters, Carolyn R. Holmes (NC), Shelia Williams

(Tommy) (MD), Terry Russell (USA); Christopher Russell, Sr. (NC); four God sons, Richard Napier (MI), Lamar Napier (MI), Treyvon Thompson (MD), and Ty McKoy, Jr. (PA); one Goddaughters, London McKoy (PA), adopted Goddaughter/neighbor, Elaine (GA); three sisters-in-law, Besties Denise Napier Carter, (MI), Annette Pittman (GA), Virginia Harris (GA), Reba Griffin (GA), Gale Patton (GA) Audrey Bishop (GA) and Doris Walker (GA); a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, colleagues and friends.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

FEB 9. 10:30 AM (ET)

Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home - Lawrenceville Location  
914 Scenic Highway South  
Lawrenceville, GA 30045-6353

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory created a Celebration of Life Services for Cassie R. Isaac in memory of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac*



**Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Homes & Crematory, Inc.** - February 07, 2024 at 08:18 PM

BT

*Cassie was a beautiful lady that left a lasting mark on all who met her. Rest in heaven our precious friend.  
Rich and Betty Taylor*

**Betty Taylor** - February 08, 2024 at 10:53 PM

JS

“ *Donald, my prayers are with you, I thank Cassie for the memories of working together as Bus Monitors, in our down time we laughed so much, she always call me crazy girl. Janet from Augusta Ga.*

**Janet Stuckey** - February 09, 2024 at 10:49 PM

TA

“ *Rest In Peace Cassie! Your Co worker Talydia (Lee Lee) I will always remember your big Smile. To the Family I send my Condolences* 🙏❤️

**Talydia Adams** - February 09, 2024 at 12:54 PM

AR

“ *Shelia and family, we will continue to pray with and for you. Grace, mercy, and peace!* ”



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**Alicia Richardson** - February 09, 2024 at 11:36 AM

MM

“ *Cassie had such a great spirit and will be missed Mark M.* ”

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**Mark Mitchell** - February 08, 2024 at 06:55 PM

KR

“ *Katina and Rosalind purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.* ”



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**Katina and Rosalind** - February 08, 2024 at 01:57 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.* ”



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February 08, 2024 at 01:57 PM

EA

“ Ed, Janice and Stefan Anderson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.

Ed, Janice and Stefan Anderson - February 08, 2024 at 01:49 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.



February 08, 2024 at 01:49 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.



February 08, 2024 at 10:38 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.



February 08, 2024 at 09:21 AM

LF

“ Larry, Rodney, Wayne Witherspoon & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.

Larry, Rodney, Wayne Witherspoon & Family - February 08, 2024 at 09:21 AM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.



February 07, 2024 at 10:43 PM

EC

“ To the Family and friends of Cassie Russell-Isaac, Cassie had a lovingly way of exhibiting her gentle and kind acts of love by sending me cards for every occasion and at other times just thinking of you cards. I am wishing you peace to bring you comfort, courage to face the days ahead, and loving memories to forever hold in your heart. Love, E. Corine Lytle Cannon, Kannapolis, N.C. 28081

E. CORINE LYTLE CANNON - February 07, 2024 at 07:12 PM

JD

So sorry to hear of my friend passing  
May God give you the strength to carry on will miss her so much  
With much love  
Joy Deans

joy deans - February 08, 2024 at 02:33 PM

SC

“ *To the Russell-Isaac Family, We will miss Cassie's participation in the Sunday School and services at Cedar Grove Presbyterian Church in Concord, N.C.*  
*Words cannot express our sympathy or convey the depth of our sorrow, but know that we share your pain and hold you close in our thoughts and prayers.*  
*Sincerely, Sylvester Leon Fleming, Sr. & Sara Cannon-Fleming --Mt. Ulla, N.C.*

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**Sylvester Leon Fleming & Sara Cannon-Flem** - February 07, 2024 at 06:26 PM

JP

“ *Donald & Family,*  
*Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. We will always cherish loving memories of Cassie. James (Bone) & Deborah Partee*

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**James (Bone) & Deborah Partee** - February 07, 2024 at 04:55 PM

JR

*My deepest condolences to Cassie's family in their time of sorrow.*

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**Jo Ann Rice** - February 07, 2024 at 06:35 PM

MH

*Our deepest sympathy to the Russell and Isaac family. May you find comfort in God's Amazing Grace, knowing that Jesus has prepared a place for us to live with Him and the Father for eternity.. Cassie was a beautiful person who loved God, her family and all people . As you remember her love for life, may you find comfort also in knowing that earth has no sorrow that heaven can not heal. Our prayers will continue to be with each of you.*

*Love and sympathy.*

*Classmates of Cassie Isaac's sister ,.Carolyn Russell Holmes*

*Class of 1961  
Price High School  
Salisbury, North Carolina*

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**Mary Hardin** - February 08, 2024 at 08:45 PM

MH

“ *My heart breaks for the family as you navigate through this unimaginable sorrow. Cassie’s legacy of love and kindness will forever be remembered. She was my best friend in school and I will always cherish our love.*

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**Mary Kinder Houston** - February 07, 2024 at 03:23 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.*



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February 07, 2024 at 03:06 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.*



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February 07, 2024 at 01:48 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy and heartfelt thoughts are with Cassie Russell Isaac's family at this time of sorrow.*  
*From: Kathy Witherspoon Hockaday*



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**Kathy Witherspoon Hockaday** - February 07, 2024 at 01:09 PM



“ *Dear Shelia, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your sister Cassie. My heart aches with yours to hear of this sad news. Please know my loving thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Love you, Yas, Shainna, and Alex.*

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**Yasmin** - February 07, 2024 at 10:59 AM



“ *From The Next Stop planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.*

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**From The Next Stop** - February 07, 2024 at 09:22 AM

FS

“ From The Next Stop purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.



From The Next Stop - February 07, 2024 at 09:22 AM

PW

“ Phyllis W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.

Phyllis W. - February 06, 2024 at 11:54 PM

WF

“ Willette Swann & Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.



Willette Swann & Family - February 06, 2024 at 11:48 PM

WF

“ Willette Swann & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.

Willette Swann & Family - February 06, 2024 at 11:48 PM

WM

“ Prayers for the family, precious memories of Cassie as a classmate and beloved friend.

Warren Monroe - February 06, 2024 at 05:51 PM

LR

“ love renna planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.

love renna - February 06, 2024 at 05:30 PM



“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Cassie Janeria Russell-Isaac.



February 06, 2024 at 05:30 PM

PF

“ So sorry for your loss of your loved one. Haven't known you very long but definitely knew the day I met you that you were an angel placed here on earth. Now go and fly high with all your angels in heaven Cassie. I know you will surely be missed here but hopefully we will all join you one day!!

Patty Frederick - February 06, 2024 at 05:21 PM

RB

“ My condolences to the members of Cassie's family.

Rodney Blackman

Rodney Blackman - February 05, 2024 at 07:41 PM

ML

I know that my Redeemer lives and that he shall stand in the latter days upon the earth 🕊️ Rest Well Darling Cassie 💔😭🕊️

Maurice Little - February 06, 2024 at 12:30 PM

PT

“ To Uncle Donald, Uncle Terry, Carolyn and Family,  
May God Bless you All during this difficult time. Cassie will be  
missed dearly. Keeping you in prayer.

Love,  
Pam Tinsley

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**Pam Tinsley** - February 05, 2024 at 03:31 PM

MP

Jesse and Maxcine Paine sending our condolences to Donald and  
Cassie family she will truly be missed. A beautiful lady.

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**Maxcine Paine** - March 05, 2024 at 11:28 PM