

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Pallbearers

Richard Strawter
Jerry Strawter

Harold Strawter
Arthur Mitchell III

Cleon Scott
Brandon Dean

Ushers

Open Arms Community Church

Floral Attendants

Friends of the Family

Interment

Private

Repast

The Party Spot

10934 Lem Turner Road
Jacksonville, Florida 32218

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Kathryn A. Coleman, extend our sincere appreciation and gratitude to our loved ones as well as friends for the many acts of kindness. All of your calls, visits, meals, floral arrangements, and condolences, have served as strength for us. It is our fervent prayer that God's abundant blessings will forever be yours.

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Funerals by T. S. Warden

"A Friend in Your Time of Need"



Kathryn Arlelia COLEMAN

Sunrise
November 19, 1960

Sunset
January 15, 2020

Saturday, January 25, 2020
12:00 p.m.

OPEN ARMS COMMUNITY CHURCH
2763 Dunn Avenue
Jacksonville, Florida 32218

*Bishop Leofric Thomas, Sr., Officiating
Funerals by T.S. Warden, Directing*

Life Reflections

Katheryn Arlelia Coleman was born Katheryn Arlelia Strawter, to Freddie and Helen Strawter, on November 19, 1960, in Saint Augustine, Florida. Katheryn met her demise on January 15, 2020, and was preceded in death by her spouse, Kevin Coleman; mother, Helen Strawter; and father, Freddie Strawter.

Kathy attended public schools in St. Augustine, FL, where she graduated from St. Augustine High School in 1978, and later relocated to Miami, FL. Soon after she enlisted in the United States Army, where she served four years and received an honorable discharge.

She returned to Florida and settled in Jacksonville, where she became gainfully employed by the Federal Reserve Bank. She attended college at Florida State College of Jacksonville, where she received an AA Degree in Finance and Accounting. She moved on to First Union Bank, which changed to Wachovia, then Wells Fargo, there she retired in 2018, after thirty years of employment.

Kathy accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as her personal Savior early in her life and was baptized. She recently rededicated her life to Christ and joined fellowship with Open Arms Community Church in 2019, under the leadership of Bishop Leofric Thomas, Sr.

She leaves to cherish and share precious memories: her son, Marque Andrae Strawter; siblings, Vivian Powell (Cleveland), Harold Strawter (Brenda), Carolyn Miller (John), Marilyn Benitez, Sharon Dicks (Alonza), Jacquelyn Douglas, Richard Strawter (Rhonda), and Jerry Strawter; sisters-in-law, Dauree Coleman and Debbie Coleman; uncle, Jessie Strawter; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends; special friends, Tish Lyons and Linda Murray; godson, Rakeem; and special thanks and admiration for daughter-in-law, Lekeshia Phillips-Mortimer, for her untiring dedication, commitment, and love shown to us.

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Order of Service

Processional

Selection ... *“Jesus Promised Me a Home Over There”* by Jennifer Hudson.....Praise Team,

Prayer

The Holy Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament

Selection *“Take Me to the King”* by Tamela Mann.....India Ellison

Obituary Read Silently

Reflections Two Minutes, Please

As a Sibling Richard Strawter

As a Niece Stephanie Dean

As a Friend Tish Lyons

As a Son Marque Strawter

Resolution

Selection *“Every Praise”*.....Praise Team

Eulogy Bishop Leofric Thomas, Sr.

Military Salute..... U.S. Army Representatives

Recessional..... *“He’ll Welcome Me”*.....Praise Team

Our Queen is Resting

Hard to believe this is our new reality.

Planning a future without you.

Our matriarch has left us.

Left us with memories of head wraps.

You wore it well that Thanksgiving.

With memories of the brightest smile!

Evidence of your beautiful spirit.

Memories of your strength and confidence,

Fitting you like a tailored suit.

(You gifted those qualities to your son)

You left us with memories of your authenticity and candor,

Undeniable and refreshing!

Memories of your love and kindness,

Never failing those around you.

The best Mother (in-law), loved sibling, favorite aunt, coolest cousin, and greatest friend,

Undeserving of your final days.

Although our hearts are broken,

We find strength in knowing that Our Queen is finally resting in Heaven.

Forever in our hearts

I love you Ma!

Your Daughter-in-Law



K - indhearted

A - ffectionate

T - houghtful

H - elpful

Y - oung and heart



My First True Love

My first true love

Loved and cared for me unconditionally

Stayed in my corner when no one else was there

You are one of a kind, no one else can compare

My first true love

Taught me the meaning of love

Showed never ending mercy and forgiveness

You always did it all with grace and finesse

My first true love

Raised me to be the man that I am

Gave structure and instruction to follow

Without trying, Mama, you were the best role model

My first true love

You were loved and revered by many

I still can't fathom you leaving us like this

Just understand how much you will be missed

My first true love

I know that your suffering is over

And your beautiful soul is at rest

You are now in the hands of God

No longer to be stressed...

I love you ALWAYS, FORVER, AND A DAY

From your one and only,

Marque

