

Homegoing Celebration for

Martha M. Winston

Sunrise
May 15, 1933

Sunset
May 20, 2017



Saturday, May 27, 2017 - 10:00am

Beulah Grove Baptist Church
59-63 Springdale Ave., Newark, NJ 07107
Rev. Cedric J. McKoy, Pastor

Reflections of Life

²⁸ Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. ²⁹ Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. ³⁰ For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light. Matthew 11:28-30



Martha Marie Winston departed this life at the age of 84 on Saturday, May 20, 2017, at Park Crescent Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in East Orange, New Jersey. She was a resident of the facility for six years prior to her death where she received loving and attentive care from all the staff.

Martha was born on May 15, 1933, in Youngsville, Franklin County, North Carolina. She was the oldest daughter of the George and Rebecca Ruth Winston. She was educated in the public school systems of Youngsville and Henderson North Carolina. She was employed with Associated Book Company and Macy's of New Jersey.

Martha was the proud mother of three children: Joseph B. Winston (Melvera), Donna F. Jones, Connie R. Winston. She enjoyed bowling and word search puzzles. She attended Shiloh Baptist Church weekly worship service and Park Crescent Health and Rehabilitation Center.

Martha was incredibly passionate and proud of her family. Nine Grandchildren: Arlisa V. Jones–Williams (Ronald), Denise M. Campbell (Delroy), Ronald H. Winston (aka Hassan), Christopher R. Feggins, Joel L. Jones, Shameeka Winston, Rashan W. Bey (aka EJ), Winston McRae, Chelsea Caldwell (Quana).

Martha had twelve Great-grandchildren: Zaneta R. Fowler, Kendra A. Proctor, Michael D. Proctor, Arabia Winston, Christopher I. Jackson, Terrance M. Owens Jr., Izhane` S. Winston, Takara N. Jones, Ava M. Johnson, Chloe C. Rice, Aliya McRae; Kalani Caldwell; and seven Great-great-grandchildren: Zenel Smith, Asyah Wilson, Arrianna Wilson, Jaden Roberts, Bishop Roberts, Arnet Blanche, Kobe Blanche.

Martha is survived by her three siblings Dorothy M. Reavis, Minnie D. Henderson (Reverend Ronald Henderson) both of Henderson North Carolina, Ann D. Wicks (Leon Wicks) of Bristow, VA.

Martha is survived by two special daughters and one special son: Marsha V. Winston, Lourdes Bateman, Ernest W. Jones Jr.; Her most dear and Special Sister Friend: Betsy Smith and Godson: Scotty Smith, four beloved cousins Claude Eldeson Spivey of Youngsville NC, Nellie Rachel Purefoy of Brooklyn, NY, Lorenzo Debnam of Youngsville NC, Gladys McLaughlin of Youngsville NC. and a host of other, nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives, and friends.

Martha is predeceased in death by her granddaughter, Chanta W. Rice, parents, three aunts, Duval Purefoy, Walia Spivey, Ada Debnam, and cousin, Harvey Spivey.

Order of Service

Organ PreludeBro. Daniel Johnson

Hymn of Comfort..... 27 “Blessed Assurance”

Scriptures

Old Testament.....Deacon Dorothy Johnson- Job 19:25-27

New Testament.....Deaconess Barbara Maybanks - Ephesians 1:6-9

Prayer of ComfortGuided

Selection Sis. Beverly Hunter

Poem: Eternity Arabia Winston

Remarks.....Guided

Acknowledgments/Reflections of Life.....Pastor Gloria Johnson
Study to Show Thyself Approve Ministries

Solo..... Melvera Winston

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Cedric J. McKoy
Beulah Grove Baptist Church, Newark

Recessional

Repast

Beulah Grove Fellowship Hall

Interment

Graceland Memorial Park
Kenilworth, New Jersey

Come With Me

The Lord saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So He put his arms around you
and whispered, "Come with me"

With tearful eyes, we watched you suffer
And saw you fade away,
Although we loved you dearly,
We could not make you stay.

A golden heart stopped beating,
A beautiful smile at rest,
God broke our hearts to prove
He only takes the best.

Floral Bearers



Friends and Family

Pallbearers

Joseph Winston	Rashan W. Bey
Ronald H. Winston	Winston McRae
Joel L. Jones	Michael D. Proctor

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.
Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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