

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills,  
from whence cometh my help.

My help cometh from the LORD,  
which made

*Heaven and Earth.*

he will not suffer thy foot to be moved:  
he that keepeth thee will not slumber.

Behold, he that keepeth Israel  
shall neither slumber nor sleep.

**The LORD IS THY KEEPER:**

the Lord is thy shade  
upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day,  
nor the moon by night.

The Lord shall *preserve thee*  
from all evil:

He shall preserve thy soul.

The Lord shall preserve thy going  
out and thy coming in from this time forth,  
and even for evermore.

- Psalm 121

### *Pallbearers*

Rayshawn Maye, Jr.	DeVaughn Fischer
RaShod Maye	James Riley
Kendez Roberson	Clarence Cody
Ronald Foggie, Jr.	

### *Flower Bearers*

Rayshylah Maye	Skye Foggie
Kena Wilder	Mary Foggie
Doris Tinker	Dominique O'Neal
Nicole Tinker	Narketta Johnson

### *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 Shirley Diane Maye

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## *Celebrating the Life and Spirit of*



*Shirley Diane Maye*

September 13, 1957 - July 10, 2025

*Friday, July 25, 2025*

Visitation: 10:00 am - Funeral Service: 11:00 am

*Walker - Walnut Hills*

2625 Gilbert Avenue | Cincinnati, Ohio 45206

Pastor Darnel Lee, Officiating

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



## Obituary

Shirley Diane Maye was born on September 13, 1957, in Greensboro, Alabama, to Altha Maye and the late Richard Maye, Sr. She was the eldest child and only daughter in her family, with one brother, Richard "Bubba," who preceded her in death in 2023. Until her untimely passing, Shirley resided in Cincinnati with her mother and her son.

From a young age, Shirley embraced her faith, accepting Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior. She was baptized at First Baptist Church and enjoyed attending services regularly.

For over 20 years, Shirley was a dedicated caregiver, passionately working with the Red Cross.

Known for her sense of humor, joyful laugh, and unique purple hair, Shirley had a remarkable ability to light up any room. She loved everyone around her.

Shirley was preceded in death by her father, Richard Maye, Sr., and his wife, Carolina Maye. She leaves to cherish her memories her only son, Rayshawn, Sr. (daughter-in-law, Erlisa King); three grandchildren, Rayshawn, Jr. (Veagela), Rashod, and Rayshylah Maye; two great-grandchildren, Rayshawn, III and Hasia; her mother, Altha Maye; Skye Foggie; four step-grandchildren; and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

## Order of Service

Musical Prelude .....	Soft Music
Parting View .....	Family
Prayer .....	Pastor Darnel Lee
Scripture .....	Pastor Darnel Lee
Selection .....	
Acknowledgments .....	Rayshylah Maye
Remarks .....	Two Minutes, Please
Obituary .....	Read Silently
Selection .....	
Eulogy .....	Pastor Darnel Lee
Benediction .....	Pastor Darnel Lee
Recessional .....	Clergy, Pallbearers, & Family



### Interment

Vine Street Hill Cemetery  
3701 Vine Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45220