



Vivian Johnson Hawkins

September 8, 1941 - November 3, 2021

Vivian Wilnette Johnson Hawkins was born on September 8, 1941 to the late Corbin E. Johnson Sr. and Louise Jackson Johnson in Richmond, Virginia. Also; preceding her in death, was her husband, Frederick Hawkins III.

The youngest of three children; she was educated in the Richmond Public Schools System, graduating from Maggie L. Walker High School, and received a B.S. degree from Virginia State College (University). She worked as a teacher in Richmond Public Schools for thirty-five years. Vivian became a life member of the Richmond Education Association, the Virginia Education Association and the National Education Association, upon her retirement. She was also a member of the Fairfield Library Friends and the Virginia State University Alumni.

She joined the Trinity Baptist Church under the pastorate of Rev. K. D. Turner and worked during her membership with the New Members Committee, Vacation Bible School, Historical Society, Counting Team and also served as a volunteer at the Trinity Baptist Church Family Life Center.

She enjoyed taking trips, traveling to the CIAA tournament yearly and other activities with the "POSSE".

To cherish her memory is her son Frederick IV (Erika); grand daughters: Jaila,

Arianna and Aliyah; great-granddaughter: Leilani; sister, Mary J. Lee (Kary);
brother, Corbin Johnson Jr. (Beatrice); nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV 13. 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Ave.
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Grave Side Service

NOV 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

Oakwood Cemetery
3101 Nine Mile Road
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Tribute Wall



“ *Vivian Johnson Hawkins*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *It saddens me to hear of Vivian's passing known to us as "Hawkins". The Circle of Friendship in the "Richmond Posse" has been severed. I will not forget those CIAA tournament trips. She would have a gift bag for each one of us containing necessary items such as lotion, toothpaste, etc. We enjoyed one another. Rest in Peace Vivian, you will be missed.*



Gwen Wigen, Rocky Mount, NC - November 14, 2021 at 06:12 PM



“ *To the Hawkin's Family*

We shared good times and the birth of our children on Montrose Ave. Wilnette could calm a room down with her smile. Praying His strength, care and love will be very evident to you today.

James and Constance Montague

Constance Montague - November 12, 2021 at 01:57 PM

BL

“ Sending love and prayers to the Hawkins family. He gentle spirit and love made her a joy to be in her presence. She used to travel with the VUU Boosters to the games and we had so much fun even though she didn't graduate from Union. I will miss seeing her smiling face in Publix. May God surround you with peace and comfort as you grieve the loss of a sweet soul

BARBARA A. LAWS - November 12, 2021 at 12:44 PM

BP

“ Our condolences to the Hawkins's family. Vivian was like a sister to us. We shared many trips and activities together. She had a caring spirit. We will especially miss her ability to retain history and formidable information. To God be the Glory.

The Posse' (Brenda Melvin, Mary Brown, Bertha Carter and Barbara Petty)

Barbara Petty - November 11, 2021 at 06:00 PM

HL

“ Sincere condolences to the family. Vivian and I met during my days at Trinity Baptist Church. She had a beautiful spirit. May she rest in Paradise.

Helene Hinton Lovell



Helene Lovell - November 10, 2021 at 03:09 PM



“ My condolences goes out to the Hawkins family. 🙏

Rod Berry - November 10, 2021 at 08:17 AM

VM

“ My deepest sympathy to the Hawkins family in the passing of your loved one. May the Lord give you His peace, and may you always have sweet memories of Vivian.

Sincerely,
Vashti Mallory

Vashti Mallory - November 10, 2021 at 08:17 AM

RC

“ My most sincere condolences and prayers to the family. Roslyn de Cordova



Roslyn de Cordova - November 09, 2021 at 07:05 PM

DF

“ She shall always be remembered for that lovely smile whenever I approached her. She was a very nice person. 🙏

Deacon Carolyn Ford - November 09, 2021 at 08:18 AM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - November 08, 2021 at 12:26 PM