

Legacy of Life

A wife, a mother, a grandma too
This is the legacy we have from you.
You taught us love and how to fight
You gave us strength you gave us might.
A stronger person would be hard to find,
And in your heart, you were always kind.
You fought for us all in one way or another
Not just as a wife, not just as a mother
For all of us you gave your best
Now the time has come for you to rest
So go in peace, you've earned your sleep,
Your love in our hearts, we'll eternally keep.

(AUTHOR UNKNOWN)



Don't let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God,
and trust also in me.

JOHN 14:1-3

A piece of our heart lives in
Heaven



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SPECIAL THANKS TO

Nathaniel Washington Jr for being our voice when we were at lost on what to say and do. As our uncle and our mom's little brother you were our guiding light that carried us through this storm.

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Honoring the Life of



Sunrise
May 18, 1954

Sunset
Dec. 23, 2021

Lena Mae
WASHINGTON-ELLIS

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Lena's Life...

In my Father's house are many mansions: If it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there may you be also.

JOHN 14:2-3

LENA MAE WASHINGTON at the age 67, departed on Thursday December 23, 2021.

LENA was born in Fayetteville, NC to the late Rev. Nathaniel Washington and Mary Washington.

At a young age, she joined the United States Army on February 20, 1973. After completing her military service, she went on to work in various occupations to support her family who were blessed to live all over the world.

She was blessed with five children Robert, Denise, Lynnette, Michael, and Larry.

LENA leaves to cherish her loving memory: brother Jerry Pone (Wanda), of Lumberton, NC, her sister Deloise Fairconeture, of Fayetteville, NC and her brother, Nathaniel, Jr. (Janice) of Raleigh, NC; her five children, Robert Nibbs (Tomika) of Evans, GA, Denise Forte of Evans, GA, Lynnette Harris (Shawn) of Fayetteville, NC, Michael Nibbs (Chiquita) of Fayetteville, NC, Larry Nibbs of Fayetteville, NC; her grandchildren, Jordan Nibbs, Jasmine Cave (Dajhown), Antonio Forte, Stephon Forte, Raneshia Nibbs, Anisa Pruitt, Zora Mae, Lanaria Nibbs, Hope Marie, Faith Rain'e, Bryson Emanuel, Kyrie Nibbs, and her 3 great-grandchildren.

Light of the Morning

FROM THE RAY'S OF SUNLIGHT
Mom We See You Dancing With the Wind

Trusting and understanding that We will see you again. Morning moves upon us, your smile has shown us the way to Love and be strong with everything we do.

*Morning has come and so have you, to share you love and wisdom through and through. As times go through the days the Ray's of your Life will shine upon us all. We love you Mama.
Thank you for being our light.*

By Lynette Harris
(DAUGHTER)

*For we know that if the earthly tent is destroyed, we have a building from God, an eternal house in heaven, not built by humans hands.
CORINTHIANS 5:1*

