



Pauline M. Tukes

March 29, 2024

Pauline M. Tukes transitioned peacefully on Friday, March 29, 2024 at Autumn Lakes of Norwalk. She was born in Vandemere, North Carolina to the late Wealthy Fisher, Sr. and Mary Jones Fisher. Her memory will be cherished by her son, Michael Tukes and his wife Maryann, two grandchildren; Michael Tukes and Michelle Tukes, one sister and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. In addition to her parents, Pauline was predeceased by three sisters and four brothers. A memorial service will be held on Friday, April 5, 2024 at 11:00 AM at Graves Medley Funeral Services, 31 Stillwater Ave., Stamford, Connecticut, Pastor Charles Askew officiating. Interment will follow at Fairfield Memorial Park, Stamford.

Cemetery Details

Fairfield Memorial Park

230 Oaklawn Ave.
Stamford, CT

Previous Events

Memorial

APR 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Graves Medley Funeral Services
31 Stillwater Avenue
Stamford, CT 06902
(203) 323-2666

Tribute Wall

LW

“ *May God bless you all during your time of sorrow. I worked with Ms. Pauline for several years at the Urban League. She will truly be missed.*



Linda Wills - April 07, 2024 at 05:52 PM

PA

“ *My aunt was the most beautiful person in the world. I have so many many memories. My prayers are with Michael family relatives and friends.*

Pauline Funn Arrington - April 02, 2024 at 04:44 PM

VC

Sending expressions of condolences to Michael Tuke and Pauline's extended family. "Cousins" Pauline and Oscar Tukes were household names and considered family members during my childhood growing up in Stamford, CT. My parents, Mary "Bake" Johnson and Harley Cooper, were also from Pamlico County, NC, in the town adjacent to where Pauline was born and raised. In fact, my Aunt Catherine Midgette (Uncle Stilley) lived on the same street as Pauline's family in Vandemere, NC and they were best friends with Mr. Wealthy Fisher and his entire family! I have fond memories of both Pauline and Oscar as he was my Sunday school teacher at Bethel AME Church in Stamford, CT where we all attend for many years as they all migrated during "The Great Migration" from North Carolina in the South, to Stamford, CT in the North. In the 70s, we all moved away from Ardmore Road in Stamford, and I don't recall seeing anyone from Pauline's family in my adult life. Nevertheless, the fond childhood memories I have of your entire family Michael are very precious and I will always treasure. May you too find comfort in the great memories that remain!

Valerie A. Cooper - April 03, 2024 at 08:33 AM

IC

Pauline, my sister Connie and I worked at Pitney Bowes and later on we did some community work with the Urban League, Later on, Connie and Pauline became roommates at Autuum Lake. The world is so small.

Ina Cameron-Winn - April 04, 2024 at 12:57 PM

AJ

Sending heartfelt condolences and prayers to Michael and family on the passing of Pauline. Mom (Bettye Jones Jenkins) and Pauline graduated from Pamilco County Training School, Bayboro, NC in 1954 and hopped on that Greyhound Bus headed to Stamford, Connecticut to attend The Modern Academy of Business, Music and Art. It was in Stamford that Mom and Pauline met their spouses, my dad, Richard Jenkins (RIP) and Oscar Tukes (RIP). They were in each other's weddings and our families (to include Mom's siblings Thelma Jones (RIP) and Edward Jones (RIP) were lifelong friends. Precious Memories❤️❤️❤️.

*Bettye, Angela & Gloria Jenkins
Lithonia, GA*

Angela R. Jenkins - April 10, 2024 at 11:56 AM