



## Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers

May 3, 1987 - December 18, 2025

Cedric Earl Rodgers made his earthly entrance on May 3, 1987, in Greenville, North Carolina, born to Annette Peele Rodgers and the late Alvin Earl Rodgers. He departed this life on December 18, 2025, while at work at the Domtar Pulp Mill in Plymouth, North Carolina.

Cedric was a God-fearing man who stood firmly on his faith, his family, and his principles. He boldly lived for Christ and carried himself as a protector, provider, and leader in all areas of his life.

Cedric was a high school graduate of Roanoke High School, Class of 2005, in Robersonville, North Carolina. While attending Roanoke, he proudly played the snare drum, trumpet, and saxophone in the marching band. He later attended Winston-Salem State University, gaining college experience before entering the workforce.

From 2013 to 2022, Cedric worked for the Town of Williamston in the Sanitation Department and also provided lawn care services throughout the Woodlawn community. In 2022, he transitioned to Domtar, where he worked faithfully until his passing as a Certified Crane Operator. Cedric was a proud member of the International Union of Operating Engineers.

Cedric also shared his gifts through music, playing and singing in a gospel band with the Anointed Brothers of Christ from 2014 until 2023, following the passing of the late Michael Williams, Sr.

Cedric accepted Christ at the age of 11 at Indian Woods in Windsor, North Carolina. His childhood church was Sandy Point Baptist Church of

Williamston, now known as New Life Ministries Missionary Baptist Church, under the leadership of Pastor Anthony Grice and First Lady Loretta Grice. In 2022, Cedric and his family united with Green Memorial Church of Christ (Disciples of Christ) of Williamston, where Pastor Lester Mitchell and Lady Jacqueline Mitchell faithfully serve.

Cedric possessed a deep knowledge and understanding of God's Word. He knew no stranger, and somehow—some way—every conversation would lead back to the Lord, always leaving others with food for thought to dwell on. He made a positive and lasting impact on everyone he encountered.

Cedric had a great love for music. When he was not working or spending time with his family, he could often be found playing his drums or bass and lead guitars—always eager to learn and grow. He carried a joyful spirit and a passion for excellence in everything he pursued.

In 2009, Cedric met Sheriqueenma Artis Rodgers, and the two fell in love at first sight. In 2011, they welcomed their daughter, Niesenma Alexia Rodgers, lovingly known as “Baby Girl.” Cedric and Sheriqueenma were united in holy matrimony in 2012, vowing to love one another until death parted them. In 2013, they welcomed their son, Niehmn Divine Rodgers, affectionately known as “Mr. CEO” and “Daddy's Buddy.”

Cedric's children were his world. He took great pride in being present—actively participating in their in-school and afterschool programs, sporting events, and every moment that mattered.

Cedric was preceded in death by his father, Alvin Earl Rodgers; his grandfathers, Clarence Rodgers, Sr. and Robert James Peele; his grandmothers, Doretha Rodgers and Bernice Peele; his aunt, Cheryl Smith; and his great-aunt, Marion Rodgers.

Cedric leaves to cherish his precious memory his loving wife, Sheriqueenma Artis Rodgers; his children, Niesenma Alexia Rodgers and Niehmn Divine Rodgers; his mother, Annette Peele Rodgers; his siblings, Dahteil Rodgers, Chreighvon Rodgers (Lakisha), and Daniel Rodgers; sisters-in-law, Sheneika Artis (Trequail) and Shereika Artis; brother-in-law, Christopher Artis, Jr.; best

friend and brother, “DJ” Dale Askew; special friends, Rico Hardison and Tremain Baker; and parents-in-law, Ella Majette and Christopher Artis, Sr; a host of aunts and uncles, Cynthia (Craig), Charles Rodgers (Mozella), Clarence Rodgers, Jr. (Lizzette), Daryl Rodgers (Keisha), Kenneth Rodgers (Phyllis), Doris Shepard, Mary Jones (Shelton), Marion Booth (Bill), Shirley Rollins (Kevin), and Barbara Marshall (Tolliver); one niece, Cadence Rodgers; and two nephews, Landon Rodgers and Omari Williams.

Though his life was far too short, Cedric Earl Rodgers lived with purpose, faith, and love—leaving behind a legacy that will continue through his family and all those whose lives he touched.

# Cemetery Details

## Woodlawn Cemetery

299 W Pine Street  
Williamston, NC 27892

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JAN 3. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

South Creek Middle School  
21077 NC 903  
Robersonville, NC 27871

## Celebration of Life Service

JAN 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

South Creek Middle School  
21077 NC 903  
Robersonville, NC 27871

# Tribute Wall



“ *View and Download the Funeral Program*

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**Congleton Memorial Mortuary** - January 03 at 01:33 PM



“ *This one hurts!!!! "Ced" was a really good guy and im glad I had the chance to grow up knowing him. To the family...Definitely praying for your strength and healing even in this time. Love yall forever!!!!*

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**Antony Gray** - February 26 at 06:51 PM



“ *LaShawn Corey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers*



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**LaShawn Corey** - January 03 at 01:02 PM



“ *Alton & Maggie Sharp lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers*



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**Alton & Maggie Sharp** - January 03 at 07:02 AM

MB

“ *Rodgers Family, My Deepest Condolences*



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**Milton Bryant** - January 02 at 10:55 AM

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“ *This will hurt for a long time but I find some peace in knowing how much he loved the Lord and that at the moment he closed his eyes he was good and where he strived and lived to be. He became part of our family years ago and was a very faithful family member and we will never forget him and that gigantic smile. Thank you to his family for sharing him with our family. We love you all and will continue to keep you all in our prayers.*



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**Faye Wiggins (Ma)** - January 01 at 06:26 AM

LH

“ *May God strengthen and bless the Family during this difficult time. Psalm 23. Lifting up Jesus, Rev. Loretta E. Hudson*



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**Loretta E Hudson** - December 31, 2025 at 07:12 AM

AF

“ *Antionette Andrews Wheeler & Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers*



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**Antionette Andrews Wheeler & Family** - December 30, 2025 at 09:48 PM

FW

“ *Felecia Weathersbe-Askew lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers*



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**Felecia Weathersbe-Askew** - December 25, 2025 at 10:27 AM

DD

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**DJ Davis** - December 25, 2025 at 12:14 AM

SF

“ *Condolences & prayers to the Rodgers family.*



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**Smith Family** - December 24, 2025 at 04:25 PM

KL

“ *Katrina Latham lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers*



Katrina Latham - December 24, 2025 at 10:21 AM

KL

“ *Annette and family, I'm sorry for your loss. Be strong and keep your heads up. Just remember he will always be in your hearts. Don't worry about him, he's not alone.*

Katrina Latham - December 24, 2025 at 10:20 AM

JC

“ *Prayers and condolences go out to the Rodger's family 🙏*



Johnny & Bernadette Chance - December 23, 2025 at 09:54 PM

CS

“ *The most caring entrepreneur I've Ever worked for you will be missed. Take your rest Sir and family be proud and keep his memories, his love for ya'll all at heart. God Bless You All During Your Time of Brievement.*



Cecily Sene - December 22, 2025 at 09:48 PM

PB

“ Priscilla Baker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers



Priscilla Baker - December 22, 2025 at 07:03 PM

AD

“ Alfredia Dawson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers



Alfredia Dawson - December 22, 2025 at 10:45 AM



“ Annette James lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers



Annette James - December 22, 2025 at 07:58 AM

DD

“ My first friend at Winston-Salem State University. I remember it like it was yesterday. The all nighters then hitting breakfast in the cafe, crazy conversations, and the the endless laughs. I wish we had been able to have more. I remember how much you wanted to go back home, you loved your hometown and you loved your family. It looks like you built a beautiful life. I'm praying for those you left behind. Much love my brother.

DJ Davis - December 21, 2025 at 09:58 PM

RC

“ *Rev Dora Cox lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers*



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**rev dora cox** - December 20, 2025 at 05:21 PM

EH

“ *May Jesus Christ Continue To Comfort And Strengthen The Family* 🙏🙏🙏



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**Evangelist Gwen Hudson** - December 20, 2025 at 08:22 AM

MH

“ *Mona Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Cedric Earl Rodgers*



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**Mona Harris** - December 20, 2025 at 08:14 AM

CS

“ *Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolences on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their memory.*



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**Congleton Funeral Home and Staff** - December 19, 2025 at 12:52 PM

BR

*Annette you all are in my thoughts.*

*Love you all.*

*Your cousin Bridget. 🙏*

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**Bridgetfrmn@gmail.com** - December 21, 2025 at 08:34 AM