

*Celebrating*  
THE LIFE & LEGACY OF

*Norma*  
LEVI WILLIAMS

SUNRISE: JULY 5, 1942

SUNSET: JUNE 8, 2021

**Friday, June 18, 2021**

Viewing: 10AM | **Celebration of Life:** 11AM

**Henson Valley Christian Church**

1900 Tucker Road

Fort Washington, MD 20744

Reverend Stephen A. Hurd - Presiding

# Order Of Service

Opening Song "I'll Fly Away" Tamika Law

Scripture Reading Lisa Martin  
Old Testament - Psalms 23: 1-6  
New Testament - John 14:1-4

Prayer Richard Logan

Ministry of Music Tamika Law  
"To God be the Glory"

Acknowledgements Kellisha Jones

Obituary (Read Silently)

Remarks (Please limit remarks to two minutes) Richard Logan  
Lyric Jones  
Lisa Alston  
Kia Logan

Ministry of Music Tamika Law

"Grateful"

Message Reverend Stephen A. Hurd

Benediction

Recessional



# Remembering Norma

Norma was born on July 5, 1942, in Fairmount Heights, Maryland to Lillian White and David Levi. She was the youngest of three girls.

Norma was educated in the Prince Georges County and Los Angeles County public school systems, graduating from Fairmount Heights High School in June 1960. Norma continued her educational pursuits when she saw that computers and computer technology were the wave of the future in business and government. She attended Prince Georges Community College and received her Associates in Arts -Business Administration degree in December 1988.

Norma started her federal government career as a Secretary (Stenographer) at the U.S. Internal Revenue Service shortly after graduating high school. Her stenography skills allowed her to enter the federal government with higher pay, as this was a desired skill by employers. Norma then went on to work at the Office of Management and Budget and the White House's Office of the Council on Environmental Quality before joining the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Throughout her federal career, Norma was a mentor, leader and inspiration to many, as she moved up the ladder and transitioned to a professional career track managing contracts as a Project Officer. Norma was always willing to learn and expand her career skills. Norma retired from EPA in 2005 with 44 years of federal service.

Norma married Robert Williams. From this union they were blessed with a daughter, Kia and a son, Kelly. Though their union ended, they were committed to co-parenting and became lifelong friends.

As a child, Norma spent her elementary school years in California with her mom and extended family. It is there that she developed her love of Mexican food. She would readily tell you there's no Mexican food better (outside of Mexico) than in California. Norma came to know Jesus in her youth and imparted her love of God through her kindness to others and to her children through their regular Sunday School attendance and discussions. She loved reading the Daily Word and kept it on her nightstand and she loved the ministering that gospel music provided her spirit. One of her many online passwords was PraiseG!

Norma took golf lessons and a golf history course and after that she was hooked on golfing. With her friend, Daisy, they played many golf courses and traveled to Miami to hit the links too. She was even into watching amateur and professional golf on television. Raving to anyone who would listen about this young golfer at Stanford University named Tiger Woods. She was an early fan, way before he became an international golf sensation. Norma also enjoyed gardening and landscaped her back yard – which looked professionally done. She even moved to LaPlata to get a bigger yard to garden.

In retirement, Norma stayed active, enjoying her fitness walks, landscape-style gardening skills and spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren and retired friends. She also had a part-time job as a receptionist at a 55 and up new home development in Waldorf, which she greatly enjoyed before the housing market slowed down.

Norma was preceded in death by her mother, Lillian White, and beloved sister, Arleen Alston.

Norma leaves to cherish her memory her daughter, Kia Logan (Richard); son, Kelly Williams; bonus daughter, Sandy Shuler (James); grandchildren, DeAndre Martin; DeMonte Martin; Kellisha Jones (Myron); Mia Bryan (Antoine); Ashley Logan; bonus granddaughter, Cortnee Brandon; great-grandchildren, Lucas; Klifford; Lyric; Beau; Jordan; and SurreyVerlise; one sister, Vivian Gibson, longtime best friends, Barbara Batiste; Lillian Epps; Daisy Hill; Julia Alessio; and many nephews and nieces; other relatives; and a host of friends.





# ETERNAL GARDEN

by Ashley Logan

She walks so gracefully, almost like she's floating  
Through the grass blades her shoes touch ever so lightly

The Sun is forever set at the golden hour,  
just enough for every plant to get some shine

All of the flowers she so carefully  
selected are serving their purpose

They emulate the same beauty  
that she possesses in every way

While she's not on this planet any longer, when my mind  
wanders I see her in the eternal garden.



# BEAUTIFUL

by Kia Logan

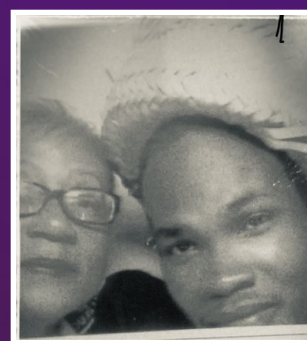
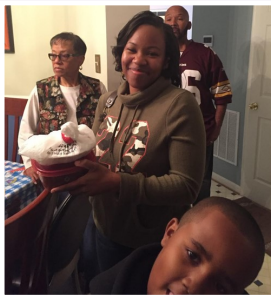
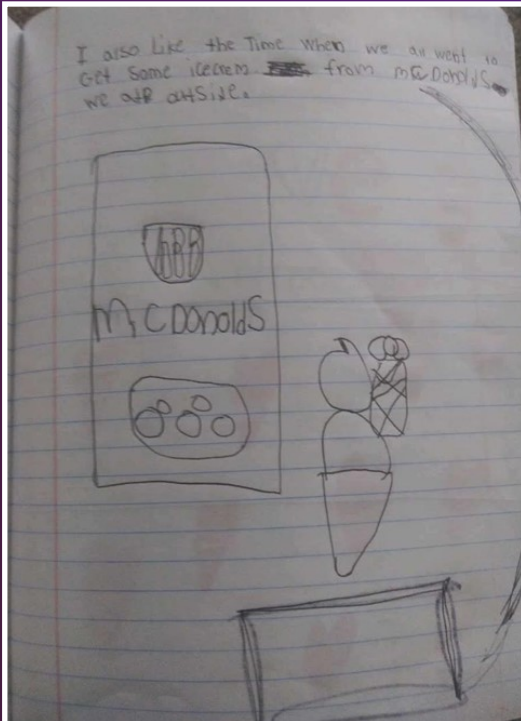
Beautiful. As a child I would think I have the most  
beautiful mom. She's stylish, youthful, and pretty. I was  
in awe of her. Wanted to be like her.

As a young adult I would think I have the most  
beautiful mom. She's fun, easy to talk to, we hang out  
together for work lunches and sometimes at the Club.

As a mother myself, I would think my mom is not only  
beautiful but a great mom that I tried to emulate. Her  
kindness, patience, and guidance.

The awesome grandma! So loved. Beautiful because  
of the life you led, the foundation you gave us, which  
allowed me to live a life seeing just how beautiful the  
world can be. Beautiful inside and out!







## IF TOMORROW COMES WITHOUT ME

When tomorrow starts without me  
and I'm not here to see...  
If the sun should rise and find your eyes  
filled with tears for me.

I wish so much you wouldn't cry  
the way you did today...  
While thinking of the many things  
we didn't get to say.

I know how much you love me,  
as much as I love you...  
And each time you think of me,  
I know you'll miss me, too.

But when tomorrow starts without me,  
please try to understand...  
That Jesus came and called my name  
and took me by the hand.

And said my place was ready  
in heaven far above....  
And that I'd have to leave behind  
all those I dearly love.

So, when tomorrow starts without me,  
don't think we're far apart...  
For every time you think of me,  
I'm right here in your heart.



A portrait of a woman with curly hair, wearing a light-colored top, is positioned on the left side of the page. In the bottom left corner, there is a large, detailed purple rose with two white doves flying around it. The background is a solid purple color.

## *Pallbearers*

Javon Alston-Spencer  
Brandon Hobbs  
Richard Logan  
DeAndre Martin  
DeMonte Martin  
Joseph Spencer

## *Interment*

Fort Lincoln Cemetery  
3401 Bladensburg Road  
Brentwood, MD 20722

No Repass will be held.

## *Acknowledgement*

God bless all that have supported our family during this difficult time. We gratefully acknowledge your many expressions of love, prayers, and sympathy. Your kindness is sustaining us.

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:**

**Ross-Bluford Funeral Service**  
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