



Kittye Emerson Cannon

April 10, 1935 - May 6, 2023

Mrs. Kittye Mae Emerson Cannon, 88, of Decatur, GA passed away May 6, 2023, at Arbor Terrace of Decatur. She was an active member of East Sixth Street Christian Church in Oklahoma City where she served as a Financial Secretary and President of the Usher Board for several years. She was employed for more than 20 years as an Administrative Assistant with Youth and Family Resource Center, formerly Hope House, and District Judge Glenn Dale Carter. After retiring and relocating to Georgia, she joined Ray of Hope Christian Church in Stone Mountain where she was an active member of the Golden Rays Seniors' Ministry. She is survived by her children Regina Dianne Cannon of Atlanta, GA and Alonzo Cannon, Jr. of Redondo Beach, CA, her brother Herbert James Emerson (Celestine) of Paducah, KY, four grandchildren: Jordan Elliott of Flower Mound, TX, Morgan Elliott Parker (Derrick) of Mansfield, TX, Taylor Stephenson of Lithonia, GA and Olivia Stephenson of Atlanta, GA, six nephews and nieces: Lawrence Emerson (Tonda) of Clinton, KY, Robert Emerson (Denisiah) of Clarksville, TN, Herbert James Emerson, Jr. of Paducah, KY, Ericka Emerson-Hudson (Phillip) of Paducah, KY, Patrick Cannon (Tina) of Denton, TX and Sean Cannon (Patrice) of Oklahoma City, sons-in-law: Johnny Elliott of Dallas, TX, and Dr. Earl Stephenson, Jr. of Atlanta, GA, along with a great host of friends, co-workers, and church members that she loved dearly. Kittye Mae was preceded in death by her parents, Jesse and Cressie Mae Farmer Emerson, husband of 39 years Alonzo Cannon, Sr., daughter Sharlyn Cannon Elliott, brother John

Robert Emerson and sister-in-law Virginia Ann Emerson.

Graveside services will be held Saturday, June 10, 2023, at 11:00am, Clinton Cemetery located at Ringo Drive, Clinton, KY with her nephew Rev. Lawrence Emerson officiating.

Repass will begin immediately following the service at Clinton First United Methodist Church - Young Center, 206 S. Washington St., Clinton, KY.

To send a memorial gift in her memory please consider East Sixth Street Christian Church Ministry (<https://esscc1919.org/online-donations/> or the Georgia Justice Project (<https://gjp.org/>).

As her mother always told her, "Keep Smiling." ..

Tribute Wall



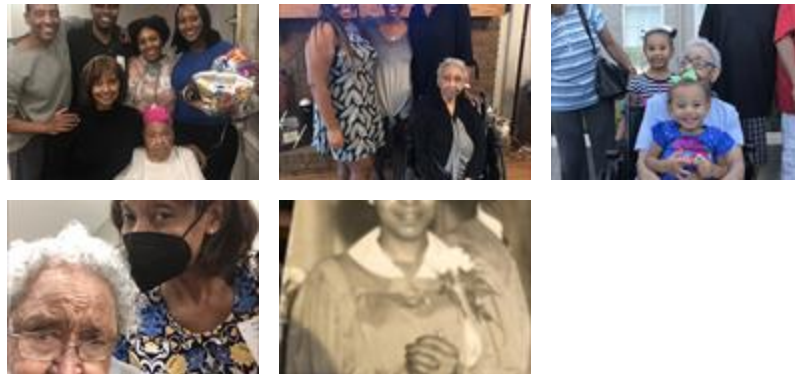
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Alonzo Cannon - May 18, 2023 at 03:31 PM



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Precious!

Brian Foster - May 18, 2023 at 02:59 PM



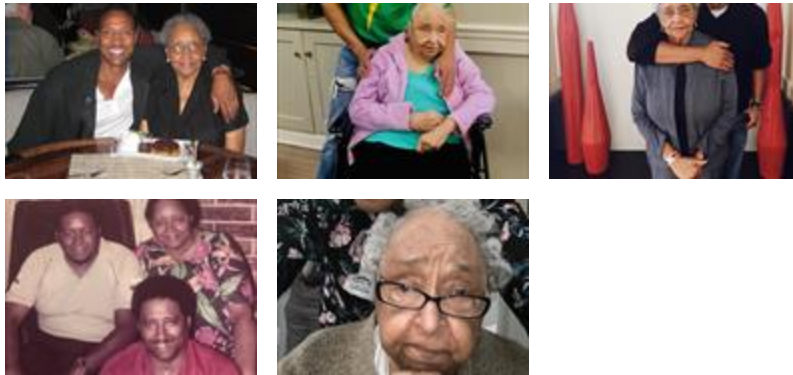
“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kittye Emerson Cannon.*



May 14, 2023 at 02:41 PM



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Alonzo Cannon - May 11, 2023 at 03:13 PM



“ *To God Be the Glory for the friendship of Kittye M. Cannon
My Friend! Kittye was a loving and caring person. Sending our
deepest condolences to you and your family. May you find comfort
in your memories.*

*Love,
Mae & Skip Russell
Taft, OK*

Mary Russell - May 10, 2023 at 06:28 PM

BF

“ Kind and gracious -- that's how I've always thought of Mrs. Cannon. Aside from seeing her every Sunday at church growing up, our families religiously spend Fourth of July holidays together; as a result, I have a wonderful bond with the entire Cannon family. As an adult, I'd travel back to Atlanta every year for my college Homecoming, but I made a point to visit with her and Regina -- sometimes getting our children together. I'll remember her laugh (she LOVED to laugh) and the glowing compliments she would share with my mother about me after our visits. My love to Regina, Alonzo and the entire Cannon family; we are richer for having known and loved Ms. Kittye. She lives because WE live! Peace and blessings, always.

Brian T Foster - May 10, 2023 at 05:43 PM

SC

“ Judge Cannon, sending my deepest, most sincere condolences to you and your family on the loss of your mother. I pray God's comfort upon you and yours as you grieve your loss. We will continue to keep you lifted in prayer.

~ Sonya Coggins and Family

Sonya Coggins - May 10, 2023 at 02:29 PM

SW

“ 88 years! Gina, you're in my thoughts. Much love to you and the girls.

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CJ

“ Sympathy to the Cannon & Emerson family in the loss of a sweet loving mother & sister . She was a sweet & caring person . Always had a smile & good advice if u needed it . She was beautiful inside & out . Her & my mother talked a lot after her mother passed , because my mother & Ms Cressie talked everyday about something if it was just to Say hello . Praying for this family for comfort & strength . Love you family . God bless!!!

charlene jones - May 09, 2023 at 06:19 PM