

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Gary Wolford **Edward Wolford** Tevin Wilson Kenneth Wolford Vincent Nichols Michael Ward

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Tyrone Wilson Glenn Johnson Devante Wolford Frank Dotson Floyd Wolford LaSonny Speights

FAMILY ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of Iesha Wilson Batiste expresses the greatest appreciation for the expression of love and sympathy shown by everyone. Thank you all for the cards, flowers, calls, visits, words of comfort and prayers. May God richly bless each of you is our prayer.

PROFESSIONAL CARE AND **SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:**

Carter-Taylor-Williams Mortuary 601 N. Center - San Antonio, Texas Office: 210-227-7311 210-227-7312

www.ctwmortuarv.com Mrs. Vera Williams Young, Funeral Director "Never place a question mark where God has placed a period." Floral Arrangements By: A. Dream Weaver Florist Printing By: Carter-Taylor-Williams Mortuary

INTERMENT

Eastview Cemetery 3530 Roland Ave. • San Antonio, Texas

REPASS

Honey's Place 7119 Joe Louis Dr. • San Antonio, Texas 78220



DESHAWNW

AUGUST 14, 1987

APRIL 20, 2021

FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 2021 SERVICE 11:00AM

TEMPLE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

745 MORNINGVIEW DR. • SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS REV. RONALD GLOVER, PASTOR • REV. OSCAR L. DEAN, SR., OFFICIATING



DESHAWN WILSON BATISTE LIFE'S JOURNEY

Iesha Deshawn Wilson Batiste was born August 14, 1987 to Kevin Dewayne Shelton and Felicia Deshon Wilson in San Antonio, Texas. She accepted Christ at an early age with membership at Shiloh Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Harper. She received her formal education in the San Antonio Independent School District attending Pershing Elementary, Wheatley Middle School and a graduate of Sam Houston High School.

Following high school, Iesha joined the workforce and began working at The Willows Nursing Home. She later was employed at the Texas Juvenile Justice Department as a Supervisor. She continued to elevate herself in the workforce and began working for Church's Chicken as a Manager and was a part of the team at the State Hospital. Iesha's last career journey was with the University Health System. She was a very creative person and enjoyed doing arts and crafts and doing make-up. Iesha had a connection with the Lord and loved going to church and working with the Youth Department.

Iesha met and married the love of her life, Christopher Paul Batiste, May 6, 2017. She was a loving wife and mother. Iesha was very devoted to her family and cared for them with all her heart. Iesha continued her walk with the Lord and later joined the Temple Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Ronald Glover. She worked in the church with the Youth Department. Iesha had an agenda with the Lord that only she could keep.

Iesha was preceded in death by her grandmothers, Karen Wilson Daniels and Margret Shelton, grandfather, Richard King, great grandparents, Phyllis Rosemond, Floyd Wolford, Sr., Ozella and Eddie Sr. Cunningham, great great grandparents, Itasco and Wallace Wilson, Josie and Walter Wolford and her great aunt, Rosie. She leaves to cherish her memory her husband, Christopher Batiste; children, Jamari Wilson, Ja'Hyra Batiste and Ja'Tavious Batiste; her parents, Felicia Wilson and Kevin Shelton; sisters, Adina Wilson and Que'Nice Cain along with nineteen other paternal brothers and sisters; aunts, Windy Wilson, Michelle Wilson and Chavonne Shelton; nieces, Kylah Hardict, Anasia Harrison and nephew, Amari Harrison; grandfather, Roy Cunningham (Pops), Helen Ward; special cousins, Tijonnaise Wilson-Nichols (Vince), Tevin Wilson, Tyrone Wilson and Shanobea Wolford; Godsister, Ivryana Dean; sister-in-law, Cobranekia Thompson; mother-in-law, Jacqueline Speights along with a host of great aunts, great uncles, cousins and friends.

UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN

A light from our lives has gone A voice we loved is still. A place is vacant within our hearts Which never can be filled.

A bouquet of beautiful memories Sprayed with a million tears. I wish God could have spared you If just for a few more years.

We hold you close within our hearts,
And there you will remain.
To walk with us throughout our lives
Until we meet again.

So rest Iesha our most precious loved one And thanks for all you've done. We pray that God has given you The crown you've truly won.

Your vacant place no one can fill We miss and love you now and always will.

Love Always, Your Mother

Felicia Wilson

IF ROSES GROW IN HEAVEN

If Roses grow in Heaven Lord, please pick a bunch for me. Place them in my cousin's arms and tell her they're from me.

Tell her that I love her and miss her, and when she turns to smile, place a kiss upon her cheek and hug "My Meatha" for a while.

Because remembering Iesha is so easy,
I do it every day,
but there's an ache within my heart
that will never go away.
Her memory is my forever keepsake.
In which I will never let depart
Although forever in God's keeping
I will always have her in my heart.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Clergy, Pallbearers and Family

Selection

"It's Over Now" By: Kirk Franklin

The Holy Scriptures

Old Testament

Rev. Bryant Livingston

New Testament Rev. Bryant Livingston

The Prayer

Rev. Oscar L. Dean, Sr.

Solo

Alvin Gertman

Resolution(s)

Temple Missionary Baptist Church Corner Gate Christian Church Sis. Sharla Thompson

Family Tribute

Praise Dance
Lejoi Haynes

Solo

Alvin Gertman

Victory Message
Pastor Ronald Glover

Recessional "Grateful"