



## Hazel Berneice Edwards

January 28, 1929 - December 3, 2021

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Hazel Berneice Landren Edwards was born on January 28, 1929, to Luther and Pearl Landren in St. Mary Colony, Texas. She was also reared in St. Mary Colony and Austin, Texas. She departed this earthly life on December 3rd, 2021.

She accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior and was baptized at an early age and became a member at the St. Paul Baptist Church in Austin, Texas. Hazel was active in Sweet Home Baptist Church and St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church. She continued her faith walk with the Lord; when she became a member at Mount Sinai Baptist Church, under the leadership of Pastor A. W. Anthony Mays, she was elected to serve as the Senior Mission President.

She attended school in Austin, Texas and then went on to complete her Nurses Aide certification.

She was united in marriage to Hugh Urdy, and to this union two children were born, Annie Berneice Urdy Dawson and Fannie P. Urdy Mays.

On October 21, 1950, she united in marriage to Louis Edwards Sr. and to this union six children were born: Louis Edwards Jr., Nora Johnson, Mary E. Hair, Curtis Edwards, Lula Bailey and Vietta Edwards. She welcomed and loved three children: Laverne Wilson, Gladdys Austin and Charles Edwards from his previous marriages and together they were blessed with eleven children.

She held multiple positions such as working at a dry-cleaning company as well as working as a maid and a caregiver. She enjoyed helping others so much that she later became a Nurses Aide. Hazel is most remembered for her selfless love for others. She was known as a great cook, and everyone loved to socialize at her home in Kings Village.

Hazel was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Louis Edwards Sr. and her daughters: Laverne Wilson, Gladdys Austin, Annie Dawson and her son Louis Edwards Jr. and five sisters: Beulah Sterling, Fannie Mae Taylor, Rose Lee Gray, Frances Brazil and Annie Ruth Johns and one brother Ben Troy Sneed. She is survived by her one sister, Willie Gene Denmon, and children: Fannie Mays (Anthony), Nora Johnson, Mary E. Hair, Charles Edwards (Wanda), Curtis Edwards (Vivian), Lula Bailey, Vietta Edwards, and her 48 grandchildren, a host of great and great-great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She leaves to cherish her family and her lifelong friends Mercie Gonzales, Goldie Freeman, & Lora Levels

# Cemetery Details

## Hopewell Cemetery

1300 SAM BASS  
Round Rock, TX 78664

# Previous Events

## PUBLIC VIEWING FOLLOWING CDC GUIDELINES

DEC 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Mount Sinai Baptist Church  
8500 Cameron Rd  
Austin, TX 78754  
(512) 451-0808

## Celebration Service

DEC 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hazel Berneice Edwards

October 06, 2023 at 07:08 AM



“ Annis (Dorine Johnson) Harris lit a candle in memory of Hazel Berneice Edwards



Annis (Dorine Johnson) Harris - December 17, 2021 at 07:06 PM



*My prayers are with y'all*

Annis (Dorine Johnson) Harris - December 17, 2021 at 07:07 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Hazel Berneice Edwards.



December 17, 2021 at 11:34 AM



“ vivian Edwards purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Hazel Berneice Edwards.



vivian Edwards - December 17, 2021 at 09:24 AM

CH

“ Nano was one of the most beautiful, funniest, God-fearing woman I have ever met. She never judged, unless your pants were hanging around your ankles lol, but even then she would just ask you to pick your pants up and give you some money to buy a belt. For the first time I am away from my family and unable to make it to the funeral and it breaks my heart. But I know that the woman that I looked up to all my life is now looking down on me and I can only hope that I can make her proud. She always said that no matter how old I got I would always be her baby. I will always miss her but I know she's at peace and with her family and probably eating all the chocolate that she wants and seasoned food lol. That was one thing I know that she missed was seasoning. I wish that I would've gotten the chance to say goodbye or at least see you later but I know that she will be waiting for me when I get where I'm going and every step of the way there.

Calli Hair - December 16, 2021 at 02:49 AM



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Hazel Berneice Edwards.



December 15, 2021 at 12:28 PM

GB

“ Gloria Bedford lit a candle in memory of Hazel Berneice Edwards



Gloria Bedford - December 13, 2021 at 05:54 PM

TR

“ *The Landren Family Reunion purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Hazel Berneice Edwards.*



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**The Landren Family Reunion** - December 13, 2021 at 02:33 PM

MR

“ *Maureen Robinson lit a candle in memory of Hazel Berneice Edwards*



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**Maureen Robinson** - December 12, 2021 at 07:53 AM

LL

“ Hazel and I had a friendship that's hard to find today. It was in a time when borrowing from your neighbor was a neighborly thing. It was a special kind of friendship; where you shared and gave each other a hug, and knew all was well. She was a woman of deep faith. God was her favorite subject to talk about. When she said, "Jesus is the answer to your problem," you felt she knew what she was talking about from experiences with Him; and not what she had heard. She could really pray, and was a great representative for the Lord. She was like an older sister; she cared deeply and I loved her very much.

*The human side of me is saddened, but the spiritual side assures me that a band of angels came to take her to her eternal home in glory. Therefore, I have comfort in knowing that Hazel had been preparing a long time for this day. And when the Heavenly Chariot arrived, I believe she was ready, had her ticket in her hand, ready to step on board.*

*Special friend,  
Sis. Lora Levels*

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**Lora Levels** - December 10, 2021 at 02:51 PM

SW

“ Sharon Washington lit a candle in memory of Hazel Berneice Edwards



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**Sharon Washington** - December 08, 2021 at 08:57 PM

JH

“ It is our prayer that God will comfort you and your family during this sad time. May he richly bless you as you mourn, and may the light of His presence be a continual source of consolation. The Hayes will be praying the Edwards family.

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**Jean Hayes** - December 08, 2021 at 04:27 PM

DB

“ My Condolences go out to the family of Sister Fannie P Mays and Pastor Mays.

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**Derrick Bedford** - December 08, 2021 at 03:23 PM

PJ

“ Fannie, Mary and Family- Please accept my heartfelt condolences to you all. God is a Keeper- He'll keep you in perfect peace. God Peace and Blessings I Pray be on you all.

*Patt Diggs- Jackson*



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**Patt Jackson** - December 08, 2021 at 02:03 PM

KE

“ Mrs. Edwards was one of the most gracious women I have ever had the pleasure to meet. I know the heavens are brighter, while our world has one less star. My love and condolences to the family.  
*Karen Hair Woolf*

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**karen eoolf** - December 07, 2021 at 08:12 PM

TH

“ *Lawrence and I send our heartfelt condolences. Ms Edward had the kindness heart. She welcomed Lawrence and me with opened arms, She will greatly be missed.*

*Lawrence and Teo Hair  
Wynnewood, OK*

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**Teo Hair** - December 07, 2021 at 05:10 PM