

In Loving Memory Of

Acknowledgements
The family of the late

Marie Silas Glynn

wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation, the many comforting messages, prayers, telephone calls, visits and expression of sympathy shown during their time of bereavement. Thank you for your presence here today and May God continue to richly bless you all.

The Family

AUGUST 15, 1916 - FEBRUARY 28, 2025

Marie Silas Glynn

Saturday, March 8, 2025
2:30 PM

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Eulogy

Mrs. Marie Silas Glynn was born August 14th, 1914, in the rural outskirts of a small town called Enterprise, in the state of Alabama. She was the first born of three children to the union of Mr. James Silas and Mrs. Mollie Childs Silas. Marie moved to Hartford, Alabama with her parents, and siblings - H.C. Silas and Inez Silas (Knox) when she was about 6 years old. She attended the colored school of Hartford which was a one room schoolhouse until around the age of 13 years old. It was somewhere around that age that she stopped attending school to help her then single mother with work to help take care of their family. Marie made a living by washing and ironing large bundles of clothing for the mayor and a few other affluent people in the small town of Hartford. On the weekend, Marie was active in church, giving her life to Christ was she attended Prosperity Baptist Church where she was an usher. At the tender age of 16, Marie left home seeking better employment and wages in a large neighboring town called Dothan, Alabama. She resided in a rooming house with other young women who had the same goals in mind. It was there that Marie landed a job in a hotel as a domestic worker. She worked 6 days a week and sent money back home to her mother to help provide for her younger siblings. Marie has always been a dedicated and hard worker. After a few years of living and working in Dothan, Alabama, Marie moved to Blakely, Georgia to be closer to her father, James Silas. It was there that she pursued an education in Cosmetology. Marie lived with her father and stepmother all while working for the judge in the small town of Blakely. Her duties included cooking, cleaning and taking care of the judge's children. On the weekends, she worked in the beauty salon that she would eventually go on to own. Knowing how important a social life is, even back then Marie fell in love with her then husband, Elmer Glynn, in 1948. A few months after the marriage, a beautiful child became available through the court system and Marie and her husband became the parents of a baby boy named John. Four years later, in 1952 Marie and Elmer were blessed to give birth to another son, named Joseph.

They migrated to Florida from Blakely Georgia where they had previously lived for over 20 years. Marie worked as a domestic housekeeper for different families on Miami Beach. After suffering an acute illness, Marie's husband passed away. It was at that time Marie and her sons moved to 71st street and 14th avenue in Liberty City. Sadly, Joseph also passed away in the year 1974 at the tender age of 21 years during a senseless shooting.

Marie was no stranger to heartache. She was extremely close to her sister until she passed away in 1993. Marie continued working for different families on Miami Beach until she became disabled in 1996. Her devotion to Christ never wavered. Her last church home before becoming ill was Middlerock Missionary Baptist Church located on 65th street and 26th avenue in Liberty City.

Surprisingly, Marie was still able to live alone and take great care of herself until she was 101 years old. She resided at Claridge House Nursing Facility since 2017. She is preceded in death by her parents, siblings, and son Joseph Glynn. She leaves to cherish her memories, son John Glynn, grandson Derrick Wilson, Niece and Caretaker Glenda Faye Knox, great great great niece Harmoni Kitchen to whom she was extremely close with and host of relatives, loved ones and friends.

Order Of Service

Processional

Final Glance

Scripture

New Testament – John 16:22

Old Testament – Isaiah 46:4

Prayer

Selection

Obituary Read Silently

Remarks (limit to 2 minutes)

As a Neighbor

As a Friend

As a Family member

As Nursing Home Caretaker

Selection

Poem

Acknowledgements

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Eulogy

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