



Patricia Ann Williams

October 23, 2025

Patricia Ann Williams, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend, passed away peacefully on October 23, 2025, in her hometown of New Orleans, Louisiana, surrounded by family and love.

Born and raised in New Orleans to Myrtle Vaultz Jackson and Harry Jackson, Patricia's life was marked by service, strength, and a deep devotion to those she loved. She began her professional journey as a talented cosmetologist, sharing her creativity and care through her work in the salon. Guided by her sense of duty and purpose, Patricia later joined the United States Navy, where she proudly served her country for 20 years. After her military career, she continued her commitment to service at the VA Hospital, working in logistics until her retirement.

Throughout her life, Patricia found joy in both adventure and simplicity—playing tennis, going for runs, sharing good food (especially crawfish) and spending time with her family. You might have also caught her watching Judge Judy, Snapped, or Waiting to Exhale for the 100th time. Her laughter, warmth, and giving nature left a lasting mark on everyone who knew her.

Patricia is survived by her devoted husband, Derek Williams Sr.; her children Derek Williams Jr. and Danielle Williams; and her beloved granddaughter Dove Anderson. She is also survived by her siblings Regina Caesar, Lynn

Thompson, and Kevin Jackson. She was preceded in death by her stepdaughter Dorrian Williams and siblings Roy Caesar and Dawn Jackson.

Her legacy of love, compassion, and resilience will continue to live on in the hearts of her family and all who had the blessing of knowing her.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a Mass of Christian Burial on Wednesday, October 29, 2025 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 4230 S. Broad St., New Orleans, LA at 11:00am. Visitation will begin at 10:00am. Internment: Private. Arrangements entrusted to D.W. Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Ave., New Orleans, LA 70125. Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the online guestbook, share memories and condolences with the family.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **29**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church
4230 S. Broad St.
New Orleans, LA 70125

Funeral Mass

OCT **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Sending my condolences 🙏 to your family! We had much fun at St Peter Claver good times. Your classmate, Cherlynn Gaynor. RIP.

Cherlynn Gaynor - October 28, 2025 at 07:27 PM

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“ Love, The Anderson & Roberts Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patricia Ann Williams.

Love, The Anderson & Roberts Families - October 28, 2025 at 02:10 PM

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“ Love, The Anderson & Roberts Families purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Patricia Ann Williams.



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