



## Mrs. Leslie Rene House

May 23, 1968 - November 6, 2022

Our loving and amazing wife, mother, family member, teacher, and friend Leslie Rene House “Les” was born to Edward L. Fraser and Celestina Wells in Bridgeport, CT. Leslie was a beautiful, anointed, loving, powerful woman of God. She loved the Lord. When you come to Leslie, as many did, she would say “Let’s pray about it”. She knew the Lord was first and you felt the Lord when she was in your presence. A powerful woman of God. And don’t you mess with any of her babies. Young or old. Les will give you that eye that made you straighten up with the quickness.

Leslie was born in Bridgeport, CT and then soon met her husband, Derek House of 28 years. Together they shared a love for ministry and helping others. From organizing The Christian Men’s Crusade which birthed a Women’s fellowship ministry to hosting the Annual Memorial Day Celebrations. The love they showed for everyone was evident by their generous hospitality. You always felt loved and welcomed in their home. The love they had for one another was unbreakable.

Leslie and her daughter Tacora Collins shared a bond like no other. They were best friends, praying partners, and pretty much did everything together. There is no doubt. Leslie did have a favorite child in the whole wide world Kyre Jr. “KJ.” Leslie absolutely adored her grandson. He was her sunshine. KJ was an added reason to laugh, play and embrace. The look of joy in her eyes when

KJ was with her melted hearts. A loving Mema she was.

Leslie loved her job as a Preschool teacher. She loved every child as if they were her own. She treated each child with care, love and kindness. There is nothing she wouldn't do for all of her children. Leslie had the natural ability to draw children to her. It was a gift. One of the many that Leslie had. When children are around, her attention is always on them to make sure they are happy and safe. Leslie was like no other. A loving teacher and friend, Leslie always admired the extra special gifts that parents and children use to give her. She would be so excited and very much appreciative. Leslie was blessed. Everywhere she went she was blessed. A kind heart, a special prayer, a great hug, a beautiful smile and a graceful spirit. She was all of that and more. Many know Leslie for her cooking..... Yes..... Leslie could cook like no tomorrow. Especially, when she prepared and cooked the meals for the family's Thanksgiving dinner as well as the World-Famous Breakfast "Grand Slam." Because she cooked with love that made her food taste all that much better.

Leslie knew how to pack anything. She would pack for work and a trip with things neatly packed. If anything was left out of a fully packed suitcase or overnight bag, she would find a way to fit it in somehow. She was the same way with packing the refrigerator. You would look at all the food that is out after an event and say, there is no way that food will fit in the refrigerator..... Leslie had a system, and that food went in, and it was neatly packed. Leslie was awesome.

Leslie was preceded in death by her loving brother, Edward L. Fraser; her maternal grandmothers, Margaret Williams and Juanita Fraser; her paternal grandfather, Willie Fraser; and her nephew, Taesean "Tae" Fraser.

Leslie leaves behind her beloved husband, Derek House; her parents, Celestina Wells, Edward L. and Darlene Fraser; her beautiful, loving daughter, Tacora Collins, and son in law Kyre Collins; her loving grandson, Kyre "KJ" Collins, Jr; brothers, Gwynmar C. Fraser (Yolanda) and Shanar R. Fraser; sisters, DeWygee K. Williams (Byron) and Sinseara A. Mercado (Rene); uncles, Lawrence Davis (Angela), Dexter Davis, Christopher Davis (June), Nelson Davis and Herbert Fraser (Wendy); aunts, Jeanette Carter, Vivian Broom, and Loris Griffin; best friend and cousin, Tracey R Waller (Michael); host of cousins and friends.

Leslie will be forever in our hearts and will always be remembered for her beautiful smile and spirit.

# Cemetery Details

## Homestead Memorial Gardens

4251 E. 10th Street  
Greenville, NC 27858

# Previous Events

## Viewing

NOV **19**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Congleton Funeral Home and Cremations  
3205 E. 10th Street  
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## Celebration of Life Service

NOV **19**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Leslie Rene House*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *To the House and Fraser families: It's hard to put into words how sorry I am for your loss. Leslie was the "first" sister I truly never had. I will miss her immensely. My her soul receive eternal peace. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I pray to the Almighty God to give the family enough strength to bear the sorrow.*

*As you know, a sister (a.k.a cousin) is someone who shares your childhood and life long memories. I will never forget Leslie. She will forever be in my heart ❤️ Cousin Derek, cousin Tacora, aunt Celeste, uncle Henry (Liko) and cousin/brother Gwynmar stay strong during these difficult times. I'm confident you will find more comfort and peace in the days/months ahead. I am here for you always. I love you! Hugs!*

*~Cousin/Sister Ramona (Mona) Barksdale 🙏*

**Ramona Barksdale** - November 19, 2022 at 10:22 PM



“ *Barbara McCloud lit a candle in memory of Leslie House*



**Barbara McCloud** - November 19, 2022 at 11:00 AM

DM

“ *Donnell McBride lit a candle in memory of Leslie House*



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**Donnell McBride** - November 19, 2022 at 10:36 AM

LR

“ *Lora Russell lit a candle in memory of Leslie House*



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**Lora Russell** - November 19, 2022 at 09:02 AM

AF

“ *Annie Fields lit a candle in memory of Leslie House*



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**Annie Fields** - November 19, 2022 at 01:51 AM

PM

“ *To Deacon Edward Frazier and Family  
 In loving memory of Mrs. Leslie Rene House Rest in peace & we miss you  
 We will never forget you ‘til we meet again Fond memories you will be dearly missed See you in heaven gone but not forgotten You will live on in our hearts  
 So dearly loved. So sadly missed. God Bless*

*With heartfelt condolences from Pastor Willie Moyer and 1st Lady Mother Lillian Moyer  
 Holy Tabernacle C.O.G.I.C., Bridgeport, CT.,*

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**Pastor Willie Moyer & Lillian Moyer** - November 18, 2022 at 05:07 PM



“ 61 files added to the album *Life Tributes*




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**Congleton Memorial Mortuary** - November 18, 2022 at 12:41 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Leslie Rene House.*




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November 18, 2022 at 12:21 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mrs. Leslie Rene House.*



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November 18, 2022 at 12:02 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Leslie Rene House.*



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November 17, 2022 at 07:19 PM



“ *Our prayers and condolences to house family in the passing of Leslie may God give you strength and peace that surpasses all understanding 🙏🙏 the McBride family*



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**vernita** - November 17, 2022 at 01:20 PM



*Praying for you Tacora and your family. I remember Leslie as being a sweet kind person with a beautiful smile. It is good to see she was blessed with a beautiful life. May God bless you for the minutes, hours, days, months, and years to come. May you be guided by her love for you.*

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**LaShawn and Derrick McBride** - November 18, 2022 at 06:05 PM

ET

“ *Edna Terry lit a candle in memory of Leslie House*



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**Edna Terry** - November 16, 2022 at 11:06 PM

MG

“ *In loving memory of Mrs. Leslie Rene House Rest in peace & we miss you  
We will never forget you 'til we meet again Fond memories you will be dearly missed See you in heaven gone but not forgotten You will live on in our hearts  
So dearly loved. So sadly missed. God Bless*

*With heartfelt condolences from Mother Lillian Gray  
Holy Tabernacle C.O.G.I.C., Bridgeport, CT.,*

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**Mother Lillian Gray** - November 16, 2022 at 07:00 PM

EH

“ *My Thoughts And Prayers Are With The Family.*



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**Evangelist Gwen Hudson** - November 15, 2022 at 09:42 AM

AF

“ *Atkinson Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Leslie House*



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**Atkinson Family** - November 14, 2022 at 08:55 PM

EM

“ *Evelyn Maye lit a candle in memory of Leslie House*



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**Evelyn Maye** - November 14, 2022 at 08:44 PM

RF

“ *Rev. Milton & Delores Staton & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Leslie Rene House*



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**Rev. Milton & Delores Staton & Family** - November 14, 2022 at 01:12 PM

CS

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



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**Congleton Funeral Home and Staff** - November 14, 2022 at 11:22 AM