



Ms. Raytifah Rosetaria Hicks

June 25, 1997 - February 21, 2026

Rayan Rosearia Hicks -Dulabug was born on June 25, 1997, in Jackson, Mississippi to the late Tracy Washington Williams (Gregory Williams) and Billy Ray Hicks.

She accepted Christ at New Ebenezer Baptist Church in Jackson, Mississippi. Raytifah attended Jackson Public School District schools including G.N. Smith Elementary, Powell Middle School, and Lanier High School, where she graduated with the Class of 2015.

She worked at Lil Angels Daycare → for a few years. Her most recent employment was with Alorica as a Lead Customer Expectations Agent with United Healthcare. Raytifah was a sweet, loving, and kind person with a heart of gold. She always kept a smile on her face whenever you saw her. She inherited her ability to catch good sales from her mother. She was an outstanding mother to her son, Jerrell Tracy Coleman.

She loved taking trips, pictures, and was a TikTok posting queen. She loved being around family, and family was very important to her.

Raytifah made her transition from this life on February 21, 2026. She was preceded in death by her great grandmother, Ma Lou; grandmothers Lula Mae Alexander and Jimmie Lou Hicks; grandfather Willie S. Washington; aunts

Rose Marie Hobson, Vanessa Alexander, and Barbara Dear; and cousins Latasha Dear and Leroy Hobson Jr.

Raytifah leaves to cherish her loving memories: her beautiful and loving son, Jerrell Tracy Coleman; her biological father Billy Ray Hicks; and the dad who raised her, Gregory L. Williams; grandfather Levon Hicks; sisters Kepora Washington Jackson, Mississippi), Jennifer, Laverne, and Tawandza Hicks, all of Florence, Mississippi; one brother William Washington Jackson, Mississippi); aunts Rosemary (Robert) Johnson (Arlington, TX), Tammy & Joe Washington (Chicago, IL) and Regina Smith Jackson, MS); her sister-in-law Erika Wright; and her son's father Jashun Coleman, with whom she shared an unbreakable and strong bond; along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Oak Grove MB Church Cemetery

248 Oak Grove Church Road
Pearl, MS 39208

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 28. 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

MAR 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

Good Hope M. B. Church
476 RT Braddy Rd
Florence, MS 39073
(601) 845-3488

Tribute Wall



“ *Dean Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Raytifah Rosetaria Hicks*



Dean Memorial Funeral Home - February 27 at 06:38 AM

SB

“ *Shantrell Brown lit a candle in memory of Raytifah Hicks*



Shantrell Brown - March 01 at 03:53 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ms. Raytifah Rosetaria Hicks.*



February 28 at 11:19 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ms. Raytifah Rosetaria Hicks.*

February 28 at 11:19 AM

SM

“ Our sincere condolences to the family. God will bless and keep you all during this difficult time❤️ From Stanley Mangum and family

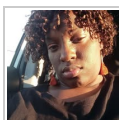
Stanley Mangum - February 28 at 12:55 AM

MW

“ To Keira Washington and family, The Leonard & Roach Families and prayer's and condolences, Ray is in God's care. Continue to trust God.

Margaret Leonard-Roach

Margaret L Williams - February 27 at 11:58 AM



To Kepora Washington

Cherrie Washington - February 28 at 08:10 AM

LB

“ To the family,so sorry about the loss of your dear loved one. Trust in God and he will carry you through it all. I am praying for you and your family today. In Christian Love, Laura Brannon friend of Kris Thames



Laura Brannon - February 27 at 09:38 AM



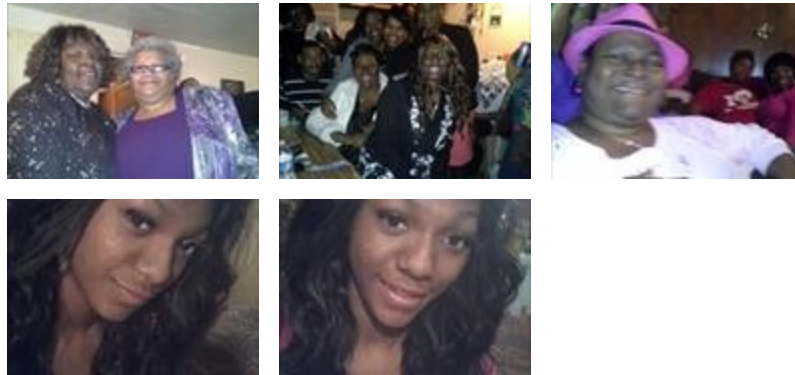
“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ms. Raytifah Rosetaria Hicks.*



February 27 at 08:48 AM



“ *29 files added to the tribute wall*



Tawandza Hicks - February 27 at 03:35 AM



“ *HORTON FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Raytifah Hicks*



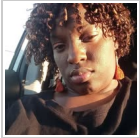
HORTON FAMILY - February 26 at 11:30 PM

TC

“ Fly high sweet angel. 🙏👼



Tasha Crain - February 26 at 09:44 PM



“ I love you always, Dulabug. From your sister Kepora
C.A. Washington



Cherrie Washington - February 26 at 07:59 PM

EY

“ Evelyn Young lit a candle in memory of
Raytifah Hicks



Evelyn Young - February 26 at 05:56 PM

TI

“ Words can't express how much I'll miss you.
Rest well, baby of the 1st cousin's brunch.
Love always, Tiara



Tiara - February 26 at 05:11 PM

ER

“ *I miss you bestie I love you*

Erika - February 26 at 12:28 PM

CA

“ *Cathy Alexande lit a candle in memory of Raytifah Hicks*



Cathy Alexande - February 26 at 03:54 AM

PJ

“ *Pam Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Raytifah Hicks*



Pam Jackson - February 25 at 06:14 PM



“ *Malik Mayberry lit a candle in memory of Raytifah Hicks*



Malik Mayberry - February 25 at 04:04 PM

AR

Praying for Comfort and Strength for the Family.

Alfennette Robinson - February 26 at 07:44 AM

FC

“ From your son, Jerrell Tracy Coleman purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Ms. Raytifah Rosetaria Hicks.



From your son, Jerrell Tracy Coleman - February 25 at 10:43 AM

FC

“ From your son, Jerrell Tracy Coleman planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ms. Raytifah Rosetaria Hicks.

From your son, Jerrell Tracy Coleman - February 25 at 10:43 AM

EA

“ Eddie Ainsworth lit a candle in memory of Raytifah Hicks



Eddie Ainsworth - February 25 at 03:13 AM

SD

“ To The Hicks & Williams Families,,
God promises to always be with us, and his presence comforts us
even in the most challenging moments.

*During crises, we often feel alone. In times of despair, God's
presence becomes a beacon of hope. He walks with us through
life's valleys, reassuring us that we are not alone. As we turn to
God, we find that his presence brings peace that transcends our
understanding, as promised in Philippians 4:7...My Heartfelt
Condolences & Prayers are being sent out to your families..*

SHIRLEY DINKINS - February 25 at 12:15 AM

BE

“ Bernice lit a candle in memory of Raytifah
Hicks



Bernice - February 24 at 06:14 PM

ST

“ Sabrina Thomas sent a virtual gift in memory of
Raytifah Hicks



Sabrina Thomas - February 24 at 11:49 AM

ST

“ Sabrina Thomas lit a candle in memory of Raytifah Hicks



Sabrina Thomas - February 24 at 11:36 AM

AS

“ The Spann's send our most sincerest condolences & prayers to the entire family. 🕊️



Anette Spann - February 24 at 11:26 AM

CA

“ Cathy Alexande sent a virtual gift in memory of Raytifah Hicks



Cathy Alexande - February 23 at 11:43 PM

EW

“ Eletha Walker lit a candle in memory of Raytifah Hicks



Eletha Walker - February 23 at 10:11 PM