



## Teresa A. Fowlkes

October 16, 1967 - December 16, 2025

Teresa Ann Lewis Fowlkes, age 58, was born on October 16, 1967, to Oliver Vincent Lewis and Becky Diane Lewis. She peacefully departed this life on December 16, 2025, just two months after her birthday, leaving behind a legacy filled with love, care, and dedication to others.

Teresa began her education at School 83, continued at Creston Middle School, and later attended Warren Central High School, where she graduated in 1985. During her high school years, she truly came into her own. She was confident, full of life, and well loved by those around her. Teresa was very popular and part of a close group of friends known as the “Bad Girls Crew,” friendships she cherished deeply.

After high school, Teresa continued her education at Ivy Tech, where she graduated in the late 1990s as a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN). She dedicated her career to caring for others and worked as an LPN at The Forum at the Crossing Nursing Facility for over

21 years until it closed. Teresa was known for her patience, compassion, and strong work ethic, and she touched many lives through her work in healthcare. Faith and family were at the center of Teresa's life. She attended Antioch Baptist Church with her parents and extended family, where she was a member of the choir in her younger years alongside her brother, cousins, and mother. Teresa was also known for opening her home to others. She loved hosting annual barbecues and neighborhood gatherings, creating a warm and welcoming space filled with laughter, love, and community.

Teresa shared a deep and lasting love with her husband, Andrew Fowlkes Jr. Where the relationship began in 1995 and grew stronger over the years through friendship, commitment, and shared experiences. After nearly twenty years together, they were united in marriage on August 1, 2014, in a private and intimate ceremony that reflected the strength of their bond.

Teresa was a devoted mother to Tiara Banks and Jerry Banks Jr., a loving stepmother to Andrew Fowlkes III, and a proud grandmother to ten grandchildren who brought her endless joy.

She shared especially close relationships with her family, including her Aunt Cheri, who was like a second mother to her, as well as Aunt Inez and Aunt Donna. Teresa

also had  
a sister-like bond with her cousins Heaven (“Tater”) and Jacqueline (“Cissy”),  
having  
grown up together more like siblings than cousins. She was also a loving  
godmother  
and a cherished aunt, cousin, and friend.  
Teresa was preceded in death by her parents, Oliver Vincent Lewis (2019)  
and Becky  
Diane Lewis (1986); her sister, Cynthia Powell; all of her grandparents; and  
other  
beloved family members.

She leaves to cherish her memory with loving husband, Andrew Fowlkes Jr.;;  
her  
children, Tiara Banks and Jerry Banks Jr.;; her stepson, Andrew Fowlkes III;  
her brother,  
Oliver Lewis Jr.;; her grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins,  
extended  
family, and friends.

Teresa Ann Lewis Fowlkes will always be remembered for her beautiful smile,  
generous  
heart, and the way she made everyone feel welcome. Her love and spirit will  
live on in  
all who knew her.

# Cemetery Details

## New Crown Cemetery

2101 Churchman Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46203

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 27. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Quincy J Webster Funeral Chapel  
2805 North Franklin Road  
Indianapolis, IN 46219  
(317) 297-7956

## Funeral

DEC 27. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *RIP Teresa. My prayers go out to Andrew and the rest of her family.*

Hosea Engram - December 26, 2025 at 10:45 PM

KC

“ *Kaye C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Teresa A. Fowlkes.*

Kaye C. - December 26, 2025 at 11:12 AM

TS

“ *Teresa warmed the hearts of all she cared for and worked with at Bloom. I had the pleasure of working with her. Her smile was infectious, her soul deep. My thoughts and prayers are with you all as you mourn your loss and celebrate her homecoming and her memory.*

Tiffini Smith - December 24, 2025 at 07:28 PM

FD

“ *From Coach Jones and Denise planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Teresa A. Fowlkes.*

From Coach Jones and Denise - December 24, 2025 at 09:16 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Teresa A. Fowlkes.*



December 24, 2025 at 09:16 AM



“ *Infracore Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Teresa A. Fowlkes.*

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**Infracore Team** - December 22, 2025 at 01:19 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Teresa A. Fowlkes.*



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