



Mrs. Gladys Washington Cunningham

October 5, 1929 - March 17, 2024

Mrs. Gladys Washington Cunningham

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, March 23, 2024, at Bellevue Street Baptist Church, 326 W. Bellevue Street, in Opelousas, LA, for Mrs. Gladys Washington Cunningham, 94, who entered eternal rest, Sunday, March 17, 2024, at her residence in Opelousas, LA, where she was a legend on the North End.

Interment will be in Garden of Memory Cemetery. Rev. Bryan Alfred will officiate the services.

Mrs. Cunningham is survived by one son, Kenneth Wayne Cunningham of Opelousas, LA; three daughters, Dr. Linda C. Greene, Anna C. Simmons (Rubin) both of Opelousas, LA and Maxine C. Jefferson (Kenneth) of Baton Rouge, LA; one brother, Charles Washington of Opelousas, LA; eighteen grandchildren, thirty-seven great grandchildren, sixteen great-great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Cunningham was preceded in death by her husband, Elridge Cunningham, Sr.; three sons, Elridge Cunningham, Jr., Michael James Cunningham, Sr. and Donald Craig Cunningham, Sr. and one daughter, Cynthia Cunningham Cudges; four grandchildren, Michael James Cunningham, Jr., Kelly Renee Cunningham Lewis, Schewanna Ann Simmons and Mitchell Greene, III.

Visiting hours will be observed from 8:00 AM to 10:45 AM Saturday, March 23, 2024, at Bellevue Street Baptist Church.

Share words of comfort with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net
Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas,
337-942-2037.

Cemetery Details

Garden Of Memory

218 Ford Road
Opelousas, LA 70570
(337) 948-1764

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 23. 8:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

Bellevue Street Baptist Church
326 W Bellevue St
Opelousas, LA 70570-5271
(337) 942-7477

Celebration of Life

MAR 23. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

FS

“ Fred Singleton lit a candle in memory of Gladys Cunningham



Fred Singleton - March 23, 2024 at 11:39 PM

GJ

“ Gerald Jefferson purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Gladys Washington Cunningham.



Gerald Jefferson - March 23, 2024 at 12:04 PM

MA

“ May her beautiful soul continue to rest in Gods heavenly Kingdom 🙏
Jeff & Catherine Anderson



M/M Jeff & Cathy Anderson - March 22, 2024 at 09:30 PM

MA

“ M/M & Cathy Anderson lit a candle in memory of Gladys Cunningham



M/M Jeff & Cathy Anderson - March 22, 2024 at 09:26 PM

BT

“ *My deepest condolences and prayers for the family.*



Barbara W Thomas - March 22, 2024 at 05:17 PM

SG

“ *May peace and comfort be with you and your family at this difficult time.*

Sheriff Bobby J Guidroz - March 22, 2024 at 09:42 AM

SP

“ *Shala Pickney lit a candle in memory of Gladys Cunningham*



Shala Rene Pickney - March 21, 2024 at 03:49 PM

CH

“ *May GOD Bless the Cunnigham family as they go through the transition of a great Woman of GOD her work spoke for her rest on Mrs. Gladys..... from the Tyler Family*



Charles - March 20, 2024 at 03:13 PM

AJ

“ *Maxine I want to extend our deepest condolences to you and your family. Those we love don't go away. Your mother will walk with beside you every day. She may be unseen, unheard, but she'll always be near. God bless you 🙏*



Angela Jefferson - March 19, 2024 at 10:04 PM

VC

“ *VICKIE COMEAUX lit a candle in memory of Gladys Cunningham*



VICKIE COMEAUX - March 19, 2024 at 02:28 PM

MM

“ *Mark&Ommanda Major lit a candle in memory of Gladys Cunningham*



Mark&Ommanda Major - March 19, 2024 at 02:03 PM

DF

“ *Love and condolences to the family!*

Daisy Frilot - March 19, 2024 at 10:50 AM

CJ

“ *Please accept my sincere condolences.*
Charles Jagneaux ”



Charles Jagneaux - March 19, 2024 at 09:43 AM

EW

“ *Emma West lit a candle in memory of Gladys Cunningham* ”



Emma West - March 18, 2024 at 08:50 PM

GC

“ *Deepest condolences to the family.* ”



Gloria Chevis-Smith - March 18, 2024 at 08:06 PM

AF

Our deepest condolences to the family. Alvin & Mary Franklin

Alvin & Mary Franklin - March 20, 2024 at 09:26 AM

PC

“ *Pamela Clemons lit a candle in memory of Gladys Cunningham*



Pamela Clemons - March 18, 2024 at 06:08 PM

JM

“ *Sorry for your loss. Your mother was a great influence on the North Side. Keeping you/family in prayers. May the Lord watch over you/family in this difficult time.*

Joyce Milburn - March 18, 2024 at 05:56 PM

LL

Linda Lightfoot, Sorry for your lost praying for the family.

Linda Lightfoot - March 21, 2024 at 07:30 PM

IR

So sorry for your loss Linda, and may God give you and your Family comfort and strength. Your Mother was an innovative leader in our community.

Irma - March 24, 2024 at 09:14 PM