

## 23rd Psalm

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 and mercy shall  
follow me all the days of my life;  
And I will dwell in the house  
of the LORD forever.



## Pallbearers

Roger Reliford                      LeRoy Smith  
Taerin Howard                      Percy Reliford

## Acknowledgements

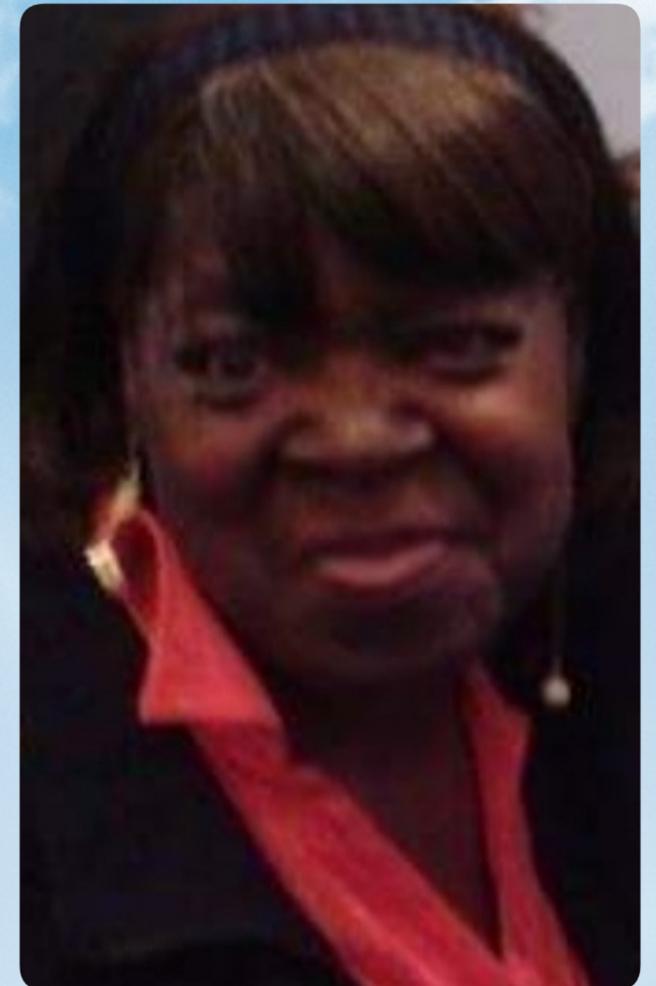
A friendly smile a casual touch, these are the things that mean so much. To know you are with us in our time of sorrow, sharing our prayers, today and tomorrow. God give us the comfort in the form of good Friends.  
May his peace be with you, his love never ends.



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**MEMORY**



*Lorraine Roach*

November 30, 1951 - December 30, 2023



*January 20, 2024*

Visitation: 9:30 am - Eastern Star Ceremony:  
10:30 am - Funeral Service: 11:00 am

*Walker Funeral Home - Walnut Hills*

2625 Gilbert Avenue | Cincinnati, Ohio 45206

Rev. David Goins, Jr., Officiating

## Obituary

Lorraine was born in Cincinnati, Ohio to Mary Wilson and Joseph Reliford on November 30, 1951. She went to high school at Withrow High School and graduated from there in 1970. She worked as a dietary aide at Beechwood Nursing Home for many years. She enjoyed being an Eastern Star in St. Johns Chapter #25 and being a daughter in Sinai Court #35. She also enjoyed cooking and helping cater events.

Lorraine had two children, Curtis E. Reliford, and Raquel Reliford, who she loved and protected. She was a young mother and not too tall. She knew that she would be tested, so she was always a mama bear and a firecracker. She was prepared for the challenge.

Everyone that knows her, knows how she feels and what she thinks of you. She would never hold back on expressing herself.

She loved to laugh and would flip the script when something wasn't right for her. She will be missed for her smile, laughter, and her expressions. She enjoyed a good party with good music. It was even better if she had to get dressed for the occasion. Her grandchildren were the center of her heart and she loved to spend time with them every chance she got to be with them.

Lorraine was active in organizations and with her family, until her health prevented her from continuing to do all the things she enjoyed. She was ready to go whenever there was an event and her health conditions were not severe and limiting.

Lorraine was preceded in death by her parents, Mary Willson and Joseph Reliford; daughter, Raquel (her twin in so many ways); sisters, Joann and Mary; brothers, Joe and Ronald and mother, Gertrude.

She is survived by her husband, Kenneth; son, Curtis; sisters, Beatrice and Carol; and brother, Percy. She leaves to cherish her memory, her grandchildren, Dreshaun, Raeshaun, Taevin and great grandchildren, Naveya and Taeshaun. Many family members and friends will miss Lorraine.



## Order of Service

Musical Prelude .....	
Parting View .....	Immediate Family
Prayer .....	Rev. David Goins, Jr.
Scripture .....	Psalm 56: 3-4
Selection .....	The Spinners "Sade"
Acknowledgements .....	
Remarks .....	2 Minutes Please
Obituary .....	Read Silently
Selection .....	Minister Jennifer Hill
Eulogy .....	Rev. David Goins, Jr.
Benediction .....	Rev. David Goins, Jr.
Recessional .....	Clergy, Family & Friends



### Repast

January 20, 2024  
1:00 pm  
Windham Hall  
817 Windham Avenue,  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45229

We sat beside your bedside  
Our *Hearts* were crushed and sore  
We did our duty to the end  
'Til we could do no more  
In tears we watched you sinking  
We watched you fade away  
And though our hearts were breaking  
We knew you could not stay  
You left behind some aching hearts  
That loved you **MOST SINCERE**  
We never shall and never will  
Forget you, *Mother Dear*