## A Mother's Love

A mother's love is everlasting though
the flesh is gone. The memories of joy
and laughter will still live on I will
always miss your voice and your
presence I will remember all of the
times we shared. Don't worry I will
move on as I get in my car listening to
your favorite song, "I'll Always Love My Mama"
- I know life still goes on as I
start my days and end my nights my
mother's love will embrace me tight.
Feeling your presence and knowing
you're there letting me know I have
nothing to fear.

-Helen Steiner Rice

## **Acknowledgement**

The family of **Maudestine Greenlee** would like to acknowledge with deep appreciation all of the kindness extended to them during this time of our bereavement. May God in his mercy bless all of you for your many prayers, kindness, thoughtfulness, concerns, and support in this time of mourning.

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## Celebrating The Life of

Maudestine Greenlee



Sunrise July 28, 1930

Sunset November 22, 2022

Service
Tuesday, December 6, 2022 - 11:00 AM

Philemon Baptist Church

246 Shephard Ave • Newark, NJ Rev. Edward Allen, Officiating





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Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

**Prayer of Comfort** 

Selection

Remarks (Two minutes each please)

Acknowledgements

**Obituary** 

Selection

Eulogy

Recessional

Interment Hollywood Memorial Park Union, NJ Maudestine (Maudie S.) Greenlee was born July 28, 1930 in Gordon, Georgia to the late Lula Williams and William Lowe.

She departed this life on Tuesday afternoon, November 22, 2022 at South Mountain Rehab and Nursing Home in Union (Vauxhall), New Jersey.

Maude was educated in Georgia Public School system in Williamson County.

Maudestine sold Avon for over 40 years, and was sometimes called the Avon Lady, which she won many awards for selling large amounts of Avon.

After coming to Newark, NJ. Maude united with Philemon Baptist Church where she was a long and faithful member at Philemon Baptist Church. She was also a member of the senior choir and she also started over 40 years ago at Philemon, their first family and friends day, which brought many members, families and friends out to the church to celebrate family and friends day. Maude loved going to church each and every Sunday. Maude love dressing

for church in her fancy attire with her many fancy hats and shoes to match.

Maude also loved traveling to many of her yearly family reunions, whether near or far she would be there. Maude loved her family so much! Maude also loved giving bus rides.

Maude was preceded in death by her four sisters, Ida M. Pitts (who was her BFF) of Newark, NJ, Evelyn Hall-Allen of Knoxville, TN and Rosa and Louise Lowe; three brothers William Lowe and Solomon Lowe of Newark, NJ and Willie Lowe of Detroit, Mich.

Maude leaves to cherish her memories: one loving and attentive son, Michael Greenlee (Pier Greenlee) of Newark, NJ; loving daughter, Marguerite Coachman of Rosewell, Georgia; five grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; a very dear friend, Mrs. Elsie Best; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.