To My Wife

It broke my heart to lose you,
You have left an empty space.
The love we had together
Cannot ever be replaced.
I will never forget you,
All the happy times we shared.
The joy you brought into my life
Can never be compared.
You're with me every moment
Now that we're apart,
Living on precious memories
Like keepsakes in my heart.
I miss you more than words can say,
My beautiful, wonderful Wife
Only time can heal my pain
You were the one true love of my life.

Lovingly Submitted,
Ivan

To My Sister In Heaven

Our time together was special
So were the memories we made,
And although you live in Heaven now
Those memories never fade.
I bow my head in silence
And remember my sister with love.
And I know that you are up there
Watching from above.
Everyday's a struggle
And nothing feels the same
And my heart breaks a little more
Every time I hear your name.
You'll always be remembered
And time may heal my heart
But a piece of me is missing
Since the day we had to part.
If Heaven Is for Angels
Then I know that's where you'll be
And I know you will be waiting
When Heaven calls for me.

Floral Attendants

Buckingham Correctional Center Staff
Relatives and Friends

Pallbearers

Relatives and Friends

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The family of the late Tanya Michelle Marshall-Morris would like to sincerely thank everyone for all expressions of sympathy, acts of kindness, and most importantly your prayers,. A special thank you to the hospital staff at Duke University and Lynchburg General Hospital for taking such good care of our loved one.

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CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Tanya Michelle Marshall-Morris



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2026 | 3:00 P.M.

Zion Baptist Church
Pamplin, Virginia

PASTOR AUBREY MARSHALL, JR., EULOGIST

Obituary

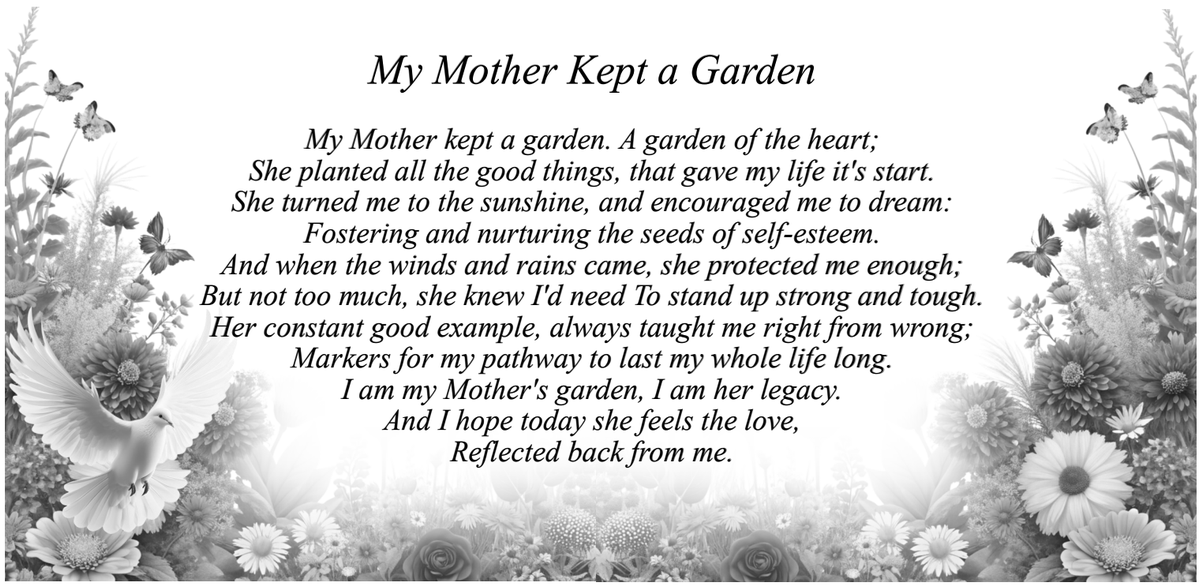
On Saturday, September 19, 2026, **Tanya Michelle Marshall-Morris** transitioned from labor to reward and slipped into eternal rest at the age of 54, at Lynchburg General Hospital. Tanya was born April 20, 1972, to Aubrey N. Marshall, Sr. and the late Mattie L. Marshall in Farmville, Virginia.

She was baptized at an early age and was a member of Zion Baptist Church. She also attended Tower of Deliverance.

Tanya was educated at Prince Edward County Public Schools and received her Bachelor's degree in Human Services from Southside Community College. She worked seventeen and a half years at Buckingham Correctional Center, where she was promoted to Sergeant until her health began to fail.

On July 15, 2000, Tanya married Ivan Morris and to this union they raised four children who she leaves to treasure her memory: Jaylen Marshall of Pamplin, VA, Makayla (Abraham) of Farmville, VA, Levon of Lynchburg, VA, and Jamie of the home. Tanya is also survived by her grandchildren whom she adored, Jaylen, Jaeden, Nevaeh and Niko; her father, Aubrey Marshall, Sr.; brothers: Aubrey Marshall, Jr., (Michele) both of Farmville, VA, and Ryan Croner of Pamplin, VA; sisters, Felicia Martin (Steve) of Pamplin, VA and Christina Branch (Antione) of Danville, VA; a brother-in-law, Tyler Morris of Lynchburg, VA; her godmother; Brenda Holman of Farmville, VA; three friends whom she held dear to her heart, Danielle Allen, Rhesa Weatherspoon and Evelyn Dungee; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews.

Tanya will be remembered by many for her unwavering strength and dedication to family, because of the love they shared. The same love that she carried for her stylish heels, pocketbooks, and the Baltimore Ravens. Even when they lost, she was still convinced they were the best team in the NFL.



My Mother Kept a Garden

My Mother kept a garden. A garden of the heart;
She planted all the good things, that gave my life it's start.
She turned me to the sunshine, and encouraged me to dream:
Fostering and nurturing the seeds of self-esteem.
And when the winds and rains came, she protected me enough;
But not too much, she knew I'd need To stand up strong and tough.
Her constant good example, always taught me right from wrong;
Markers for my pathway to last my whole life long.
I am my Mother's garden, I am her legacy.
And I hope today she feels the love,
Reflected back from me.

Order of Service

Elder Charles Baker, Officiating

Prelude ..... Pianist

Processional ..... Pastor and Family

Selection ..... Pastor Lewis Watson, Sr. and Mt. Zion Baptist Church

Scriptures:
Old Testament ..... Pastor Harold Anderson
New Testament ..... Elder Henry Epps

Prayer of Comfort ..... Pastor Monroe Watson

Selection ..... Pastor Lewis Watson, Sr. and Mt. Zion Baptist Church

Obituary/Acknowledgements ..... Clerk

Solo ..... Pastor Lewis Watson, Sr. and Mt. Zion Baptist Church

Eulogy ..... Pastor Aubrey Marshall, Jr.

Recessional ..... Pastor and Family



Private Interment
Zion Baptist Church Cemetery
Pamplin, Virginia

Repast directly after service at Zion Baptist Church