



Bettie Jean McCary

July 6, 1945 - July 23, 2024

With hearts full of love and fond memories, we celebrate the vibrant life of Bettie Jean McCary. Bettie graced the world on July 6, 1945, in Coahoma, Mississippi, to Jessie & Lee Etter Hunter. She peacefully entered eternity on July 23, 2024, surrounded by her loving family at her residence.

After graduating from Flint Northwestern High School in 1963, Bettie pursued higher education at Mott College, where she pursued a degree in Computer Science, highlighting her versatility and forward-thinking nature. Additionally, she studied American Sign Language (ASL).

Bettie's life exemplified determination, creativity, and profound love for her family. From an early age, she cultivated remarkable talents in cooking and sewing. A true entrepreneur, Bettie founded and successfully managed multiple businesses throughout her lifetime. Her daycare provided a nurturing environment for countless children, leaving a lasting impact on generations to come. In addition, her cleaning services brought comfort and cleanliness to homes across the community, while her catering expertise brought joy and delectable cuisines to countless special occasions and family gatherings. As a skilled seamstress, her hands stitched together garments that carried the essence of her passion and artistry.

Beyond her professional achievements, Bettie was a devoted daughter, sister, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, foster care mother, entrepreneur, friend, and a powerful prayer warrior, and cornerstone, always offering an open door, a listening ear, prayer, and a helping hand. Her warmth, kindness,

and unwavering support uplifted those around her, creating a sense of unity and love that will continue to resonate.

Bettie was an active member of Kingdom of Heaven Ministries in Flint, Michigan. She served devotedly in several roles, including as a Mother of the Church, on the Banquet Staff, in the children's ministry, and as Pastor Lonnie W. Brown's personal Intercessor. Furthermore, she used her talent as a tailor to make altar cloths and coverings for the offering baskets.

Bettie was preceded in death by her grandparents Ruben & Lillie Mae Parchman and Frank & Bettie Hunter, her parents Jessie & Lee Etter Hunter, her son David L. Hunter, daughter Vanessa C. Betts-Rucker, sisters Janie McCraney, Elizabeth Hunter, Lettie B. Jennings, brothers, Jessie Jr., James & Frank Hunter, nieces Emily McCraney & Jacqueline Robbs, and nephews Edward Reed & Delmonte Hunter.

Bettie is survived by her loving daughter, Felicia L. Rawls; her cherished grandchildren, Ashudee Kirk, Jاليا Armor (Elias), Aquanique Rawls, Emmanuel Rawls, Davidion Armstrong, Alicia Colbert (Dexter); adored great-grandchildren, Tyler Kirk, Kodah Smith, Santana Rawls, Sa'veah Armstrong, siblings Lillie & Joyce Hunter, Stella Reed, and Charles Hunter, best friend Gloria Surls, and a host of relatives and friends who will forever hold her memory in their hearts.

As we remember and celebrate Bettie's life, we find solace in the memories, lessons, and prayers she leaves behind and the indelible mark she has made on our lives. Her endeavors will continue to inspire us.

"There is a sacredness in tears. They are not the mark of weakness but of power. They speak more eloquently than 10,000 tongues. They are messengers of overwhelming grief and unspeakable love." ~ Washington Irving

The information for the service is below:

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 3. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Kingdom of Heaven Ministries
2430 Dutcher Road
Flint, MI 48532-4421

Memorial Service

AUG 3. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *The most loving and sweetest person I've known. Love u and miss u so much*

benjoir - August 06, 2024 at 08:11 AM

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“ *Love you ma Betty. You served your family and church faithfully we are all better for your service and smile. You and my granny was best of friends and served God with all your heart. See you on the other side..... Xoxoxoxox*

LeMarcus E.Williams - August 05, 2024 at 06:52 PM



“ *Aunt Betty was love, my little sister and I were the first surrogates of her love. If God ever made a Prayer Warrior, Aunt Betty was the mold. Thank you for all the love you have given to all your children over the years. I will always love you Aunt Betty, now you can rest easy with your savior. Thank you for being a vessel, thank you for showing me how to love, and most importantly how to go before God in Prayer. I will always cherish the love you gave and I will be that example to my brothers and sisters in Christ that you were to us. I love you Aunt Betty.*

James Jones - August 03, 2024 at 07:43 AM

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“ *My "sister" is gone to be with her "sister"Glenda, in the arms of Jesus The Lord Christ, there is no better place to be, I send my love to you "Flee", moment by moment day by day baby girl, the Lord will help us 🌹❤️🌹🙏✝️*

Benjamin Clayton - July 31, 2024 at 05:44 PM