

# BETHEL

## African Methodist Episcopal Church

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**November 16, 2025 @ 10:30 a.m.**



*Forty-First Year Anniversary  
of  
The Memorial Board*

*"Gone, But Not Forgotten"*

**The Rev. Brandon L. Thornton, *Pastor***

The Rev. Charles A. Lewis, *Presiding Elder, The Mobile District*  
Bishop Julius H. McAllister Jr., *Presiding Prelate, 9<sup>th</sup> Episcopal District*

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The Rev. Irmatine Chastang, *Itinerant Elder*  
The Rev. Pamela Greene-Irby, *Itinerant Deacon*

# **The Order of Worship**

## **Sis. Megan C. Sanders, Worship Leader**

**The Prelude .....Holy, Holy, Holy..... The Musicians**  
**The Doxology ..... “Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow” .....**

Praise God from whom all blessing flow: Praise Him all creatures here below: Praise Him  
above ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

**The Call to Worship ..... Sis. Meagan C. Sanders**  
**Leader:** Beloved, this is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Today we assemble as the Church of the living God, giving honor to the saints of Bethel who  
have gone from labor to reward.

**People:** Thanks be to God, who has kept us by His power and surrounded us with a great cloud  
of witnesses.

**Leader:** We come standing on the shoulders of those who prayed in this place, served in this  
vineyard, sacrificed for this ministry, and walked faithfully before us.

**People:** Their memory strengthens us. Their legacy inspires us. Their works yet speak.

**Leader:** The God of our mothers and fathers is still God today—the God who led us through  
danger seen and unseen, the God who held this church through every season, the God who  
called our loved ones home and still walks with us on the journey.

**People:** We bless His name, for the Lord is our refuge and our strength, a very present help in  
time of trouble.

**Leader:** Let us worship the One who is Alpha and Omega, the First and the Last, the Keeper of  
our souls and the Comforter of our hearts.

**People:** We lift our voices in praise and thanksgiving, for the Lord is worthy to be praised.

**Leader:** Saints of God, let us enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise.

**All:** We worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness! We honor the lives of the saints who have  
gone before us! And we give glory to God for a legacy that still lives!

Amen.

**The Morning Hymn.....The Voices of Praise and Congregation**

**The Hymn of Praise.....Choir & Congregation**

***“What a Friend We Have in Jesus” – No 323***

**Verse: 1**

What a friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry Everything to God in prayer!  
O what peace we often forfeit, O what needless pain we bear,  
All because we do not carry Everything to God in prayer!

**Verse: 2**

Have we trials and temptation? Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged; Take it to the Lord in prayer.  
Can we find a friend so faithful Who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness; Take it to the Lord in prayer.

**Verse: 3**

Are we weak and heavy laden, Cumbered with a load of care?  
Precious Savior, still our refuge: Take it to the Lord in prayer.  
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
In His arms he'll take and shield thee; Thou wilt find a solace there.

**The Morning Invocation .....Bro. Joshua Peterson**

**The Choral Response .....Bad Boys of Bethel Choir & Congregation**

**“Thank You, Lord” – No 531 (AAHH)**

**Thank You, Lord, thank You, Lord, thank You, Lord.**

**I just want to thank You, Lord.**

**Been so good, been so good, been so good,**

**I just want to thank You, Lord.**

**The Scripture ..... Read Responsively .....Mason Robinson**

**A Cloud of Witnesses” — Responsive scriptural Reading**

***(Hebrews 12:1; Psalm 27:1; Psalm 116:15; Revelation 14:13)***

Leader: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses — *(Hebrews 12:1)*

**People: Let us lay aside every weight and run with patience the race set before us. *(Hebrews 12:1)***

Leader: The Lord is my light and my salvation;  
whom shall I fear? *(Psalm 27:1)*

**People: The Lord is the strength of my life;  
of whom shall I be afraid? *(Psalm 27:1)***

Leader: Today we remember the witnesses who walked before us in faith. *(Hebrews 11:4; Hebrews 12:1)*

**People: Their testimonies strengthen our steps.  
Their legacy lights our path. *(Hebrews 11:4)***

Leader: Precious in the sight of the Lord  
is the death of His faithful ones. *(Psalm 116:15)*

**People: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord,  
for they rest from their labor. *(Revelation 14:13)***

Leader: And their works still speak. *(Hebrews 11:4)*

**All: Thanks be to God for the saints who have gone before us. Amen.**

**The Prelude to the Decalogue ..... *From All That Dwell Below the Skies*    Hymn No. 69**

*From all that dwell below the skies, Let the Creator's praise arise; Let the Redeemer's name be  
sung, Through every land by every tongue.*

**The Decalogue ..... Sis. Melanie Robinson**

LEADER: Let us express our commitment to keep God's law.

**PEOPLE: God of our salvation, only You are God. We will make no idols. We will not invoke with malice Your name, O God. We will remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy. We will honor our father and our mother. We will not commit murder. We will not commit adultery. We will not steal. We will not be a false witness. We will not covet anything that belongs to our neighbor.**

**SING: NEARER MY GOD TO THEE!**

LEADER: Jesus said: "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment.

**PEOPLE: Jesus also challenged us with a sacred commandment which is like the first: We shall love our neighbor as our self! On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets. (THE ANVIL, 2018)**

***The Gloria Patri***

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

**Selection.....Bad Boys of Bethel Choir**

**The Acknowledgement of Visitors, Welcome and Announcements.... Sis. Morgan Peterson**

**The Occasion.....Sis. Ann Brown**

**Window Memorials.....Sis. Meagan Sanders**

**Altar Memorials.....Sis. Meagan Sanders**

**Pictorial Presentation.....**

**The Giver's Affirmation**

This is my seed. It shall meet all my needs.

I give it today, because I obey—my God and His command.

My tithe is out of Love and obedience . My offering is my sacrifice.

My return shall be magnified, because I've learned to give right.

I'm the head and not the tail, a lender and not a borrower, on top and not beneath.

Because I give, I am blessed— in the city and in the field.

I'm blessed because I give my God my best.

Today and every day, I am blessed!

**The Bringing of the Tithes and Offering**

**Introduction of the Preacher.....Pastor Thornton**

**Selection .....The Bad Boys of Bethel Choir**

**The Preached Word .....Rev. Richard Carter,  
Retired**

**The Invitation to Christian Discipleship**

**Remarks.....Sis. Ann G. Cockrell**

**The Affirmation of Faith**

I believe in GOD the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. The third day He arose from the dead, He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of GOD the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the Church Universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

**The Benediction .....Pastor Thornton**

**The Postlude ..... The Musicians**

## **People being Healed**

Sis. Ann Coleman  
Sis. Latasha Hall  
Bro. Claude Hollings, III  
Sis. Lillie Johnson

Sis. Anita Lewis  
Sis. Deborah Mack  
Bro. David McCall  
Bro. Ulysses McNeail

Sis. Carolyn Oliver  
Sis. Nicole Rocker  
Sis. Geneva Williams  
Sis. Viola Wills

## **Prayer List**

### **Rev. Brandon L. Thornton and First Lady Shandra Thornton**

Sis. Ardelia Andrews  
Sis. Amelia Cade Bacon  
Sis. Mary Bennett  
Bro. Ronnie Blackmon  
Sis. Emmer Bryant  
Rev. Irmatine Chastang  
Sis. Annie G. Cockrell  
Bro. Chris & Sis. Lenor Drexler  
Sis. Vernet Giles

Sis. Rosa Gordon  
Sis. Julia James  
Rev. Donna James' Mother  
Sis. Faydene Morris  
Bro. Tamyrick Nunn  
Sis. Jackie Erskine-Porter  
Sis. Aquilla Rush  
Bro. John Rush  
Sis. Tataneshia Rush

Sis. Diane Smith  
Bro. Eddie Smith  
Sis. Omega Taylor  
Sis. Katherine Parker-Williams  
Bro. Charles Wills, Jr  
Sis. Donna Wills  
Bro. Ronald Witherspoon  
Sis. Vanessa Young-Dickerson

## **Bereavement**

*Please keep the following families in prayer:*

**Dunn/Greene/Giddens Families**

**Sis. Margaret Dale Clark Family**

**Sis. Shirley Jones Family**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Presiding Elder's Planning meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 25, 6:00pm at Emmanuel AME Church.**

### **Weekly Activities**

- **Sunday Church School** – 9:00 AM
- **Bible Study** – Will resume in December
- **Communion for Sick & Shut-In** – Wednesday after 1st Sunday.  
Call the church office to schedule: 251-206-0013

### **Church Office Hours**

- Tuesday–Friday | 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM  
Contact: 251-206-0013



### **Key Contacts**

- **Facility Needs** – Sis. Dorothy Crittenden | 251-391-2810
- **Announcements** – Sis. Emma Prince | 251-554-6259
- **Admin Office** – | 251-206-0013
- **Pastor** – Rev. Brandon L. Thornton | 334-614-9217



### **Bethel's College Students**

#### ***Pray for their Success***

Kennedy Black,  
Alivia Cannon,  
Chelsea Cooper,  
Khelsea Cooper,  
Sarah Fair

Kellen Fairley,  
Marlon Fairley  
Ethan Oliver  
Jazzlyn Gaillard  
Kierra Giles,

Samiah Morris,  
Jalen Prince-Woodland,  
Winston Salter,  
Wynstonee Salter

### **BETHEL HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **Happy Birthday for this week November Birthdays**

Bush, Sis. Destiny	November 16
Sykes, Sis. Aubrey V.	November 19
McGlasker, Bro. William	November 21
Moore, Sis. Angelia B.	November 21
Wills, Sis. Viola E.	November 22

## Biography of Rev. Richard R. Carter, Jr.

Rev. Richard R. Carter, Jr., is a native of Valley, Alabama. He is the son of Richard and Louise Carter. Rev. Carter was educated in the public school system of Chambers County, Alabama. He is a 1965 graduate of the former Rehobeth High School. After he graduated from Rehobeth, Rev. Carter continued his education at Alabama State University in Montgomery, Alabama. In 1969 he received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Physical Education and a minor in Biology. Rev. Carter also holds a Master's of Education Degree in School Administration from Troy University in Troy, Alabama, (1998) and a certificate in Driver's Education from Albany State University in Albany, Georgia.

Because of his love for teaching, Coach Carter, as he is affectionately called, has impacted the lives of many students throughout both Alabama and Georgia. From 1969 to 1972, Rev. Carter taught Biology at Bullock County High School in Union Springs, Alabama. He served as an assistant football and basketball coach at Bullock County High. After he left Bullock County Coach Carter worked for the Chamber County as well as the Lanett City School systems. Among the positions that he has held are 8<sup>th</sup> grade science teacher at W.F. Burns Middle School, ISS Coordinator at Sikes Middle School in Lanett, AL, Physical Education and Health instructor at Greenville Middle School, Drivers' Education instruction at Greenville High School and Drivers' Education instructor at Lanett High School.

Coach Carter's coaching ability has led him to coach football and basketball at W.F. Burns Middle School. He led the Running Rams of Valley High School, as the head basketball coach, to several state final appearances. In 2001 he became the head basketball coach at Greenville Middle School in Greenville, GA, and later he became the head basketball coach at Greenville High School. There he led his team to state finals in Georgia. Before retiring, he was the head basketball coach at Lanett High School where he has directed his team to three consecutive state championship titles in 2016, 2017 and 2018, a feat which is rarely achieved. Because of his coaching competence, talent and skill, Coach Carter was inducted into the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame in 2017.

No greater event in his life outweighs the call that Rev. Richard Carter received in 1976 from Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ to preach the Gospel. He was licensed and ordained at Mt. Zion AME Church in Opelika, AL, his home church. He is the former pastor of Gaines Chapel AME Church in Phenix City, Alabama. Through his teaching, ministering and preaching Gaines Chapel became one of the fastest growing AME churches in the state of Alabama. While he served there, a multimillion dollar, sanctuary and fellowship hall was built. Rev. Carter is immediate past pastor of Nichols Chapel AME Church in Phenix City, AL. In November of 2023 Rev. Carter was retired from the pastorate in AME Church.

The joys of Pastor Carter's life are his two daughters, Crystal and Cynae (Jabu), and his adoring four grandchildren, Caleb, Cy Loraine, Carter and Chauncey Dean. On September 13, 2015, Pastor Carter united in marriage to the lovely Brenda Robinson Goodwin. Together Pastor Carter and Brenda hope to foster an atmosphere of joy, peace, love, and hope among the congregates wherever they worship. Their desire is to lead people to the realization that God is truly the center of all our Joy. Pastor Carter's philosophy is "Be as persistent as the Devil but as patient as Job." STAY IN HIS GRIP.



## **SERMON APPLICATION**

### **HEARING GOD'S WORD IN THE SERMON**

*Since we forget 90% of what we hear, it has been suggested that note-taking will double the percentage of what we may receive during the hearing of God's Word.*

### **PARTICIPATE IN THE SERMON**

SERMON SCRIPTURE: \_\_\_\_\_

SERMON TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

SUPPORTING SCRIPTURES: \_\_\_\_\_

### **THE OUTLINE OF THE MAIN POINTS:**

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**WHAT WAS GOD SAYING SPECIFICALLY TO ME DURING THE SERMON?**

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## The Memorial Board

### Officers:

**Sister Anne G. Cockrell, President**

**Sister Megan Crum Sanders, Recording Secretary**

**Sister Ann Brown, Financial Secretary**

### **Members:**

**Sister Ann Brown**

**Sister Carolyn Brown**

**Sister Rosalind Crum**

**Sister Megan Crum Sanders**

**Sister Morgan Crum-Peterson**

**Sister Vernell Giles**

**Sister Quida Mitchell**

**Sister Melanie Robinson**

**Sister Fannie McCampbell**



## Window Memorials

<b>Candle Donor</b>	<b>Relation</b>	<b>In Memory Of</b>
Mrs. Elverna McCants Abston	Husband	Dr. Nathaniel Abston, Jr.
Mrs. Elverna McCants-Abston	Mother	Mrs. Edith W. McCants
Mrs. Amelia Bacon	Father	Mr. Richard D. Cade, Sr.
Ms. Beverly Black	Mother	Mrs. Annie Mae Black
Mr. David Black	Father	Mr. Nathaniel Black
Ms. Ann Y. Brown	Mother	Mrs. Alean E. Brown
Ms. Ann Y. Brown	Grandmother	Mrs. Annie Edwards
Ms. Ann Y. Brown	Great-Great-Grandmother	Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson
Ms. Ann Y. Brown	Aunt	Mrs. Willie Mae Spence
Ms. Ann Y. Brown	Aunt	Mrs. Mary E. Hall
Ms. Carolyn Brown	Father	Mr. Lucious Brown
Ms. Carolyn Brown	Great Aunt	Mrs. Elizabeth Fielder
Ms. Jeanie Callier	Cousin	Ms. Tamara Callier
Ms. Gloria Cox	Friend	Mr. Leon "Peaches" Robinson
Ms. Gloria Cox	Friend	Mr. Joseph Pettaway, Sr.
Ms. Gloria Cox	Friend	Ms. Maxine Lindsey
Ms. Gloria Cox	Friend	Mr. Willie Shavers
Mrs. Anne Cockrell	Grandfather	Mr. Henry J. Mills, Sr.
Mrs. Anne Cockrell	Son	Mr. Marc Gordon
Mrs. Verma Coleman	Mother	Mrs. Verma B. Williams
Mr. Earnest Coleman, Jr.	Grandfather	Mr. Johnnie Williams, Sr.
Ms. Barbara Crawford	Brother	Mr. Labarron Smith
Dale Family	Father	Mr. Mack Dale
Dale Family	Sister	Miss Lena "Sis" Dale
Dale Family	Mother	Mrs. Dorothy Dale
Mrs. Lindell B. Dillard	Husband	Mr. William "Bill" Dillard
Ms. Angela Dock	Mother	Mrs. Deloris Mitchell
Ms. Angela Dock	Father	Mr. James Beverly
Ms. Angela Dock	Mother	Mrs. Delilah W. Beverly
Ms. Angela Dock	Aunt	Mrs. Mary Carolyn Radcliff
Ms. Danita Forbes	Mother	Mrs. Audrey Forbes
Ms. Danita Forbes	Grandmother	Mrs. Eraslee Mack
Ms. Danita Forbes	Grandfather	Mr. Junior Mack
Mrs. Mamie Giles	Brother	Rev. John Collins
Mrs. Vernet Giles	Grandson	Master Eddie Giles, III
Mrs. Vernet Giles & Mr. Darry Sanders	Mother	Mrs. Edna Rice
Ms. Rosa Gordon	Mother	Mrs. Rosalie M. Gordon
The Goubil Family	Father	Mr. Robert Goubil
The Goubil Family	Mother	Mrs. Irma Goubil
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Father-in-Law	Mr. Charles Greene, Sr.
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Mother-in-Law	Mrs. Mary Louise Greene
Ms. Charlotte Greene	Uncle	Mr. Joseph Greene
Mrs. Shirley Hendricks	Husband	Mr. Walter Lee Hendricks
Mrs. May Frances Henry	Mother	Mrs. Inez Abrams
Mrs. Alberta Howard	Aunt	Mrs. Janie Cuffey
Mrs. Alberta Howard	Uncle	Mr. Clarence Cuffey
Ms. Barbara M. Hodnett	Mother	Ms. Mary Alice Milton
Ms. Barbara M. Hodnett	Father	Mr. Samuel "King" Milton
Mr. Bernard Howard	Father	Rev. P. H. Lewis, Sr.
Mr. Bernard Howard	Brother	Mr. Reginald Howard
Mr. Freddie Howard Family	Wife/Mother	Mrs. Doris W. Howard
Rev. Percy Jones Family	Mother	Mrs. Irma D. Singleton
Ms. Carolyn Jordan	Father	Mr. Lawrence Mills, Sr.

Ms. T. Lang  
Mrs. Alice G. Lewis-Hutchinson  
Mrs. Alice G. Lewis Hutchinson

Mrs. Alice G. Lewis Hutchinson  
Ms. Debra Mack  
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Ms. Angela Pompey May  
Mrs. Fannie McCampbell  
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Mrs. Betty Mixon  
Mrs. Faydene Morris  
Mrs. Faydene Morris  
Mr. Lewelyn Oliver, III  
Pettaway Family  
Ms. Alice Pope  
Ms. Alice Pope  
Ms. Alice Pope  
Mrs. Shelia Pruitt  
Mrs. Connie Purifoy  
Mr. Joseph Rodrigues  
Mr. Joseph Rodrigues  
Mr. John Rush  
Mr. Darry Sanders  
Ms. LaShea Smith  
Mrs. Diane Smith  
Smith Brothers  
Mrs. Geralyn Stevens  
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Mr. Carl Sykes, Sr.  
Mrs. Charlotte Sykes  
Ms. Linda Sykes  
Mrs. Mary M. Turner  
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Mrs. Willie Mae Warmack  
Mr. Charles Williams, Sr.  
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Aunt  
Sister  
Nephew  
God-Mother  
Great Aunt  
Grandmother

Mrs. Brenda Lang  
Mr. Kenneth H. Lewis  
Mrs. Jenice Mack  
  
Mr. David Mack  
Mr. Walter Dunn  
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## Altar Memorials

<u>Candle Donor</u>	<u>Relation</u>	<u>In Memory Of</u>
Mrs. Elverna McCants Abston	Sister	Ms. Yvonne Jackson
Mrs. Elverna McCants Abston	Brother	Mr. Randolph McCant, Jr.
Mrs. Elvenia McCants Abston	Brother	Mr. Samuel B. McCants
Mr. Khalid A. Abston	Grandfather	Mr. Randolph McCants, Sr.
Miss Jamila Abston	Grandmother	Mrs. Minnie L. Abston
Mrs. Amelia Bacon	Sister	Mrs. Agnes Cade Walker
Mrs. Amelia Bacon	Brother	Mr. William Cade, Jr.
Mrs. Amelia Bacon	Mother	Mrs. Alma Cade
Mrs. Amelia Bacon	Husband	Mr. David Bacon
Mr. Tyrus Black	Aunt	Mrs. Rosetta B. Baynes
Mrs. Geraldine Blackwell	Mother	Mrs. Vicky B. Mitchell
Mrs. Geraldine Blackwell	Sister-in Law	Dr. Velma Blackwell
Ms. Ann Brown	Cousin	Mrs. Wilma M. Gibson
Ms. Ann Brown	Friend	Mrs. Emma Knowles
Ms. Ann Brown	Uncle	Mr. Howard M. Edwards
Ms. Ann Brown	Great-Grandmother	Mrs. Mary McNier
Ms. Ann Brown	Grandmother	Mrs. Mamie Brown
Ms. Carolyn Brown	Cousin	Ms. Pamela Edwards
Ms. Carolyn Brown	Great Aunt	Mrs. Martha Dudley
Mrs. Yurlean Bush	Husband	Mr. Henry Sykes
Mr. Lequen Cannon	Son	Mr. Vernon Cannon
Mrs. Gloris Cox	Friend	Mr. Charles Merritt
Mrs. Gloria Cox	Friend	Mr. Sam Packer
Mrs. Gloria Cox	Mother	Mrs. Emma J. Cox
Mrs. Morgan Crum-Peterson	Grandmother	Mrs. Doris Wright
Mrs. Morgan Crum-Peterson	Grandfather	Mr. Bertrand Wright
Mrs. Lindell Dillard	Mother	Mrs. Estelle Blackmon
Ms. Danita Forbes	Uncle	Mr. Howard Coleman
Ms. Rosa Gordon	Father	Mr. Fred Gordon, Sr.
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The Goubil Family	Mother	Mrs. Irma Goubil
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Sister in Law	Mrs. Patricia G. Taylor
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Brother	Mr. Bernard Odom
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Brother in Law	Mr. Ted Dunn
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Brother in Law	Mr. Thomas Edward Greene
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Grandmother in Law	Mrs. Louise Dun Greene
Mrs. Vernetta Greene	Father in Law	Mr. Charles Greene, Sr.
Mrs. Barbara Hodnett	Great Aunt	Mrs. Francis Merriman
Mrs. Barbara Hodnett	Grandmother	Mrs. Leona Milton
Mrs. Barbara Hodnett	Great Grandmother	Mrs. Mary Holt
Mrs. Barbara Hodnett	Grandfather	Mr. James Holt
Mrs. Barbara Hodnett	Husband	Mr. Robert G. Hodnett
Mr. Bernard Howard	Sister	Ms. Patricia Taite
Mr. Bernand Howard	Sister	Ms. Marion L. Howard
Mr. Bernand Howard	Brother	Mr. Eddie Howard, Jr.
Mr. Bernand Howard	Father	Mr. Eddie Howard, Sr.
Mr. Bernand Howard	Brother	Mr. Elijah Howard

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Mr. Bernand Howard	Mother	Ms. Claudette Howard
Ms. Tamonica Jones	Great Aunt	Ms. Shirley Jones
Mrs. Alice LeDoux	Husband	Mr. Edgar LeDoux
Mrs. Alice LeDoux	Mother	Mrs. Alice Dembo
Mrs. Alice G. Lewis Hutchinson	Friend	Mrs. Rosetta Duncan
Mrs. Alice G. Lewis Hutchinson	Friend	Mrs. Julia Patterson
Mrs. Alice G. Lewis Hutchinson	Friend	Ms. Cecelia G. Jackson
Ms. Betty Ludgood	Husband	Mr. Abilene Ludgood
Ms. Betty Ludgood	Son	Mr. Michael A. Ludgood
Ms. Betty Ludgood	Brother	Mr. James McGhee
Ms. Betty Ludgood	Mother	Ms. Oneida McGhee
Mrs. Fannie McCampbell	Husband	Mr. Edward McCampbell
Mr. Greg McGlasker	Mother	Mrs. Dessie McGlasker
Mr. Greg McGlasker	Father	Mr. William McGlasker, Sr.
Mr. Greg McGlasker	Mother	Mrs. Dessie McGlasker
Mr. Greg McGlasker	Father	Mr. William McGlasker, Sr.
Ms. Quida Mitchell	Mother	Mrs. Vacey B. Mitchell
Ms. Quida Mitchell	Father	Mr. W.H. Mitchell, Sr.
Mrs. Faydene Morris	Husband	Mr. George Morris
Mrs. Faydene Morris	Brother	Mr. Judge Williams
Ms. Emma D. Prince	Sister	Mrs. Lizzie M. Lollis
Ms. Emma D. Prince	Brother-in-Law	Mr. Lester Lollis
Ms. Emma D. Prince	Mother	Mrs. Mary V. McGhee
Ms. Emma D. Prince	Friend	Mrs. Doris Otis
Ms. Veronica & Mr. Vernon S. Prince, III	Father	Mr. Vernon S. Prince, Jr.
Mrs. Melanie W. Robinson	Great Grandfather	Mr. Willie L. Jones
Mrs. Melanie W. Robinson	Mother	Mrs. Carol Jackson
Mr. Joe Rodrigues	Aunt	Mrs. Dorothy Sanders
Mr. John Rush	Grandmother	Mrs. Phebe Busby
Miss TaTanisha Rush	Grandfather	Mr. Prince Busby
Smith Brothers	Mother	Mrs. Sarah Anderson Smith
Mr. Carl Sykes, Sr.	Wife	Mrs. Jacqueline P. Sykes
Mrs. Charlotte Sykes	Husband	Mr. Herman Sykes, Sr.
Mr. Randy Smith	Father	Mr. Eddie Smith, Sr.
Mr. Randy Smith	Sister	Mrs. Clarkie S. Sanders
Ms. Linda Sykes	Brother	Mr. Charles Sykes
Ms. Linda Sykes	Brother	Mr. Clarence Sykes
Ms. Linda Sykes	Brother	Mr. Earl Sykes
Ms. Linda Sykes	Mother	Mrs. Beverly Sykes
Ms. Linda Sykes	Brother	Mr. Herman Sykes
Ms. Linda Sykes	Uncle	Mr. Winston Wingfield
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Mrs. Mary M. Turner	Mother	Mrs. Juliette Mitchell
Mrs. Mary M. Turner	Aunt	Mrs. Elouise Rosemond
Mrs. Mary M. Turner	Sister	Ms. Josie T. Richardson
Mrs. Mary M. Turner	Nephew	Mr. Vincent L. Richardson



We light these candles in remembrance of you



## The Last Request

Please don't say I gave up, Just say that I gave in

Don't say I lost the battle, for it was God's war to win.

Please don't say how good I was, but that I did my best

Just say I tried to do what is right, gave the most I could do and no less.

Please don't give me wings or halos, that's for God to do, I want no more than I deserve, no extras just my due.

Please don't give me flowers or talk in hushed tones, Don't be concerned about me now, I'm well with God, I've made it home.

Don't talk about my illness, it's over and gone, Just to see my family's need especially the little ones.

When you draw a picture of me, don't draw me as a saint, I've done some wrong, so use all of your paint, not just the bright and light tones, use some gray and dark. In fact, don't put me on canvas, paint me on your heart.

But if you must do something, then I have one last request

Celebrate! Celebrate! Thank God I've been Blessed, Thank God for all who loved me Praise God!  
He loved me best! - Author Unknown

## Endless Grace

*I thought of you when I was sad today*

*And you made a smile appear.*

*Right on my face you have replaced*

*A last moment's unhappy tear.*

*And within the thought of you came a brightness*

*Shining as bright as the newly risen sun.*

*As I quietly reflected upon the goodness I received,*

*Realizing your outpouring is never done.*

*-Unknown-*

*Rest in Eternal Peace*

