

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

*During this most difficult time, we appreciate the calls, texts, and most importantly, your prayers! We thank God for this precious jewel in our lives. We are eternally grateful.*

*Hello, Mom.*

*I thank God for you and for being your daughter. I am going to miss our phone conversations while working. I will miss you calling just to tell me what the weather forecast would be that day. I will always remember how you would check me out from head to toe before getting into my car. I would ask, "Did I check out OK?". I am going to miss you dearly, Mom. I love you, my Queen. Until we meet again.*

*Love,  
Bridget Jacoway*

*Dear Mom,*

*Mom, I remember you never leaving the house without any makeup on. You truly were a diva; a spitting image of your mother. You gave great advice and were a no-nonsense kind of woman. I remember you walking me through Thanksgiving dinner on the phone step by step. Mom loved to joke and play around and always had a comeback. She enjoyed telling jokes. I am going to miss not being able to hear your voice. I love you for eternity.*

*Rest in peace, beautiful queen.  
Love, Tracy*

## REPASS

**1:00pm - 4:00pm**

**Calvary Chapel Church of God In Christ  
5101 Bristol Ave. | Kansas City, Missouri 64129**

## SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:



1101 E. Bannister Rd. | Kansas City, MO 64131 | SFHKC.com



HOME GOING  
CELEBRATION OF

*Carolyn*  
**Y. JACOWAY**

October 7, 1946 - April 17, 2026

**Saturday, May 2, 2026**

**Visitation: 10:00am Service 11:00am**

**Serenity Funeral Home**

**1101 E. Bannister Road | Kansas City, Missouri 64131**

*Officiant, Pastor Elder Dennis A. Lenley*

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IN LOVING  
MEMORY

# Carolyn Y. JACOWAY

Carolyn Y. Jacoway passed away on April 17, 2026, at KU Medical Center in Kansas City, Kansas. She was born on October 7, 1946, in Kansas City, Missouri, to Jeremiah Lenley and Bessie L. Lenley (Watts). Carolyn lived in and attended the Kansas City Public School District. Carolyn accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior.

Carolyn met and became friends with Fred L. Jacoway Jr. and later married. They were happily married for 11 years and shared 3 beautiful children, Bridget, Fred III, and Tracy, and one stepdaughter, Pamela.

Every morning, Carolyn loved her coffee, talking to her plants, being outdoors, and hearing the birds chirping. She loved playing Spades, Tonk, and Bingo. Carolyn was really good at it. She enjoyed entertaining her company by listening to soulful music and dancing. It tickled her when she would see the kids dance for her. Carolyn would love for us to drive her around and look at the Christmas lights. Doing so brought so much joy to her heart. She enjoyed shopping at Hobby Lobby, Macy's, JCPenney's, and Price Chopper. Carolyn also had a passion for art. In Carolyn's earlier years, she found employment as the supervisor of housekeeping for the Marriott Hotel. After 40+ years of hard work, she retired in 2014 from Kindred Hospital.

Carolyn was preceded in death by her parents, Jeremiah Lenley; Bessie L. Lenley (Watts); Pamela D. Wright (daughter), Fred L. Jacoway III (son), Sharon Walker (sister), Brenda J. McKinney (sister), Ronald L. Wright (grandson), Martez L. Jacoway (grandson), and Ron'Tez Lewis (great-grandson).

Carolyn is lovingly remembered by her two daughters, Bridget Jacoway and Tracy Ellis; her brother, Dennis Lenley (Lois); and her sister, Shelia Perkins (Anthony Sr.). She leaves behind a cherished legacy through her grandchildren: RonShawna Wright, Carolyn Walden (Michael), Keiana Jacoway, Kalisha Jacoway, Katrina (SJ) Ferguson, Kay Jacoway, Carliscia Block, Clarisa Block, Trevon Redwood, Jayla Jacoway, and Jordan Jacoway. She is also survived by a host of great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, extended relatives, and dear friends.



## Order OF SERVICE

**Pulpit Conductor** — Elder Steven Andre Brunston

**Prayer** — Elder Anthony Perkins Sr.

**Old Testament** — Minister Allen Perkins

**New Testament** — Elder Gary Randolph

**Musical Selection** — Elizabeth Brown

**Remarks** — *2 Minutes Please*

**Reading of Cards & Church Resolutions**

Sis. Vora Lewis

**Video Tribute**

**Musical Selection** — The Perkins Brothers

D'LaRon McKinney

**Words of Comfort** — Pastor Elder Dennis A. Lenley

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