

Homegoing Service Celebrating the Life of

Mae M. Carter



Sunrise
November 27, 1932

Sunset
July 14, 2016

Tuesday, July 19, 2016 - 11:00 am

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

144 Norman Street • East Orange, NJ

Rev. Dwight D. Gill, Officiating

Obituary

***Mae Marjorie Carter** was born on November 27, 1932 in Orange, New Jersey to the late Joseph and Daisy Scott. She was one of eight children preceded in death by her brothers Walter and Maurice, and her sisters, Josephine, Pearl, and Carol.*

Our queen affectionately known as “Mae Mae” by her family and friends departed this life on Thursday July 14, 2016 in the comfort of her East Orange home surrounded by her family.

Mae was raised in East Orange, NJ and a proud product of the East Orange School System and community culture. She graduated from Clifford J Scott High school in 1951.

Mae was united in marriage to the late Charles Washington Carter Jr affectionately known as “Owie” on June 2, 1952, and to this union three children were born, Janice Carter-Young, Cathy Carter-Wells, and Charles Dorian Carter.

Mae briefly worked for Westinghouse before answering her calling to not only nurture her own children, but the children of her family, friends and her children`s friends. She was the go to person for people in the neighborhood, everyone who beared a child knowing with “Mae Mae” their child was not only in good hands but the rate was affordable. Too often we underestimate the worth of the caregiver, the one who brings value, love, character, affection, and completeness to the lives of others, that was “MAE MAE” she was absolutely irreplaceable.

Mae is survived by her three children: Janice, Cathy, and Dorian; daughter in law, LaTanya; six grandchildren, Kecia, Donald, Dorian, Jordan, Lexis, and Da'Johnn; three great-grandchildren, Jhane, Alexa, and Aspen; sister, Isabelle Holder; brother, Jerome Scott (Val) and sister in law, Ann Scott; lifetime friends, Deloris (Mimis) Frazier, Shirley McGee, Gladys Sadler, Dorothy Parker, and Ruth Whittle. She is also survived by a host of nieces, nephews, children she held dear to her heart, and friends.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Processional

Sealing of the Bier Funeral Director

Hymn of Consolation

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Selection

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements and Remarks

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy Rev. Dwight D. Gill, Pastor

Recessional

Interment

Rosedale Cemetery

Orange, New Jersey

*Immediately following the Interment friends are invited
to join the family for a repast back at the church.*

A Mother's Love

A mother's love is something that no one can explain, it is made of deep devotion and sacrifice and pain, it is endless and unselfish and enduring come what may for nothing can destroy it or take that love away...It is patient and forgiving when all others are forsaking, and it never fails or falters even though the heart is breaking... it believes beyond believing when the world around condemns, and it glows with all the beauty of the rarest, brightest gems ... It is far beyond defining, it defies all explanation, and it still remains a secret like the mysteries of creation ... a many splendor miracle man cannot understand and another wondrous evidence of God's tender guiding hand.

Acknowledgement

*The family of **Mae M. Carter** acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.*

God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

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"Memories are made precious"

