

Until We Meet Again

When my life on Earth is done, I know you will be sad. For you will miss the body, that once my spirit clad. But look at this thru my eyes and maybe you will see. There is no need for sadness, for love's surrounding me. I'm here with God in heaven. No pain, no hurt, just joy. Beauty that I can't describe and man cannot destroy. For all of us have purpose. Our souls are meant to grow. We teach, we learn, we suffer and then it's time to go. You may not comprehend it, but soon I hope you see, that this is how God planned it. We're where we're meant to be. When your earthly journey is finally at an end. You and I will come together once again. (By Donna Schilling)

Acknowledgements

The family of Mother Mary M. Patterson wishes to acknowledge and thank everyone for their prayers, telephone calls, love gifts, cards, food, words of encouragement, deeds of kindness, visitations and thoughts of love, in their time of bereavement. God bless each of you.

Pallbearers

Mark Barnes - Michael Barnes - Bryant Constant
Jeffrey Constant Jr. - Stanley A. Constant II - Shawn Ewans,
Sterling Grant - Ahmad Muhammad

Honorary Pallbearers

Darrell L. Patterson - Jesse Constant

Flowerbearers

Great granddaughters and granddaughters

Repast: St Phillips Episcopal, 166 Woodland Ave, Columbus, Ohio 43203
(following burial service).

To offer condolences to The Patterson Family,
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Homegoing Celebration of



Mary M. Patterson

January 21, 1941 - January 24, 2024

Friday, February 2, 2024

Visitation: 10:00am Service: 11:00am

Emmanuel Tabernacle Baptist Church
331 N. Garfield Ave., Columbus, OH 43203

Min. S. Hamilton, Officiating Minister
Elder K. Majors and Bishop E. Mitchell, Eulogizing Ministers

Obituary

Mary M. Patterson 83, of Columbus, Ohio entered into eternal rest on January 24, 2024.

Mary, affectionately known as 'Mag' to many, was born January 21, 1941, to the late Stoney Jones and Eva J. Johnson, in McDowell County, West Virginia. Mary graduated from Elkhorn High School in 1959. After graduation, she furthered her education by taking business courses and earning various Certifications. Mary started her career in public service as a Case Worker, with the Department of Human Services in Welch, West Virginia. In 1971 she relocated to Columbus, Ohio while continuing her career in public service. Mary retired after 27 years of service with the State of Ohio – OBES/JFS Unemployment Division. Mary also worked as a tax preparer in her spare time. Mary loved to read, cook, shop, and spend time with family and friends. One of her greatest joys was hosting holidays dinners and cookouts.

Mary devoted her life to serving God and was a faithful member of Emmanuel Tabernacle Baptist Church of Apostolic Faith. She was the National Church Mother and served on the Trustee and Deaconess Boards. For many years, she was the President of the Women's Auxiliary Board. Mary was committed to serving God and others.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents, Stoney Jones and Eva J. Johnson; two brothers, Earl and Clinton Jones; sister, Lee Anna Toler; brothers-in-law, James and Dwight Patterson; stepdaughters, Rita Greene, Phyllis Constant; nieces, Revenda "Wanda" (Jones) Taylor and Phyllis (Toler) Hatcher.

Mary was a faithful friend and loved her family unconditionally. She leaves to cherish her memory and legacy, loving spouse of fifty plus years, Robert L. Patterson Sr.; sister, Barbara J. Brown; sisters-in-law, Sherri E. Jackson and Zena (Tim) Ferguson; children, Deborah (Thad) Stockton, Clintonia M. Constant, Jeffrey D. (DeSandra) Constant, Stanley A. Constant, Shelia V. (Manuel) Lopez, Lenora E. Patterson, Tammy S. (Chris) Grant, Robert L. Patterson Jr. Darrell (Meike) Patterson, over 50 grandchildren, and great-grandchildren combined; special nephews and nieces, Gaylord, Tony, John/"Rip", Lamontay, Chequita "Quata", Angela, Lavette, Anita, Pequita "Pep", Hope; and a host of extended family and friends including Elinora Justice and Ginnette Andrews. She informally adopted, and was adopted, by others becoming the mother and grandmother to many from the neighborhood, church, and work.

Order of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE/PROCESSIONAL..	Clergy Members
MISTRESS OF CEREMONY.....	Evangelist Senorita Hamilton
SCRIPTURE READING	
Old Testament.....	Psalms 27.....Karen Mitchell
New Testament.....	Romans 12:1-2.....Min. Maurice Mitchell
PRAYER OF COMFORT.....	Bishop Charles Brown
SELECTION.....	Chequita Evergin
REMARKS	Bishop John Duff (Pastor) Mother Barbara Brown
OBITUARY	Read Silently
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES	Angela Allen
TRIBUTE – THE BEST OF GRANDMA ..	Grandchildren Mark, Bianca, Jessica, Bronshay and grand ladies
REFLECTIONS BY FAMILY.....	
PRAISE/WORSHIP MEDLEY..	Music Director Keith D. Mathis

The Eulogy

Elder Kathleen Majors and Bishop Edward Mitchell

BENEDICTION.....	
RECESSIONAL.....	Clergy, Family, and Friends

Interment

Eastlawn Cemetery