

Don't Cry For Me

Don't cry for me. I will be okay. Heaven is my home now, and this is where I'll stay. Don't cry for me. I'm where I belong. I want you to be happy and try to stay strong. Don't cry for me. It was just my time, but I'll see you someday on the other side. Don't cry for me. I am not alone. The angels are with me to welcome me home. Don't cry for me for I have no fear. All my pain is gone, and Jesus took my tears. Don't cry for me. This is not the end. I'll be waiting here for you when we meet again.



Honorary Pallbearers

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| Kyle Spivey | Drew Spivey |
| Johnny Jackson | Lee Jackson |
| Edward Rayner | Jessie McGriff Jr. |
| Sherry Bacon | Ricky Rivers |
| Will Rivers Jr. | Harold Crawford |
| Pamela Walker | Janet McGriff |
| Shelia Baker | Jimmy Baker |
| Charles Mitchell | Shawanda Merritt-Porter |
| Denise Gibson | Shannon Gibson |

Active Pallbearers

Family & Friends

Flower Attendants

Family & Friends

Interment

Paulk Cemetery
101 Gus Paulk Cemetery Road
Ambrose, Georgia 31512

Acknowledgements

The family of Putula Paulk wishes to extend our heartfelt gratitude for the many acts of kindness, love, and support shown to us during this time of bereavement.

We are especially grateful to the dedicated healthcare teams at St. Joseph's/Candler Hospital and Memorial Health Hospital in Savannah, GA, as well as to caregiver Cousin Sheila Baker and the team at East Coast Asphalt. Your compassion and care have brought us comfort and strength, and we are deeply appreciative of each and every gesture of support.

-Jacob Paulk and Family

Final Arrangements Entrusted To:

HARRELL'S FUNERAL HOME
400 E. CHERRY STREET ~ DOUGLAS, GEORGIA 31533
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Homegoing Celebration For



Putula E. Paulk

Sunrise: Sunset:

December 12, 1967 December 9, 2024

Sunday, December 15, 2024

1:00 PM

*St. John Missionary
Baptist Church*

Wray, Georgia 31798

Elder Jimmy Dale Baker, Eulogist

Life Reflections

Putula Edmonds Paulk, a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, daughter, sister, and friend, peacefully transitioned to her eternal home on Monday, December 9, 2024, to be with our Lord and Savior. Born on December 12, 1967, in Homerville, GA, she was the cherished daughter of Verdie Lee Andrews and Roy Edmonds.

Putula accepted Christ at an early age and faithfully attended Allen Chapel AME in Sandy Bottom, GA. She carried her deep faith with her throughout her life, serving as a beacon of love and kindness to all who knew her.

Putula was an exemplary student who attended primary and high school in Pearson, GA. A proud graduate of Atkinson County High School's Class of 1985, she graduated with honors and was a dedicated member of the color guard. She later pursued higher education at Liberty University, earning her Bachelor's degree in Psychology with a specialization in Christian Counseling in 2017, again graduating with honors.

She dedicated her professional life to helping others as a Case Manager at Gateway Behavioral Health in Savannah, GA. Her work was a reflection of her compassionate spirit and unwavering commitment to improving the lives of those she served.

Putula will be remembered for her unwavering love for her family, her vibrant faith, and her deep devotion to her community. Her memory will forever be cherished by those who were blessed to know her.

She was preceded in death by two children, Pauline and Paulette Paulk; her maternal grandparents, Roosevelt and Catherine Baker; her paternal grandparents, William and Katherine Edmonds; her sister, Sylvia Edmond; and her brother-in-law, Wayne Hicks.

She leaves to cherish her memory her devoted husband of 34 wonderful years, Jacob Paulk; her parents, Verdie Lee Andrews and Clyde Andrews; two brothers, Jimmy Dale Baker (Amanda) and Fred Wingate; one sister, Amy Murphy; four children, Kasharia (Robert) Smith, Antonio (Whitney) Lott, Jacob LaTrevis Paulk, and Jeremy Paulk; two grandchildren, Kyleigh Lott and Kyler Lott; her mother-in-law, Lois Hicks; two sisters-in-law, Charline Hicks and Cynthia West; two brothers-in-law, Carl Hicks and Stafford (Joan) Hicks; and a host of beloved nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, coworkers, and dear friends who will forever hold her in their hearts.

Precious Memories



Order of Service

Pastor Willie Carter, Presiding

Processional.....Ministers and Family

Invocation.....Hattie Holland

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament.....Janet McGriff

New Testament.....Janet McGriff

Selection.....St. John Choir

Reflections.....Please Limit to Two Minutes

As a Son.....Antonio Lott and Jeremy Paulk

As a Friend.....Jennifer Spivey

As Sister/Cousin.....Shawanda Merritt-Porter

As a Cousin.....Will Rivers Jr.

Solo.....Minister Darlene Jackson

Eulogy.....Elder Jimmy Dale Baker

Acknowledgements.....Harrell's Staff

Committal Services

Benediction

Recessional