



## Ranada L. Wilson

January 11, 1971 - January 30, 2019

Ranada Lorraine Wilson....was born, January 11, 1971, in Norfolk, VA. Ranada was affectionately called Nada Boo and Boo during her childhood and adolescent years. Ranada relished going to her favorite store, Little Sue, with her granddad Alpheus. Ranada graduated from Englewood High School in Jacksonville, FL. Upon graduation she attended Jacksonville Junior College. After a lengthy illness, Ranada moved to Virginia and continued to pursue her college career at Thomas Nelson Jr. College. After moving to Kentucky, Ranada enrolled into Western Kentucky University to complete her undergraduate education. Not content with her awarded degree from WKU, Ranada enrolled in Kentucky State College and received her highly prized Elementary Education Degree with honors.

Ranada loved her family and just hung out and laughed, argued and chilled with them. Ranada was embraced by the Whitlock-White family as a family member and she looked forward to attending their family functions and didn't miss many. Ranada knew they would have some good eating.

Ranada loved to fish, play Phase-Ten, and Triominos. It gave her great pleasure to beat her mom and Ron at playing Phase-Ten. Ranada enjoyed eating fried crabs and always looked forward to her dad bringing her a dozen each time he would come to visit.

Ranada loved the Lord and throughout her life struggles she was a devout believer in Jesus. A faithful member of the church, she served as an Usher, sang on the Praise Team, and was a member of the Daughters of the King Women's Ministry. Ranada is gravely missed and words cannot express the heaviness of her family's heart. A part of the family block has been chipped away and it can not be replaced. God always knows what is best for each of our lives and today we bow down to His will.

Ranada will truly be missed by her daughter, DeAndrea Wilson; her parents, Rev. Sharon (Rev. Ron) Whitlock, Joseph (Vivian) Wilson; brothers, Ronnie Whitlock, Ryan Whitlock and Robert Whitlock; grandfather, Joseph Wilson Sr; aunts & uncles, Gail (James) DeHart, Wayne (Andre) Wallace, Johnny (Merl) Wilson, Ricky (Diane) Wilson, Korty Wilson, Ronald (Elaine) Wilson, Reginald Wilson, Janet (Joseph) Ferbee, Chris (Patricia) Wilson, and a host of other aunts and uncles, many relatives and friends. Ranada was preceded in death by her grandparents, Geraldine and Alpheus Wallace and Lorraine Wilson.

Sincerely friends at Burnam and Son

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery

1209 Fairview Ave  
Bowling Green, KY 42101

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 6. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

New Beginnings Christian Ministries  
1128 Stubbins Street  
Bowling Green, KY 42101  
(270) 782-1310

## Visitation

FEB 7. 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

New Beginnings Christian Ministries  
1128 Stubbins Street  
Bowling Green, KY 42101  
(270) 782-1310

## Funeral Service

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FEB 7. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

New Beginnings Christian Ministries  
1128 Stubbins Street  
Bowling Green, KY 42101  
(270) 782-1310

# Tribute Wall



“ *Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc.** - February 06, 2019 at 05:41 PM

CP

*Ranada and my daughter, Tara Peterson, were best friends elementary through high school and neighbors. Our families lost touch around 1989, during their senior year. Occasionally I would look for Sharon at the college where she coached and other local places and people that were common to us with no success. I missed our connections and I am now so sorry to hear of Ranada's passing. She was such a beautiful and soulful person. Sharon, I pray for your peace and trust that all is well in your life. ❤️🕊*

*~Carol Peterson Jacksonville, FL  
Sent from my iPhone*

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**Carol Peterson** - April 08, 2023 at 09:00 PM

KF

“ *My Condolences to the Family  
me and ranada Lived at the woodland's apartments in jacksonville  
we went to south side Jr High and englewood. She will surely Be  
Missed. Kenneth Fowlkes*

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**Kenneth Fowlkes** - September 28, 2025 at 01:18 PM

TP

“*Ranada and I were best friends in elementary school. She and I were best friends to mothers that were single hard working. She shared so much, and we're the two tallest girls of color in our school. We lost contact since I transferred high school. I'm sorry hear she gained her wings. Praying her mother Sharon is with peace. I have vivid memories of both her and Ranada. 🕊️✨ -Tara Peterson Atl, Ga*

Tara Peterson - April 08, 2023 at 08:07 AM



“*Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ranada L. Wilson.*



February 08, 2019 at 03:56 PM



“*I had the pleasure of meeting Ranada when we worked @ Big Lots 26 years ago. She was always smiling and a kind word. As the years past on I would see her and she had the at BIG beautiful smile on her face and still a kind word. Seen her just last month @ Zaxbys once again she had that BIG beautiful smile on her face and a kind word. Ranada was truly a woman of God even though I would only see her around town every blue moon. I will kiss that BIG beautiful smile and a kind word.*



LeKeeshia Price - February 07, 2019 at 03:38 PM

WF

“ Whitney Family lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson



Whitney Family - February 07, 2019 at 09:46 AM

TR

“ Tara Richardson lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson



tara richardson - February 06, 2019 at 11:02 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family  
of Ranada L. Wilson.



February 06, 2019 at 10:02 AM

TF

“ The Mercer Family purchased the Simply Elegant  
Spathiphyllum for the family of Ranada L. Wilson.



The Mercer Family - February 05, 2019 at 09:19 PM

LI

“ *LIVELY-CLARK lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



LIVELY-CLARK - February 05, 2019 at 04:44 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Ranada L. Wilson.*



February 05, 2019 at 04:33 PM

GB

“ *Gladys Beason lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



Gladys Beason - February 05, 2019 at 12:04 PM

BP

“ *Barb Page lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



Barb Page - February 05, 2019 at 12:03 PM

GB

“ George and June Bunton purchased the Ribbon of Remembrance-Sterling Pendant & Necklace without Bail for the family of Ranada L. Wilson.



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**George and June Bunton** - February 05, 2019 at 09:16 AM

MH

“ Renada called me Auntie and I called her "NADA". I was very fond of her and she was a very sweet niece. She loved nice clothes and enjoyed dressing up. She often sent me pictures of her when she was going to Church to ask me "How does this look on me"? She already knew my answer; "simply stunning niece". Nada enjoyed worshiping GOD and her smiling face proved she did. She laughed heartily. What a wonderful Christian young women who loved well and enjoyed life. I will sincerely miss her phone calls, but her sweet spirit will remain with me forever.

Lovingly,  
Marilyn Whitlock Hockersmith (Auntie)

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**MARILYN HOCKERSMSITH** - February 04, 2019 at 04:35 PM

VS

“ Vetta Sublett lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson



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**Vetta Sublett** - February 04, 2019 at 03:57 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ranada L. Wilson.*



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February 04, 2019 at 12:48 AM



“ *Dear Rev. Ron & Rev. Sharon & Family,*

*I was saddened to learn of Ranada's passing. Sharon, I share your grief at this time, but know that our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, will never leave you nor forsake you. May you continuously find comfort and peace through God's Holy Word. Lovingly, Carol Armistead and The Armistead Family*

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**Carol Armistead** - February 04, 2019 at 12:20 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ranada L. Wilson.*



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February 03, 2019 at 05:00 PM



“ *Edward And Deborah Bufford lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Edward and Deborah Bufford** - February 02, 2019 at 10:57 PM

LH

“ 5. John 14:1-3  
“Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father’s house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.” My condolences to the Whitlock family. May the comfort of God help you through this difficult time.”



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**Lolita Hill** - February 02, 2019 at 06:26 PM

CB

“ Che Boards lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson



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**Che Boards** - February 02, 2019 at 03:02 PM

ZA

“ Zaxbys lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson



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**Zaxbys** - February 02, 2019 at 03:01 PM

VS

“ *Vetta Sublett lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Vetta Sublett** - February 02, 2019 at 02:48 AM

VL

“ *So, so sorry for your loss. But one day you all will be together again.*



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**Virginia Lewis** - February 02, 2019 at 12:48 AM

CS

“ *Carolyn Sydnor sent a virtual gift in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Carolyn Sydnor** - February 01, 2019 at 10:30 PM

BC

“ *Brenda Carver lit a candle in memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Brenda Carver** - February 01, 2019 at 05:38 PM

BC

“ *Brenda Carver lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Brenda Carver** - February 01, 2019 at 05:34 PM

SH

“ *Sharon Haynie lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Sharon Haynie** - February 01, 2019 at 03:43 PM

WA

“ *Wanda Anthony lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Wanda Anthony** - February 01, 2019 at 01:52 PM

LW

“ *Loretha Burton Withrow lit a candle in  
memory of Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Loretha Burton Withrow** - February 01, 2019 at 10:32 AM

RM

“ Rachel Murrell lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson



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**Rachel Murrell** - February 01, 2019 at 08:56 AM

MH

“ Michelle Heater lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson



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**Michelle Heater** - January 31, 2019 at 08:30 PM

DB

“ Pastor Brown and Family



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**Dee Brown** - January 31, 2019 at 08:28 PM

CH

“ Cardine And Shawna Harrison lit a candle in  
memory of Ranada L. Wilson



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**Cardine and Shawna Harrison** - January 31, 2019 at 04:10 PM

DR

“ *Danielle Reddick lit a candle in memory of  
Ranada L. Wilson*



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**Danielle Reddick** - January 31, 2019 at 02:17 PM



“ *Dear Wilson Family,*

*There are few things more difficult than dealing with the loss of a loved one. We, along with our staff, are honored and humbled that you have chosen our family to care for your family during this time. It is our hope that we have been able, in some small way, to lighten your burden and give proper reverence to a life lived. Please let us know if we can be of further service.*



*Respectfully,*

*Carmen, Cedric, Claudia and Kelly  
2nd Generation Owners*

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**Cedric Burnam** - January 31, 2019 at 11:42 AM