



**MACEDONIA
MISSIONARY
BAPTIST CHURCH**

2729 Lipscomb St
Melbourne, Florida

Repast at Macedonia

INTERMENT

3PM
Fountainhead
7359 Babcock St. SE
Palm Bay, Florida



*Please join her family
in honoring her
memory and life.*

Don't Cry for Me

*Don't cry for me, I will be okay.
Heaven is my home now, and
this is where I'll stay.*

*Don't cry for me. I'm
where I belong.
I want you to be happy and
try to stay strong.*

*Don't cry for me. It was just
my time, but I will see you
someday on the other side.*

*Don't cry for me, for
I have no fear.
All my pain is gone,
and Jesus took my tears.*

*Don't cry for me.
This is not the end.
I'll be waiting here for
you when we meet again.*



**KATIE
BURSEY**



*Sunrise - April 01, 1934
Sunset - September 18, 2024*

*Honoring our
Mother, Wife,
Grandmother,
Sister, Aunt and
Servant.*

Obituary for Katie Bursey

Katie Bursey, our beloved matriarch, dedicated community servant, and cherished friend, passed away peacefully at the age of 90. Born in Chattahoochee, Georgia, Katie, dedicated her life to serving both her family and community..

A devout member of Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church, Katie served as a faithful usher for many years, greeting each congregant with her warm smile and kind heart.

Beyond her work in the church, Katie was an active member of the Order of the Eastern Star, where her dedication to charitable causes and her fellow members was exemplary. She was also a devoted member of the NAACP, tirelessly advocating for civil rights and equality for all.

Her passion for education and supporting young people shone through in her work with the Reginald Johnson Scholarship Committee. Through this, she helped provide educational opportunities to countless students, ensuring that they had the support and resources needed to pursue their dreams.

She was also an active member of the American Legion, where she supported veterans and their families. Katie retired after many years of service from Holmes Regional Medical Center, where she worked as a surgical equipment sterilizer, ensuring the safety and care of countless patients.

She was preceded in death by her devoted husband, Benjamin Bursey, who passed away in 2014, brothers: Damon Hardison, Jr., James Hardison, Walker Hardison, Joe Hardison, and Rayford Hardison; two sisters: Ola Mae Hardison and Minnie Pearl Frink; She leaves behind her cherished daughter, Shirley (Willie Charles) Digbie, and three loving grandchildren: Veshell (Jason) Greene, Sidney (Crissandra), Digbie and Nakia (Janal) Digbie as well as countless great and great-grandchildren. Brothers: Curtis Hardison, Eddie (Ann) Hardison and sister Jessie Owens, and a host of nieces, nephews.

Her life was a testament to the power of service, love, and unwavering faith. Though she is no longer with us, her spirit will live on in the hearts of those she touched.

May her soul rest in eternal peace.

ORDER OF CELEBRATION A CELEBRATION OF LIFE SEPTEMBER 28 | 11AM



Presiding Minister.....Min. SJ Spradley

Prayer of Comfort.....Min. SJ Spradley

Old Testament Scripture.....
Deacon Leslie Jones

New Testament Scripture.... Lonie Hardison

Song.....Macedonia Ministry Music

Reflections (As I knew Her).....

From the Deacon Ministry....Dea. Ray Lea
As a Niece...Angela (Von) Johnson
As a Nephew...Jerome Hardison
As a Daughter...Shirley A. Digbie

Song.....Macedonia Ministry Music

Resolutions.....Stone Funeral Home

Reading of the Obituary.....(read silently)

Song.....Macedonia Ministry Music

Eulogy..... Rev. Nathaniel Harris

Acknowledgements.....Stone Funeral Home

Recessional: At Last.....
Macedonia Ministry Music

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