H Celebration of Life

Endia Mize

Sunrise August 7, 1937

Sunset October 4, 2020

Monday, October 12, 2020 - 10am

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<u>Obituary</u>

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven...a time to plant and a time to harvest...As God sows and reaps each tiny seed in the soil, He cares for us from first light and far beyond our earthly toil. (from Ecclesiastes 3:1-8)

Endia Taylor Mize (affectionately called "Sister" by many family members) was born on August 7, 1937 in Littleton, North Carolina to Sadie Watson Taylor and Roger Taylor. In addition to her loving parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Samuel Wayne Taylor and Louis Randall Taylor.

Endia transcended peacefully from this earthly life to eternal life with Jesus Christ on Sunday, October 4, 2020 at St. Luke's Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York.

Endia accepted Christ at an early age and became a member of Mount Olive Baptist Church in Littleton, North Carolina. She graduated from McIver High School in her hometown in 1955. After graduation, she moved to Norfolk, Virginia and later settled in New York City where she became a member of Second Providence Baptist Church. She served in the Choir Ministry and often assisted the Culinary Committee. In later years she was unable to attend services regularly; however, she remained connected to the church through televised ministries. Also, she met and married her husband Jimmy. Her love for her family and friends was shown through phone calls, social gatherings and other forms of communication. Her words of wisdom and her radiant smile will continue to be etched in our fondest memories.

Endia leaves to cherish her memories: her loving and devoted husband, James "Jimmy" Mize; two daughters, Robin Mize Richardson (Michael) and Valerie Mize of New York, New York; one son, James Douglas Mize of New York; her grandchildren, Branden Richardson, Andreas Mize, and Yasmeen Mize; her loving sister and brother, Evelyn T. Outlaw of Ahoskie, North Carolina and Roger L. Taylor of Littleton, North Carolina; two nieces, Shannon L. Outlaw of Fairfax, Virginia and Tara Taylor of New York; a great niece, Tia Taylor of New York, New York; a great niece, neighbors and friends.

Order of Ser<u>wice</u>

Pastor Kyshawn White, Officiating

Processional

Selection "It Is Well With My Soul"

Scripture Readings Pastor Kyshawn White Old Testament - Psalm 121 New Testament - 2 Corinthians 1:3-5

> **Prayer** Pastor Kyshawn White

Selection "His Eye Is On The Sparrow"

> Acknowledgements Connie Lewis

Expressions (2 Minutes)

Obituary Connie Lewis

Selection "One Day At a Time"

Eulogy Pastor Kyshawn White

Committal

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery Linden, New Jersey

A Fallen Limb

A limb has fallen from the family tree. I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me. Remember the best times, the laughter, the song. The good life I lived while I was strong. Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you. Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through. My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest. Remembering all, how I truly was blessed. Continue traditions. no matter how small. Go on with your life, don't worry about falls. I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin. Until the day comes When we're together again."

- Author Unknown

Lovingly Submitted...The Family

Heknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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