



## Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin

October 13, 1970 - June 30, 2024

Yolanda was born October 13, 1970 in Natchez, the daughter of Mary Franklin and John Tyler, Sr. She attended South Natchez and received her Bachelor of Science degree in Social Work from Alcorn State University. She was a member of New Hope the Vision Center. In her spare time, she enjoyed spending time with her family.

She is preceded in death by her father; son, Fredrick Smith, Jr.; niece, De'Elra Clark; nephew, Malcolm Collins; special cousin, Porsha Singleton; and godson, Avery Johnson, Sr.

Yolanda leaves to cherish her memories: her mother, Mary Franklin; sons, Roderick Franklin, Darius Franklin, Jeremy Franklin, and Jarrell Franklin; daughters, Anightress Neal, Whitany Franklin, and Brittany Franklin; brothers, Myron Franklin and John Tyler, Jr.; sisters, Patina Tyler Jackson, Tracey Tyler-McDonald, Kimberly Tyler Banks, Stephanie Franklin, and Kristie Franklin; nineteen grandchildren, one great-grandchild, one god-son, and a host of uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset View Memorial Park Cemetery

1617 Martin Luther King Jr Road  
Natchez, MS 39120

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 5. 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

West Gate Funeral Home (Natchez)  
409 N Martin Luther King Jr Street  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 445-2008  
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<https://westgatefuneralhome.com>

## Funeral

JUL 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

New Hope-The Vision Center  
418 Morgantown Road  
Natchez, MS 39120

## Burial

JUL 6 (CT)

Sunset View Memorial Park Cemetery  
1617 Martin Luther King Jr Road  
Natchez, MS 39120

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ *Ms. Yolanda was a warrior for Christ!!! She gave the best hugs and had a beautiful smile that lit any room she was in. Sending love.*

DeAnna Butts - July 11, 2024 at 04:19 AM

JJ

“ *Praying for your family.*



Joanna Johnson - July 10, 2024 at 12:29 PM

HP

“ *Hattie Poole lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



Hattie Poole - July 08, 2024 at 10:07 PM

EW

“ *We, the God's Way BC Ministry are praying for the Franklin family. We love Yolanda as well and will miss her presence. God bless you all.*



Evangelist Linda White - July 07, 2024 at 12:41 AM

PB

“ *Peggy Bacon lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



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**Peggy Bacon** - July 06, 2024 at 04:05 AM

AS

“ *Rest in Love Ms. Franklin*



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**Allison Smith** - July 06, 2024 at 01:46 AM

CJ

“ *Carsetha Johnson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



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**Carsetha Johnson** - July 05, 2024 at 04:36 PM

PS

“ *My condolences the family y'all are in My prayers. A wonderful person ❤️*



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**Patricia Sims** - July 05, 2024 at 03:03 PM

MW

“ My heartfelt condolences to her family and friends. May God continue to hold you tight during this time and the days ahead 🙏



Meka Woods-Pinder - July 05, 2024 at 02:51 PM

WT

“ Willie Tyler purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin.



Willie Tyler - July 05, 2024 at 01:10 PM

EB

“ Edd, & Brande purchased the Magnificent Life Sp ray for the family of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin.



Edd, & Brande - July 05, 2024 at 12:11 PM

BE

“ Barbara Evans lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Barbara Evans - July 05, 2024 at 10:50 AM

CE

“ Praying for your family’s peace. Yolanda you were a good person and friend. Take your rest



Christine Easton-Walls - July 05, 2024 at 10:47 AM



“ My condolences to the family and friends.



Latoya Clark - July 05, 2024 at 09:51 AM

CK

“ Clifton And Betty Kaho lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Clifton and Betty Kaho - July 05, 2024 at 08:53 AM

AN

Sincere Condolences to the family ... Rest on Yolonda 🙏

Avis Norman - July 05, 2024 at 07:32 PM

MS

“ *Monique Smith lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



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**Monique Smith** - July 05, 2024 at 08:40 AM

VB

“ *Vashana Brown lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



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**Vashana Brown** - July 05, 2024 at 07:45 AM

TM

“ *My condolences to the family* 🙏



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**Tameka Moore** - July 05, 2024 at 07:44 AM

AT

“ *Take your rest Londa! You are sincerely missed* 🕊️💖



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**Alicia Thomas** - July 05, 2024 at 06:27 AM

SK

“ Sonya King lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Sonya King - July 05, 2024 at 06:01 AM

GF

“ Gia Miller and Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin.



Gia Miller and Family - July 04, 2024 at 12:25 PM

BP

“ Brenda Marsaw Proby lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



brenda marsaw proby - July 03, 2024 at 09:22 PM

BP

Such a beautiful Lady both inside and out, Prayers for Mary, her children and siblings..... Rest Easy Beautiful..... 🙏💜🙏

brenda marsaw proby - July 03, 2024 at 09:24 PM

MN

“ Marie Norman sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Marie Norman - July 03, 2024 at 03:16 PM

MN

You had the most beautiful spirit rest in peace my girl.

Marie Norman - July 03, 2024 at 03:20 PM

MN

“ Marie Norman sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Marie Norman - July 03, 2024 at 03:14 PM

MN

“ Marie Norman lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Marie Norman - July 03, 2024 at 03:14 PM

AF

“ Amber Johnson and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin.

Amber Johnson and Family - July 03, 2024 at 01:20 PM

AF

“ Amber Johnson and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin.



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**Amber Johnson and Family** - July 03, 2024 at 01:20 PM

YB

“ My prayers 🙏 and my deepest condolences go's out to the family of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin. I light a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Franklin



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**Yvonne Blanton Bell** - July 03, 2024 at 02:50 AM

JD

“ Jessie Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



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**Jessie Dorsey** - July 02, 2024 at 11:27 PM

CP

“ Catherine Johnson Pollard lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



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**Catherine Johnson Pollard** - July 02, 2024 at 10:17 PM

SC

“ Sarah Clark lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Sarah Clark - July 02, 2024 at 09:39 PM

WH

“ West Gate Funeral Home and Staff extends our deepest condolences to the Franklin Family.



Yolanda, will be greatly missed but her warmth, kindness, and gentle spirit will be remembered forever.

West Gate Funernal Home - July 02, 2024 at 08:42 AM

RW

“ Rosie Woods sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Rosie Woods - July 02, 2024 at 08:23 AM

FD

“ Francis And Jessica Duncan lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin



Francis and Jessica Duncan - July 01, 2024 at 09:29 PM

GM

“ *Gia Miller lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



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**Gia Miller** - July 01, 2024 at 02:50 PM

JD

“ *Jessie Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



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**Jessie Dorsey** - July 01, 2024 at 02:14 PM

GG

“ *Georgia Green lit a candle in memory of Ms. Yolanda Lynn Franklin*



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**Georgia Green** - July 01, 2024 at 09:27 AM