

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF



**Myrna Faye Carter Jones**

**DECEMBER 15, 1958 - NOVEMBER 8, 2025**

**New Birth Cathedral of Glory Ministries**  
301 Clay St. Kenner, Louisiana. 70062

**Pastor Richmond Edwards, Sr.**

**Viewing**  
November 22, 2025  
8:30 A.M. 10:00 A.M.

**Funeral Service**  
November 22, 2025  
10:00 A.M.

# *Myrna Faye Carter Jones*

*1958 - 2025*

Favor is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the Lord, she shall be praised. Proverbs 31:30

The life of Myrna Faye Carter Jones began on December 15, 1958, in New Orleans, Louisiana. Myrna was a bright light in every life she touched. She was the beloved daughter of the late Roger Carter Sr. and Dorothy Lewis Carter.

Myrna made her confession of faith and accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior at the tender age of 12. She was baptized on March 7, 1971, at Pilgrim Baptist Church of Kenner, Louisiana, by the late Reverend Richard Wilson, Sr. She later became a faithful and devoted member of New Birth Cathedral of Glory in Kenner, Louisiana under the leadership of Pastor Richmond Edwards, Sr. There she served on various committees including Shephard Keepers and Daughters of Destiny. She served tirelessly as a founding board member of REJOICE, INC. and held the role of treasurer and co-chair of the church's annual Juneteenth Celebration, a role that combined her love for community, culture, and service. She further served her community as a member of the Supporters of Washington Elementary and Old Kenner Civic Association.

Myrna was educated at Ephesus Seventh Day Adventist; Ralph J. Bunche; Kenner Junior High; St. Mary's Academy; and a 1976 graduate of Grace King High School. Following in the footsteps of her mother and aunt she decided to embark upon a journey toward shaping the minds of our youth by attending Southern University A&M College, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. In 1981, she earned a B.S. in Family and Consumer Sciences with a concentration in Child Development, which ignited her deep love for learning and her calling to teach. For 37 years, Myrna served as an educator with JeffCap Head Start Program, where she poured her heart into helping young children grow, learn, and discover their potential. Her gentle spirit and joyful energy made her classroom a place of warmth, laughter, and love.

In 1977, Myrna found the love of her life, Fred Jones, Jr. After courting for five years, they united in holy matrimony on February 20, 1982. They spent 39 years sharing love and creating memories. No children were born to this union; however, she was a mother figure to her nieces, nephews, and many children who crossed her path. Many special moments were spent with Myrna influencing, motivating, and encouraging them to become productive citizens.

Myrna will always be remembered for her kindness, her radiant smile, and her willingness to help others. She was a bright light in every life she touched and had a special gift for making everyone feel seen, valued, and loved. Whether through her work, her church, her community, or her family, she left a lasting imprint of compassion and joy.

On Saturday, November 8, 2025, Myrna transitioned to her heavenly home at the age of 66. Myrna leaves to cherish her memory, her siblings, Kathy (Louis, Jr.) Favorite, Roger (Francis) Carter Jr., Kimberly Carter; a devoted aunt and godmother Elsie Lewis, uncle Marvin (Rose) Lewis of Modesto, CA; her nieces and nephews Joi Eugene, Jovan (Bruce Jr.) Williams, Jada Eugene, Tedrick Carter, Lawryn (Jevine) Haley, LaShai (Anthony) Cadogan, Jonathan Carter, Omeker Johnson, Devonta Riley, and Ray "Pookie" Jones; brother-in-law Danny Jones; godchildren Dominique Reese and Tai Jones. Also survived by a host of great nieces, nephews, close family, friends, and former students who will carry her memory in their hearts forever.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; grandparents Freddie Lewis and Ollie Dyer Lewis, Alfred and Eva Carter; sister Faybian Carter; father and mother in-law Fred Jones, Sr. and Elna Irvin Jones.

Though Myrna will be deeply missed, her light will continue to shine through the many lives she touched.

# Order of Celebration

Processional..... Every Praise ..... Pastor and Family

## Final Viewing of the Beloved

Praise and Worship

Old Testament Scripture  
Deacon Darryl Cross

New Testament Scripture  
Deacon Terry Johnson

~ Prayer ~  
Minister Helen Evans

Mistress of Ceremony..... Sister Raina M. Edwards, Esq. / M. Div.

Church Proclamation..... Minister Debra H. Edwards

Solo..... Brother George Bell

Family Tribute..... Sister Jada Eugene

Obituary/Acknowledgements..... Sister Kimberly Carter

Sermonic Selection..... Brother Travis Coleman



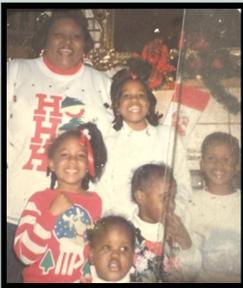
~ Eulogy ~

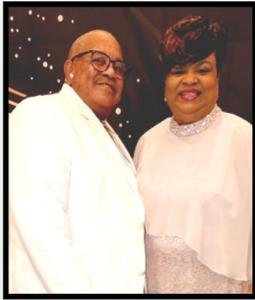
**Rev. Richmond Edwards, Sr.**



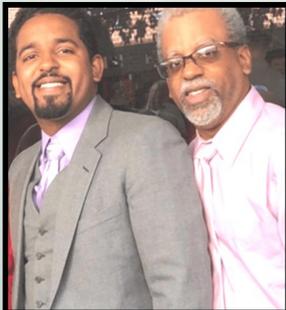
Words of Comfort..... Visiting Ministers  
*(2 minutes, please)*

Recessional / Benediction..... Rev. Richmond Edwards, Sr.









~ **Active Pallbearers** ~

Jonathan Carter  
Trent Carter  
Jevine Haley  
Ray "Pookie" Jones  
Larry Irvin, Sr.

Bruce Williams, Jr.  
Anthony Cadogan  
Danny Jones  
Zahier Eugene  
Lyndell Charles

~ **Honorary Pallbearers** ~

Roger Carter, Jr.  
Harvey Seymore  
Tedrick Carter, Jr.

Louis Favorite, Jr.  
Tedrick Carter, Sr.  
Marvin C. Lewis

~ **Acknowledgements** ~

The family of **Myrna Faye Carter Jones**, sincerely appreciate the thoughtfulness of our family and friends for their many acts of kindness, remembering us in our hour of sorrow with many prayers, words, thoughts, deeds, and all expressions of sympathy, has helped sustain us during this difficult time. Your acts of kindness and words of comfort have brought great strength and peace to our hearts. A special thank you to Myrna's close friends, and church family for your unwavering support. May God bless each one of you abundantly. Keep us in your prayers as we will keep you in ours.

~ **Interment** ~

Jefferson Memorial Gardens  
11316 River Road  
St. Rose, Louisiana 70087

~ **Repast** ~

American Legion Hall  
12188 River Road  
St. Rose, Louisiana 70087

~ **Arrangements Entrusted To** ~

Davis Mortuary Service, Inc.  
230 Monroe Street  
Gretna, Louisiana 70053