

The LORD is my *Shepherd;*
I shall not want.

He maketh me to
lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters,
He restoreth my
soul:

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness
for His name's sake. Yea though I walk through the
valley of the shadow of death.

*I will fear no evil:
for Thou art with me;*

Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies
Thou anointest my head with oil; My cup runneth over
Surely goodness & mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life;

And I will dwell in the house
of the LORD *forever.*
- Psalm 23

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the
many expressions of love, concern, prayers, and kindness shown to
them during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

- The family of Carmen Boswell



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*In Loving Memory
of*



Carmen Boswell

January 13, 1953 - January 12, 2026

Friday, January 30, 2026

Visitation: 10:00 am

Funeral Service: 11:00 am

Lincoln Heights Missionary Baptist Church

9991 Wayne Avenue

Cincinnati, Ohio 45215

Rev. Alfonza Jones, Officiating

In Loving Memory of Carmen "Candy" A. Boswell

Carmen (Candy) A. Boswell passed away on January 12, 2026, at Christ Hospital following several health complications. Her family extends their deepest gratitude to the dedicated medical team whose tireless efforts provided Carmen with every possible chance to recover.

A Life of Service and Family

Born in Newport, Kentucky, on January 13, 1953, Carmen was the daughter of the late Margaret C. France and Alfred Henderson, and the granddaughter of the late Virginia and Robert Strange. She is survived by her devoted husband, Clyde Boswell; her children, Darryl Erkins and Shawna Powell; and her stepchildren, Darrilyn Smith (Deon), Clyde Boswell Jr., and Tracie Fears.

The second of four siblings, Carmen was preceded in death by her sister, Olivia Talbot (Wilbur). Her memory is cherished by her sisters, Michelle and Bobbi France, and her additional siblings Alfred Craig Henderson, Muhammed Ameen (Soade), Eric Henderson, and Crystal Wimzie (John).

Carmen's legacy continues through her ten grandchildren—Joshua, Jayda, Clyde III, Shane, Shaun, Demetrius, Andrew, Shawn, Keeyan, and Trinity—as well as six great-grandchildren and a large, devoted extended family and friends.

Faith, Hobbies, and Profession

Raised in the Catholic faith and later a member of Lincoln Heights Missionary Baptist Church, Carmen's greatest joy was her family. She was an avid traveler, visiting Hawaii, California, and Florida. A passionate reader, she loved romance novels and epic series like Harry Potter and Lord of the Rings. She also found joy in collecting dolls and all things Disney.

After graduating from Holmes High School in 1970, Carmen's professional journey began with the Model City program in Covington, Kentucky, followed by a tenure at 5/3 Bank. She later specialized in Workers' Compensation at Kroger and Bethesda Hospital. She concluded her career as a Distinguished Leader through the Eagle Leadership Program at The Sheakley Company and finally as a Claims Specialist at Sedgwick.

Community and Legacy

Dedicated to her community, Carmen was active in the American Businesswomen's Association (ABWA), volunteered for the 1984 Rainbow Push campaign, served as a Butler County poll worker, and was a proud "Little Red Machine" team mother.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	Rev. David Minor
Parting View	Family
Prayer	Ministerial Staff
Scripture	Ministerial Staff
Selection	Rev. David Minor
Acknowledgements	
Remarks	Family & Friends
Please limit remarks to two minutes	
Obituary	Read Silently
<i>A time to reflect and thank God for the life of Carmen Boswell</i>	
Selection	Rev. David Minor
Eulogy	Rev. Julian A. Cook, M.Div., PhD
Committal / Benediction	Rev. Julian A. Cook, M.Div., PhD
Recessional	Your Text Here

Jesus
said unto her, I am the resurrection
& the

Life:
he that believeth in me,
though he were dead,
yet he shall live: and whosoever liveth &

Believeth
in me, though he were dead,
yet shall he live: and whosoever
liveth & believeth in me shall NEVER die.

- John 11:25-26