

FLOWER BEARERS

Ideal Club and Parent Body

PALL BEARERS

Stewards and Trustees

A Mother's Love

*A Mother's Love is like an island in life's ocean vast and wide,
A peaceful, quiet shelter from the restless, rising tide ...
A Mother's Love is like a fortress and we seek protection there
When the waves of tribulation seem to drown us in despair ...
A Mother's Love's a sanctuary where our souls can find sweet rest
From the struggle and the tension of life's fast and futile quest ...
A Mother's Love is like a tower rising far above the crowd,
And her smile is like the sunshine breaking through a threatening cloud ...
A Mother's Love is like a beacon burning bright with Faith and Prayer,
And through the changing scenes of life we can find a Haven There ...
For A Mother's Love is fashioned after God's enduring love,
It is endless and unfailing like the love of Him above ...
For God knew in His great wisdom that He couldn't be everywhere,
So He put His Little children in a Loving Mother's care.*

-Helen Steiner Rice

Our Sincere Thanks...

You have understood our loss,
and demonstrated your friendship.
You have felt our loss and offered your prayers.
You have seen our need and rendered your love.
We are eternally grateful to you for
The gift of friendship, prayer and loving support.

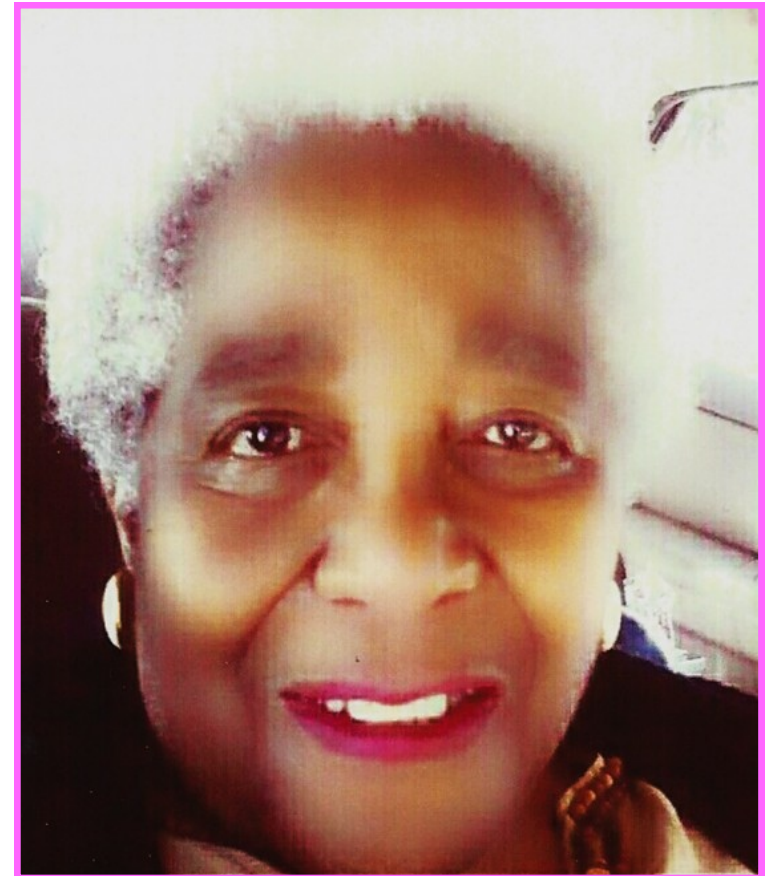
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HOME-GOING CELEBRATION OF LOVE AND REMEMBRANCE FOR

Mrs. Catherine Davis McMillian



**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2018
2:00 PM**

**GOLER MEMORIAL A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
620 PATTERSON AVENUE
WINSTON-SALEM, NORTH CAROLINA**

REVEREND DR. GEORGE C. BANKS, PASTOR/OFFICIATING

OBITUARY

Mrs. Catherine Davis McMillian was born to the late John and Helen Reynolds Davis in Forsyth County, North Carolina on April 23, 1931.

She worked as textile inspector for Highland Industries in Kernersville, North Carolina. And she was the first African-American to retire from the company.

Mrs. McMillian was a member of Goler Memorial AME Zion Church where she faithfully served as a charter member of the Ideal Club and Parent Body, past superintendant of Sunday School, Co-founder of the Church's Orange Drive, a missionary and a member of the Gospel Choir, until declining health limited her active participation.

She never stopped telling of the goodness of Jesus and often delivered jewels of information about Black History. She enjoyed cooking and shopping but enjoyed nothing as much as she enjoyed the time that she shared with her family and friends.

Mrs. Catherine Davis McMillian passed away on Thursday, February 8, 2018 at Forsyth Medical Center following a period of illness. She was preceded in death by her husband, Eddie McMillian; daughter, Deborah McMillian; sister, Ruthie Mae; a grandson, Dennard Crump; and a great grandson, Christian McMillian.

Those family members who survive and who will forever cherish loving memories of her include her daughters, Shanata (Robert) McMillian-Shepard and Barbara (Prentiss) McMillian-Taylor; grandchildren, Larry (Val) McMillian, Sharon McMillian-Stephens and Eddie McMillian, II; eight great grandchildren; six great-great grandchildren; a brother-in-law, Eugene McMillian; a loving and devoted niece, Willette McMillian; dear friends, Claudette Boyd, Gloria McIver, Rose and Mr. and Mrs. James and Joyce Brown; a special roommate, Bessie; and several extended family members and many other friends.

Processional

Clergy and Family

Family Visitations

1:00 p.m.—2:00 p.m.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Song

Choir/Congregation

Old and New Testament Scripture Reading

Minister

Prayer of Comfort

Reverend Dr. James B. Hunt

Solo

Mrs. Dorothy Brame

“The Blood”

Church Resolution

Goler Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church

The Family Tribute

Solo

Mrs. Betty Dickey

“One More Sunny Day”

Eulogy

Reverend Dr. George C. Banks
Pastor, Goler Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church, Winston-Salem, NC

Recessional

The Interment

Parklawn Memorial Park
Winston-Salem, NC

