



# Wanda Mia Jenkins Anderson

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**W**anda Mia Jenkins Anderson, 55, of Culpeper, died Saturday, May 22, 2021 at her residence. She was born in Oklahoma on August 6, 1965 to Leomia McFadden Jenkins and the late Elijah Jenkins.

Wanda was presently employed as a programs supervisor at OPTIONS, Culpeper. She enjoyed working with at-risk youth, and headed many programs to provide help and services to children and families in need. She graduated from Boys and Girls High School in Brooklyn, NY, earned a B.A. in Psychology from Saint Bonaventure University in Orlean, NY, and a Master of Science Community Health from California College for Health Services in National City, CA. Wanda was also a certified advanced alcohol drug counselor and a qualified mental health professional for children. She was a Veteran of the United States Air Force from 1988 to 1994. She was an air traffic controller in Dessert Shield Dessert Storm Campaign, 1991.

Wanda was survived by her mother, her husband of 28 years, Jeffrey Edward Anderson, her children, Alexandra Owens and her husband, Brian, Cory Anderson and his wife, Jordan, and Joshua Anderson, and his wife, Abigail; her grandchildren, Jayden Anderson-Lane, Adrien Anderson-Owens, Nehemiah Anderson-Owens, and Gideon Anderson; and her siblings, Anthony Jenkins, and his wife, Deborah, Rachel Jefferson, and her husband, Jeff, and John Jenkins.

She is preceded in death by her father, a grandson, Elijah Anderson-Owens, and a sister, Robin Schroff.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, May 28, 2021 at 12pm at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel, 850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper with Pastor Erick Kalenga officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 am till the service time at 12pm. Due to Covid 19 mandates, a mask is required to enter the building. The family would like to invite those unable to attend to join the service via live stream at

<https://view.oneromestreaming.com/authorise.php?k=1621962175117073>



## Obituary

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Interment will follow in Culpeper National Cemetery, (new section) 501 East Chandler Street, Culpeper.

An online guestbook and tribute wall are available at [www.foundandsons.com](http://www.foundandsons.com)

Found and Sons Funeral Chapel of Culpeper is serving the family.



# Events

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## Visitation

**Friday, May 28, 2021**

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

**Found and Sons Funeral Chapels & Cremation Service**

850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper VA 22701



## Memorial Service

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12:00 PM ET

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## Interment

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**Culpeper National Cemetery (New)**

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## Cemetery Details

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# Tribute Wall

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**Found And Sons Funeral Chapels - Cremation Service** shared a **Video**.



May 25 at 5:04 AM



**Elmer Anderson** May 28 at 5:42 AM

A chance meeting at a bus stop in Brooklyn that led to a wonderful Teen and Young Adult Relationship for many years. Wanda we had some great times in High School and College together and was blessed with a gift of a beautiful daughter in Alexandra.. This loss has really saddened me because you were my first love and best friend while we both were growing and finding ourselves.. I will always remember the impact you had on my life because you are a part of it, mind body and soul. Rest In Peace Wanda!!! That Radiant Smile is still glowing from above...Elmer Anderson



**Wanda E. Jenkins** May 26 at 11:20 AM

A woman with a fighting spirit. Even though going through her ordeal you could always feel her positive attitude and winning smile. I got to know her through the school system. She always had a heart for helping children. Rest in peace.



**Connie Mcfadden** May 25 at 6:12 AM

Love you



**Connie Mcfadden** May 25 at 6:06 AM

Rest in peace cousin, you will truly be missed



**Edward Garry** posted:

Rest in peace Wanda. Once a Bonnie, always a Bonnie.Signed, St. Bonaventure class of 92!

August 11 at 12:33 PM



**Denise A Walker** posted:

Wanda was a wonderful person - so full of smiles and kindness. She was so resilient and so strong. She made a positive impact in the Culpeper community working with youth, and being a team player in our community. She was a member of the Healthy Culpeper teen coalition and always had great ideas and input for the group.We will miss her dearly, but she lives on and we will see her again in all of her loving kindness.My deepest regards and sympathy,Denise Walker

June 2 at 8:02 AM



# Tribute Wall

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**Diane Anderson-Smith** posted:

Wanda I remember you as a little girl in Brooklyn NY. I have a niece (Alex) because of you. You will be surely missed.

May 28 at 11:12 AM



**Jowanda Sampson-Johnson** lit a candle in honor of Wanda.



May 28 at 9:08 AM



**Jowanda Sampson-Johnson** May 28 at 9:32 AM

Wanda, my kindred Sister, thank you for the years of loving our daughter Jameelah unconditionally with the passion you gave and shared with your children. God speed my dear friend, you will be sorely missed. Alex, Corey, and Joshua, you're the legacy she inspired you to becoming. Wanda, your children and family affectionately honored you at your Homegoing service, your smile from above is being present and felt. What a blessing it has been for me to have shared in your America :-)



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Anderson family.



May 27 at 11:23 AM



**Marilyn Dunphy** posted:

Wanda was such an asset to our community, such a wonderful person! Sometimes there are just no words to express a loss like this. She will be so missed by so many!

May 27 at 7:54 AM



**Cristi Ireland-Mcknight** posted:

I had the honor of knowing Wanda for over a decade after meeting as co-workers and sharing an office. Continually enjoyed her life views, spirit, and passion for change. Her presence and contributions to the community and every life she touched will be missed. Cristi Ireland-Mcknight

May 27 at 6:39 AM



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**Lisa Ann Peacock** posted:

I feel very fortunate to have known Wanda...I met Wanda when she first came to work at OPTIONS. She was tender and kind when she needed to be but could also give "tough love" when needed. Her legacy includes all the young people in Culpeper that she helped through her work at OPTIONS. As a colleague, I could depend on her for a bright smile, kind words of encouragement and hugs whenever we bumped into each other. I'm very saddened by this news and wish to extend my condolences to Wanda's family and friends. She was one of a kind! She will be missed! Lisa Peacock

May 26 at 11:36 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Anderson family.



May 26 at 6:42 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Anderson family.



May 26 at 6:03 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Anderson family.



May 26 at 4:33 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Treasured Lilies Spray to the Anderson family.



May 26 at 2:39 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Anderson family.



May 25 at 3:50 PM



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful Heart Bouquet to the Anderson family.

May 25 at 10:39 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Treasured Lilies Spray to the Anderson family.

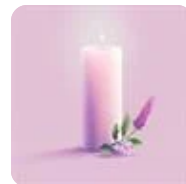
May 25 at 9:15 AM



**Nathaneal German** lit a candle in honor of Wanda.

Wanda was a kind, caring and loving individual. Her smile could effect or infect anyone, she had a way of making me laugh no matter my feelings. She helped me when I was a teen go through and battle my drug addictions. I came back again years later and She helped me find the strength to never go back to them and go forward with raising my daughter. She was and always will be such a good person in my eyes, who has helped so many people. She will TRUTHFULLY be missed..... My condolences, with sympathy, understanding and love.

May 25 at 6:55 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Anderson family.

May 25 at 5:43 AM



**The Rev. Dcn. Emmetri Beane** posted:

There are people who just make a difference in their community because they serve with love. Wanda was one of those people. I did not her personally but she made a difference in my life because she taught me how help in Culpeper. Do things from my heart with love. " Everyone will know you as My followers if you demonstrate your love to others." -John 13:35 (The Voice)

May 25 at 5:37 AM



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**Your Pct Natca Family** sent a Bright and Beautiful Spray to the Anderson family.



May 25 at 4:37 AM



**Gary Deal** posted:

Wanda you were such a lovely person. You cared so deeply about our youth and people in need! You truly will be missed.

May 25 at 2:12 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Starbucks Coffee Condolences to the Anderson family.



May 24 at 4:55 PM



**Danielle Maynard** posted:

May the God who seeks you, find you when you fall. May the God who sends you, send you out now with joy, And may the God who loves you, delight in your living. For in your gladness and in your grieving, In your faithfulness and in your leaving, In your brokenness and in your healing, The God who made you, The God who loves you, The God who redeems you, is the God who keeps you, *still*. *Amen*. Praying this over the family today. Love, Danielle and Blaine Lacey

May 24 at 4:42 PM



**Anneka King** lit a candle in honor of Wanda.

Mama Wanda you will be truly missed. I love you forever and always. -NeNe



May 24 at 11:45 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Anderson family.



May 24 at 11:17 AM



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**Carl & Tressa Adams** posted:

Our hearts are with OJ and his family. Wanda was a special one who we all loved from the jump. Our condolences to all who knew this special lady.

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# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Wanda by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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