



Shelia Warren Williams

January 23, 1953 - May 6, 2026

Shelia Warren Williams was born on January 23, 1953, to the late Samuel Windell Warren, Sr. and Rebbie Turner Warren. She peacefully departed this life and entered eternal rest on Wednesday, May 6, 2026, in her home in Chesapeake, VA while surrounded by family and covered in loved.

Shelia was born in Courtland, VA and raised in Portsmouth, VA. She is a proud 1971 graduate of I.C. Norcom High School and later furthered her education by earning an Associate Degree from Tidewater Community College.

On March 29, 1975, Shelia married the love of her life, Charles Earnest Williams, Jr. From this loving union, they were blessed with one daughter.

Shelia faithfully served the children of Portsmouth Public Schools as a paraprofessional for 30 years. During her career, she worked with Kindergarten, Pre-Kindergarten, and Special Education students, touching countless young lives with her patience, kindness, and care. After retiring from the school system, she began a second career as an Order Entry Operator for QVC, where she worked until her final retirement.

Shelia was a faithful and devoted member of Trinity Faith Diamond for 39 years, spanning three generations of ministry. Her journey at Trinity began

under the leadership of Pastor O.L. Cromwell, Sr., grew under the leadership of Bishop O.L. Cromwell, II, and continued under the teaching of Pastor O.L. Cromwell, III. During her years of service, Shelia was a member of the choir, volunteered weekly at the Faith Diamond Christian Academy, and faithfully served on the Pastor's Aid.

Shelia was known for her generous heart and loving spirit. She never hesitated to help family, friends, or anyone in need. Whether it was giving to those in need, offering encouragement, or sharing her famous coconut pies and homemade rolls, Shelia gave with love and made people feel truly cared for.

Shelia loved her family and loved music. Her favorite artists were Whitney Houston and Adrienne Warren. On road trips to visit family, Shelia and her daughter, Tanisha, sang for hours up and down the East Coast. She also enjoyed attending concerts with her sister, daughter, and goddaughter. However, above all, Shelia loved the Lord. Shelia and her late husband faithfully read Psalm 91 and completed their daily devotions together every morning. After her husband's passing, Shelia continued her daily devotions faithfully with her grand-dog by her side.

Cherishing her memory are her daughter, Tanisha Lynn Williams of Chesapeake; her twin sister, Lelia Richardson of Chesapeake; her brother, Pastor Samuel Warren, Jr. (Dr. Andrea) of Chesapeake; her goddaughter and niece, Keisha Richardson-Warren of Portsmouth; and a host of beloved aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family members, and dear friends.

Shelia was also preceded in death by her beloved grand-dog, Peaches, whom she loved dearly.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Gardens

3920 Airline Blvd
Chesapeake, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 13. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.
Chesapeake, VA 23323
(757) 487-3700
info@jtfisherfuneralservices.com
<https://www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com>

Service

MAY 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity Faith Diamond
1023 Deep Creek Blvd.
Chesapeake, Va

Tribute Wall

RK

“ *Rashida Kelley purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.*



Rashida Kelley - May 12 at 10:37 PM

RK

“ *Rashida Kelley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shelia Warren Williams.*

Rashida Kelley - May 12 at 10:37 PM

LS

“ *May Lelia Richardson, Samuel Warren and the rest of the family continue to look to God for the strength that You need during this time of loss. Shelia is ok now. She is resting in that mansion that God prepared for Her many years ago.*



Leigh M. Burton, Sr. - May 12 at 06:59 PM

LF

“ *Lelia and Family purchased the Sacred Garden Spray for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.*



Lelia and Family - May 12 at 05:24 PM



“ Lelia and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shelia Warren Williams.

Lelia and Family - May 12 at 05:24 PM



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.



May 12 at 04:02 PM



“ 36 files added to the album Life Tributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - May 12 at 02:04 PM

LW

“ Good afternoon,

On behalf of the I. C. Norcom Class of 1971, we offer our deepest condolences and heartfelt prayers to the Warren and Williams families. With heavy hearts, we will remember Sheila fondly, understanding that God's plan is always perfect. Sheila was a truly compassionate and kind individual, and a cherished classmate. We will forever cherish her warm smile and gracious presence. Please know that her classmates stand united with the family during this difficult time. May God continue to comfort and bless her family. Sheila will remain forever in our memories.

Respectfully,

*I. C. Norcom Class of 1971
Linda V. Williams, Reunion President
Dr. Paula H. Boone, Reunion Vice President*

Linda Williams - May 12 at 01:45 PM

LT

My condolences to the family during this difficult time. We work in PPS school district for years. May her memory always be a blessing 📿❤️

Loretta Thompson - May 12 at 05:22 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.*



May 12 at 11:21 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shelia Warren Williams.

May 12 at 11:21 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.



May 11 at 01:04 PM



“ *To: Sam and The Sheila Warren Williams Family*

We extend our heartfelt condolences to you during this difficult time. May God's mercy and grace support you through your grief, and may your cherished memories of Sheila bring comfort in the years ahead. Please know that we are always here to support your family.

Peace and Love...

*DSC VA Boys
(Drake, Sharpe, Veda, Beamon, Gibbs, Garry)*

C.A. "Drake" Turner - May 11 at 09:54 AM

DB

“ DSC - The VA Boys purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.



DSC - The VA Boys - May 11 at 09:42 AM

DB

“ DSC - The VA Boys planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sheila Warren Williams.

DSC - The VA Boys - May 11 at 09:42 AM

TJ

“ Tekisha Malone & Darlene Johnson purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.



Tekisha Malone & Darlene Johnson - May 09 at 10:07 PM

DL

“ Delaware State University Legends purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Shelia Warren Williams.



Delaware State University Legends - May 09 at 12:33 PM