

*Celebrating the Life of*



*Mae Frances Hutchinson*

**Sunrise**  
**July 25, 1936**

**Sunset**  
**June 25, 2021**

**Memorial Service**  
**Friday, July 2, 2021 - 11:00 a.m.**

**Mt. Moriah Baptist Church**  
9-11 Tulip Street, Passaic, New Jersey  
**Rev. William Baskerville, Jr., Officiating**  
**J.E. Williams, Organist**

# Obituary

Mae Frances (McNair) Hutchinson was born on July 25, 1936, in Randolph County, NC. She was the daughter of the late John James and Clara Eula Jane (Freeman) McNair.

She attended the Randolph County Public School System, before relocating to Passaic, NJ where she graduated from Passaic High School.

Mae was a jack of all trades, master of none. She was employed as a seamstress for many years, and also as a bartender (mixologist). Before she was no longer able to make it up and down her stairs, she loved to work in her garden. She had great joy watching her fruits and vegetables grow.

On May 25, 1958, she wed Joseph Hutchinson Jr., who preceded her in death in September of 1986.

Affectionately known as “Sweet Mae”, “Nana”, “Foxy” and lastly “White Girl”, she loved the outdoors, sports, and planning family gatherings. During the holidays, everyone would gather at Mae's house. If there was a football or basketball championship, the party was at Mae's! She just loved people and all the love that she would receive.

She was also a caregiver to many children. She considered all of them her babies. She continued caring for them, until she was no longer able to run after them!

Mae was a member of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church- Passaic, NJ. She along with her sister, were members of “The Grace Gospel Singers”.

On Friday, June 25, 2021, Our Heavenly Father called Mae home.

She is reunited with her husband; Joseph Hutchinson Jr., and her sisters; Bessie Mae Edwards, and Donnell Virginia Truesdale, all of whom preceded her in death.

She is survived by her four children; Joan Lorraine Hutchinson Sneed (Randy), Joseph Tyrone Hutchinson (Deborah), John Eric Hutchinson (Coretta), and Janine Antoinette Hutchinson Winfrey (Danny); eight grandchildren; Marquis, Janell, Theodore Joseph, Alice, and Joseph Jr., all of NJ, and Danny II, Dannisha, and Davon, all of Georgia, along with seven great grandchildren. She also leaves behind her best friends; Eleanor Council (whom she has know for 53 years), Barbara McKoy, Ruby Hand, Loretta Pleasant, and Ethel Bolden and Lois Booker; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

# Order of Service

THE PRELUDE ..... BRO. LAWRENCE MITCHELL

SELECTION..... BRO. WILLIAM MOORE

SCRIPTURAL READING ..... DEACON JOHN HUTCHINSON

JOB 19:25

JOHN 14:15-19

THE PRAYER OF COMFORT ..... DEACON WILLIE GREEN

REMARKS FROM FAMILY REMARKS FROM FRIENDS

(LIMIT 2 MINUTES)

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/TRIBUTES/RESOLUTIONS

THE OBITUARY

SELECTION ..... BRO. WILLIAM MOORE

THE EULOGY ..... REV. DR. WILLIAM F. BASKERVILLE, JR.

PASTOR MT. MORIAH BAPTIST CHURCH

REMARKS FUNERAL DIRECTOR

BENEDICTION.....PASTOR BASKERVILLE

## Cremation

Cedar Lawn Crematory  
Paterson, New Jersey

## *To Those I Love*

To those I love and those that love me,  
When I am gone, release me, let me go  
I have so many things to see and do  
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears  
Be happy that we had so many years.  
I gave you my love, you can only guess  
How much you gave me in happiness  
I thank you for the love you each have shown  
But now it's time I travel alone  
So grieve for a while for me if you must  
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.  
It's only for a while that we must part  
So bless the memories within your heart  
I won't be far away, for life goes on  
So if you need me, call and I will come  
Though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near  
And if you listen with your heart you'll hear  
All my love around you so soft and clear  
And then, when you must come this way alone  
I'll greet you with a smile and say,  
"Welcome Home."  
-Author unknown

## *Acknowledgment*

The family of the late **Mae Frances Hutchinson** wishes to thank all of you for your prayers, messages of comfort and the many other acts of kindness shown during our hour of bereavement.  
May God continue to bless you in a very special way.

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