

Precious Memories



Flower Bearers
Nieces

Casket Bearers
Nephews

Mama, You knew the most important gift you could give me was the faith in loving God. You've shown me that your strength and your wisdom come from your relationship with Him, and you've taught me to go to God's Word for the answers to life's questions. Because of you, I'll always have that firm foundation to guide me. I'll always know the power of faith and prayer and mama's love

Her words was not one of colleges degrees and her career choices. Her wisdom came from living, she worked hard to make ends meet, facing life's challenges with optimism, determination and her amazing strength of spirit. Her victories were food on the table and children who grew up right. Thank you grandmother for all the years that you were the heart of our family. Your children and grandchildren proudly stand as your legacy to the world. We love you always grandmother.
Your Grandchildren



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Celebrating The Life of Mrs. Geraline Grimes Scott



~SERVICE~

**Thursday, May 2, 2024
11:00 A.M.**

**Mt. Calvary Baptist Church
1807 Dandridge Avenue
Knoxville, Tennessee 37915**

**Rev. Leroy Franklin, Eulogist
Rev. Renee Kessler, Presiding**

The Order of Homegoing Service

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Prelude.....Musician
Processional

Hymn of Adoration.....Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Scripture Readings

Old Testament.....Rev. Wayne Howard

New Testament.....Rev. Alan Jones

Prayer of Comfort.....Pastor Danai Chinoda

Selection.....Mt. Calvary Baptist Church

Special Tribute.....Austin High School Class of 1960

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Renee Kessler

Remarks.....Mr. Dwight Smith

Selection.....Mt. Calvary Baptist Church

Eulogy..... Rev. Leroy Franklin

Recessional.....Musician
Postlude

Committal, Closing Prayer, Benediction, & Interment
Knoxville National Cemetery,
Knoxville, Tennessee

Acknowledgement

Your love, devotion, and friendship shown in countless ways during the homegoing of our loved one helped to ease our pain and sorrow. We acknowledge with deep gratitude the generous expressions of sympathy, and we sincerely thank each of you for caring.

~The Family of Mrs. Geraline Grimes Scott ~

Life Reflections
of
Mrs. Geraline Grimes Scott

From Labor:
July 12,1941



To Reward:
April 26, 2024

Geraline G. Scott, born on July 12, 1941, to the late Clifford and Rosal Andrews Grimes in Dalton, Georgia, peacefully departed this life on April 26, 2024. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband John H. Scott, her parents, three brothers, James Harper, Curtis Grimes, Ira Grimes Sr. (Mary), sister Vera G. Smith (John), grandson Brandon T. McCord, two nephews, two nieces, as well as aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Geraline graduated from Austin High School and was a proud member of the class of 1960. Geraline's dedication to hard work was evident throughout her life, notably during her tenure at Carriage Cleaners and her retirement from the Tennessee Valley Authority. Her Christian journey began at Bethel AME Methodist Church and continued at Mount Calvary Baptist Church, where she served tirelessly in various capacities, touching many lives through her roles on Usher Board #2, The Hospitality Committee, Golden Agers, Culinary Committee, and as a van driver, a role she cherished for its connection with senior citizens.

Geraline's heart overflowed with love for her family, always keeping her door open for them and cherishing their presence above all else. Her favorite tune, "This Little Light of Mine," epitomized her unwavering positivity and faith.

She will be deeply missed by her children: Marty (Latonya Oatman) Scott, TaWuna(Kenny Bell) McCord, Traci (Standford) Franklin, Randall (Margarett Rinehart) Davenport; grandchildren: Marcos (Deanna) McCord, Britney (Stuart) Taylor, Kristal (Thomas) White, Jasmin (Jonathan) Tyler, Kelley S. Brown, John P. S. Brown, Aneesa Davenport, Deidre Williams; thirteen great-grandchildren; God daughter Tanisha Grimes; brother James Larry (Faye) Grimes; sisters Virginia Taylor; Maosa (Will Tom) Moore; a multitude of nieces, nephews, cousins, and other relatives; and her devoted friends: Jonnie Hill, Hildrith Gillespie, Emma Jordan, Sadie Grimes, Annette Bailey, and her church family. Geraline will forever be remembered for her boundless love, unwavering faith, and selfless devotion to others. May her soul rest in eternal peace.

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