



## Ms. Karla Sophia Haywood

July 16, 1970 - August 31, 2024

In my Father's house are many mansions, I go to prepare a place for you and I will come again and receive you unto myself.

Karla Sophia Haywood was born July 16, 1970, in Delray Beach, Florida to the late Willie James Haywood and Ethel McGee Haywood. She lived in Florida for five (5) years before coming to Mississippi.

She accepted Christ at an early age and joined Christian Fellowship M.B. Church under the leadership of Reverend Thomas G. Blue. Where she was a member of the church choir

She was a graduate of Florence High School Class of 1988. She attended Hinds Junior College, Virginia College, and Jackson State. She moved to Albuquerque, New Mexico where she attended Central New Mexico Community College and University of New Mexico. She received an Associate of Applied Science degree in Health Technology. Then for a few years, she attended Christian Fellowship in Rio Rancho, New Mexico. She departed this life at New Mexico Hospital in Albuquerque.

She leaves to cherish her memories: children twins Jermaine and Jasmine Haywood of Albuquerque, New Mexico: Mother Ethel Haywood, Sister Rosalind Chancellor, Brother Jerry Haywood of Florence, Mississippi, Brother

James Trice of Delray Beach Florida. Uncle Wayne (Gerthania) McGee of Florence, Mississippi, Uncle Henry Mitchell McGee of Jackson, Mississippi, Uncle Carl (Maggie) Holmes of Delray Beach, Florida, Two Aunts Jeannie (Jerry) Burke, and Olivia Smith of Deerfield Beach, Florida, nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by Sister Shawana Haywood, Aunt Daisy Mae McGee Uncle John Henry McGee, Sr., Uncle Nathaniel Homes, Jr., Rozella Quick and Harvey McGee.

# Cemetery Details

## Christian Fellowship M. B. Church Cemetery

4271 Highway 49 South  
Florence, MS 39073

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **19**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Dean Memorial Funeral Home  
745 Highway 468  
Brandon, MS 39042  
(601) 825-3884  
<https://deanmemorialfuneralhome.com/>

## Homegoing Service

SEP **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Christian Fellowship M.B. Church  
4271 Highway 49 South  
Florence, MS 39073

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dean Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Karla Sophia Haywood*



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**Dean Memorial Funeral Home** - September 19, 2024 at 03:55 PM

PR

“ *I met Karla at Jackson State University in 2002. Karla was one of the sweetest, kindest people I have ever known. I pray her family finds peace. Please accept my condolences. Karla is now an angel in heaven as she was on Earth.*

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**Prisci** - October 16, 2024 at 09:16 PM

SH

“ *Sharon Henton lit a candle in memory of Karla Haywood*



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**Sharon Henton** - September 20, 2024 at 04:54 PM

TW

“ Terri D Williams lit a candle in memory of Karla Haywood



Terri D Williams - September 19, 2024 at 10:05 AM

TL

“ Tina Lewis lit a candle in memory of Karla Haywood



Tina Lewis - September 18, 2024 at 02:35 PM

EA

“ Eddie Ainsworth lit a candle in memory of Karla Haywood



Eddie Ainsworth - September 18, 2024 at 12:29 PM

DL

“ De'Andria Lewis lit a candle in memory of Karla Haywood



De'Andria Lewis - September 18, 2024 at 10:37 AM

MM

“ *Melinda Mack sent a virtual gift in memory of Karla Haywood*



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**Melinda Mack** - September 17, 2024 at 11:51 PM

PS

“ *Patricia Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Karla Haywood*



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**Patricia Smith** - September 17, 2024 at 11:17 PM

YV

“ *RIP Karla, Prayers for the family.*



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**Yvette** - September 17, 2024 at 11:04 PM

AB

“ *Amy Bobbett lit a candle in memory of Karla Haywood*



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**Amy Bobbett** - September 17, 2024 at 09:27 PM

CM

“ *God's Peace and Comfort to the Family. Love and Prayers today, tomorrow, and always to my family.*

*- Charlotte McNair & Family*

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**Charlotte McNair** - September 17, 2024 at 02:48 PM

AT

“ *Aretha Thomas lit a candle in memory of Karla Haywood*



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**Aretha Thomas** - September 16, 2024 at 11:23 PM

ML

“ *RIP MY BEST FRIEND  
PRAYING FAMILY  
LOVE MELINDA LEWIS &FAMILY*



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**Melinda Lewis** - September 16, 2024 at 08:03 PM

LG

“ *Latecia Thompson Gregory*



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**LG** - September 16, 2024 at 07:52 PM

WM

“ *I have fought a good fight, I have kept the faith:  
Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of  
righteousness which the Lord, the righteous  
judge, shall give me at that day... 2Timothy  
4:7-8 RIP dear niece, uncle Wayne & aunt Gert*



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**Wayne & Gerthania McGee** - September 16, 2024 at 06:28 PM