



— *Pallbearers* —
Family and Friends

— *Flower Bearers* —
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— *Interment* —
Westview Cemetery
700 Westview Drive
Auburn, AL 36832

— *Acknowledgment* —

The family of the late Mrs. Ruby Mae Maddox Cole acknowledges with grateful appreciation all acts of kindness, prayers, cards, telephone calls, flowers, and words of comfort extended to us during our time of bereavement. May God bless each of you.

IN MEMORIAM

May we take this opportunity to express sincere and deep appreciation for allowing us to serve you during this most difficult period. It is our constant aim to afford to the people of this community a service completed in all details and faultlessly executed with sympathy and understanding.

Final Arrangements Entrusted to:



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IN LOVING MEMORY OF "BIG MAMA"



Ruby Mae
MADDOX COLE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2026
1:00 P.M.

AUBURN A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
575 Martin Luther King Drive
Auburn, AL 36830

REVEREND STEPHEN FAULK, OFFICIATING

– *Obituary* –

Mrs. Ruby Mae Maddox Cole, daughter of the late Mr. Charlie and Mrs. Ruby Glaze Maddox, was born April 18, 1937, in Lee County, Alabama.

At an early age, she confessed Christ and united with Auburn A.M.E. Zion Church in Auburn, Alabama. She remained a devoted and faithful member throughout her life, playing an instrumental role in building and strengthening the church's Usher Board. She was also a dedicated participant in Wednesday's prayer service and regular prayer calls.

In her spare time, she found joy in cooking, taking peaceful walks, treating herself to a good pedicure, and reading her bible.

On Monday, February 16, 2026, she departed this life at the East Alabama Medical Center in Opelika, Alabama. She was preceded in death by: her husband, Eugene Cole; two sons, Angelo Maddox and Carl Maddox; five siblings, Christine Mitchell, Charlie Maddox, Jr., Eddie B. Maddox, Ella Maddox and Lorine Samuels.

She leaves to cherish her memory: three children, William "Bill" (Betty) Maddox of Birmingham, AL, Angie (Willie) Jackson and LaCarlos (Jonanee) Maddox both of Auburn, AL; fourteen grandchildren, Courtney (Tonya) Maddox, LaTosha Maddox, LaTrell Maddox, Anita Maddox all of Auburn, AL, Shakia "Duke" (Patrey) Hardnett, Adrianna Butler, Akemia Butler all of Opelika, AL, Cartavious (Victoria) Thomas, LaKayla Thomas both of Dallas, TX, Kalia White, Kia White, Kyle White all of Detroit, MI, Carlos (Priscilla) Maddox and Monica Maddox both of San Bernardino, CA; a host of great-grandchildren; a host of great-great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.



– *Mother* –

Your love was gentle, warm, and true,
A guiding light our whole life through.
With patient hands and faithful prayer,
You showed us just how much you care.
Though God has called you home above,
We still feel wrapped inside your love.
And in our heart you'll always stay,
Our guiding light along life's way.
We Will Always Love You!

– *Order of Service* –

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SCRIPTURE READINGS:

MUSICAL SELECTION

OBITUARY
Read Silently

MUSICAL SELECTION

EULOGY
Reverend Stephen Faulk

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