

For I know the thoughts that I think toward
you, saith the Lord, thoughts of peace, and
not of evil, to give you an expected end.

- Jeremiah 29:11

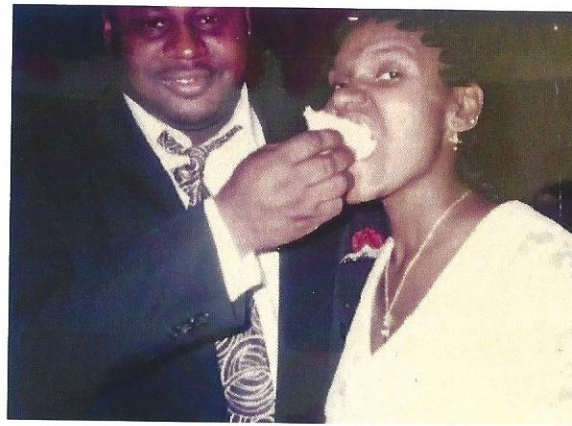
Until We Meet Again

Those special memories of you will
always bring a smile. If only I could
have you back for just a little while.
Then we could sit and talk again, just
like we used to do. You always meant
so very much and always will too. The
fact that you're no longer here will always
cause me pain, But you're forever in
my heart until we meet again.

- Author Unknown



*Remembering Waltina with Love,
The Family*



Acknowledgements

The family of the late Waltina Crystal Ellington wishes to
express their heartfelt appreciation and sincere gratitude
for the many expressions of sympathy, kind words and
prayers so graciously bestowed upon us during our time of
bereavement. Special thanks to Rev. Dr. Joseph L. Coleman
and all of our family and friends. Thank you for your
presence here with us today. May God continue to bless
your life and forever keep you in his divine care. Please
continue to keep our family in your thoughts and prayers.

Pallbearers

Frank Ellington III Christopher Goodson Franklin Jones
J.C. Payne Scott Payne, Sr. Billy Jackson

Honorary Pallbearers

Shamer Jones Eric Ellington Deric Ellington

Flower Bearers

Family & Friends of the Family

Services Entrusted to

Thomas Funeral Home

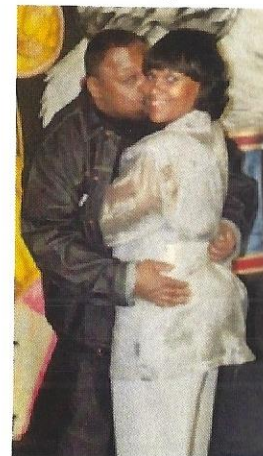
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Celebration of Life



Waltina Crystal Ellington

April 13, 1969 - August 19, 2020

Funeral Service 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, August 27, 2020

Thomas Funeral Home

4520 Salem Ave., Trotwood, OH

Reverend Dr. Joseph L. Coleman,
Officiating



Sketch of Life

Waltina Crystal (Brooks) Ellington, age 51, was born April 13, 1969 in Dayton, Ohio to Walker Brooks and Hazetta D. Sargent. She was a graduate of Colonel White High School, Class of '1988. She continued her education receiving an Associate's Degree at Sinclair Community College in Early Childhood Education, Associate's Degree at Miami Jacobs in Business, Bachelors and Master's Degree at the University of Phoenix in Human Resources. Waltina worked at Dayton Public Schools as a Clerical and Secretary from 2010 thru 2018. She was baptized at a young age at Bethesda Temple Apostolic Church. She was also a member of Canaan Missionary Baptist Church for 26 years, under the leadership of Rev. Joseph L. Coleman where she served on the Usher Board. Waltina dearly loved her children who were her life. She was outgoing, loyal, wise and loved being around friends and family. Waltina was an excellent host and enjoyed planning and hosting family gatherings and parties. She loved shouting at basketball games too. She enjoyed bowling, skating, music, movies, cooking, barbecues, family and friends. Waltina was an avid sports fan of the Pittsburgh Steelers and Los Angeles Lakers. She was an innovator and knowledgeable about many things.

On Wednesday, August 19th, 2020 Waltina transitioned to be in the presence of the Lord suddenly in her home. She was also preceded in death by her loving and protecting husband of 34 years, Frank Ellington, Jr.; grandfather, Albert Sargent; paternal grandmother, Alice Brooks and special cousin, Sedric Ward. Waltina leaves to cherish her precious memories and celebrate her life; (3) loving children, Frank Jamaal Ellington III, Brooke Ja'Liz Ellington and Breea Ja'Zet Ellington; her parents, Walker Brooks and Hazetta Sargent; (1) sister, Dorothy (Christopher) Goodson; maternal grandmother, Dorothy Sargent; (3) aunts, Darryl Ward, Vanessa Andebrhan and Carmen Jones; special cousins, Franklin Jones, Japhra Jones, Tokea (Neftali) Morales and Fred Ward; best friends, Debora Abshire and Alonda Beavers; a host of aunts, nieces, cousins, in-laws, other family members and friends.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude.....Soft Music
 Parting View.....The Family
 Scripture Readings.....Japhra Jones
 Prayer.....Clergy
 Musical Selection.....Veda Payne
 Reading of the ObituaryFelicia Payne
 Poem..... "Until We Meet Again"Breea Ellington
 Letter..... "Dear Mommy" Brooke Ellington
 Resolutions/Acknowledgements.....
 Special Remarks & TributeDonald Stovall and
 Canaan Missionary Baptist Church Usher Board
 Musical Selection.....Frank Ellington
 Eulogy.....Reverend Dr. Joseph L. Coleman
 Recessional.....Clergy, Family and Friends
 Interment.....Dayton Memorial Park Cemetery
 8135 North Dixie Dr., Dayton, OH

*Repast - gathering for family & friends
 following the Interment. Please wear a mask
 during Service and Repast.*

John 14:1-6 (kjp)

Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. 2In 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. 3And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. 4And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know. 5Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way? 6Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

