



Ms. Shanell Shaw

April 18, 1971 - June 8, 2025

Shanell Shaw was born on April 18, 1971 to the union of Will Taylor, Jr. and Patricia Smith in Chicago, Illinois. She received her formal education in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, at Juneau High School, and continued her education at MATC. Shanell accepted Christ as her savior at the age of 8 and united with Christ the King Baptist Church in Milwaukee.

Shanell Smith was united in holy matrimony with Kenyon Shaw in Milwaukee. She was employed by Alexian Village as a CNA for twelve years. In her leisure, Shanell enjoyed spending time with family and friends, cooking, caring for her grandchildren, vacationing, shopping and watching movies.

Shanell Shaw departed this life on June 8, 2025. She was preceded in death by her father, Will Taylor, Jr.; sister, Crystal J. Smith; and brother, Curtis Taylor.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her mother, Patricia Smith; son, Tremaine Hopgood, Jr.; brothers, Will Lamar Smith, Erik Taylor and Corey Williams; grandchildren; niece, Nigeria Smith-Beckom, along with other nieces and nephews; special friends, Kira Atkins, Meko Atkins, Sywonda Brown; and a host of uncles, aunts, cousins and good friends.

Cemetery Details

Northwest Cremation Services

6630 W. Hampton Ave.
Milwaukee, WI 53218

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 18. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel
6630 W. Hampton Ave
Milwaukee, WI

Tribute Wall



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Ms. Shanell Shaw.*



July 15, 2025 at 10:24 AM