



## Avis Kianta Cannon

January 27, 1976 - November 12, 2023

Avis Kianta Cannon passed away on November 12, 2023. She was born on January 27, 1976 in Stamford, CT to Ira F. “Lysa” Cannon-Thomas and the late Kevin Fowlkes.

Avis was educated in the Stamford Public School system, graduating from West Hill High School in 1994. Avis later attended Norwalk Community College and was employed with McMahon Ford for a number of years. Her warm demeanor and brilliant smile was infectious and a comfort to all who knew her. If you knew her, you were immediately touched by her kindness, humor and mild temperament. Avis loved life and took every opportunity to sing and dance her way into the lives of all that knew and loved her. She never met a stranger ... people just gravitated to that smile.

Her memory will be treasured by her loving and devoted mother, Ira F. “Lysa” Cannon-Thomas and her stepfather, Ron Thomas of Stamford, CT; one brother, Kevin Fowlkes, Jr. of Bridgeport, CT; 4 aunts, Stephanie Mechelle Cannon, Trecia Nicole Cannon, Robin Coleman-Cannon, all of Stamford, CT and Tracy Miles Austin of Richmond, VA; 3 uncles, James (Harriett) Cannon of Atlanta, GA, Thomas (Frances) Miles and Terry Miles, both of Richmond, VA; a host of loving nieces, cousins, and friends.

Avis was predeceased by her maternal grandparents, Ruth H. and James L. Cannon and paternal grandparents, Evelyn Vincent and Calvin Fowlkes.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, November 18, 2023 from 11:00 am – 12:00

noon, followed by a service of celebration at 12:00 pm at Greater Faith Tabernacle Baptist Church, 27 Baxter Avenue, Stamford, CT, Bishop Alan B. Graves, Officiating. Interment will be private.

“You are not forgotten loved one, nor will you ever be, as long as life and memory last, we will remember thee. We miss you now, our hearts are sore, as time goes by, we’ll miss you more. Your loving smile, your gentle face, no one can fill your vacant place,”

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

# Tribute Wall

BF

“ To The Cannon Family,

*My condolences and prayers are with the family and friends. May your fond memories of Avis and God's presence give you all some comfort. God Bless!*



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**Barbara Freeman** - November 17, 2023 at 03:15 PM

DM

*To my family! I love you all! Stay strong. You are in my heart. Will see you soon.....Dionne*

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**Dionne Moses** - November 18, 2023 at 11:35 AM

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*Sincere heartfelt condolences to the entire family. Sorry for your loss. Praying the Lord will comfort you all and give you strength at this difficult time. God Bless you!*

*Paul and Sharon Powell*

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**sharon powell** - November 19, 2023 at 08:45 PM

RF

“ To The Cannon Family,

*Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you!*



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**Ronnie & Brenda (Wilson) Fields** - November 17, 2023 at 03:09 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Avis Kianta Cannon.



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November 17, 2023 at 03:08 PM



“ Jeff Crystal planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Avis Kianta Cannon.

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**Jeff Crystal** - November 17, 2023 at 03:08 PM



“ Pamela Wilson lit a candle in memory of Avis Kianta Cannon



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**Pamela Wilson** - November 17, 2023 at 01:33 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Avis Kianta Cannon.



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November 15, 2023 at 02:15 PM