

Life Reflections

Ruth Elizabeth Tolliver

September 23, 1962 - October 20, 2024

Ruth Elizabeth Tolliver, daughter of the late Charles and Helen Sue Clark Tolliver was born September 23, 1962 in Lincolnton, North Carolina. She entered eternal peace early Sunday morning, October 20, 2024 in her home.

Ruth graduated from Lincolnton High, Class of 1982. She was a retired Certified Nursing Assistant. She was a member of Destiny Church.

Ruth was affectionately call "Liz" by her loving family and friends. Liz enjoyed cooking and sharing her delicious meals.

On September 5, 1988, she married the love of her life, Darwin Kai Magness and this union was blessed with four beautiful children. Her proudest moments were the birth of her children and grandchildren. She was a mother to her nieces, nephews, and her children's friends.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sisters, Sandra Tolliver Nixon-Little, Margaret Charles; her brothers, Roosevelt Eugene Tolliver, Johnny Michael Tolliver, James Brown, Sylvester Charles; and her beloved grandmother, Ruth T. Hamright.

Liz leaves fond and loving memories in the hearts of her husband, Darwin of the home, her children, Brandon Magness of Pineville, NC, Brett Magness of the home, Logan Magness of Hickory, NC, Helena Magness (Misael) of Gastonia, NC; five grandchildren, Macari Magness, Mariah Magness, Skylar Magness, Damian Delgado, Colton Bombria; three brothers, Richard Tolliver of Charlotte, NC, David Tolliver (Rev. Donna), of Lincolnton, NC, Boyce Tolliver of Gastonia, NC; five sisters, Deborah Adams, Edith Marie Odum of Gastonia, NC, Helen Clark of Mt. Holly, NC, Linda Melton (Jermaine) of Stanley, NC, Irene Scott (Johnny) of Shelby, NC; her sister-in-law, Marchantia Camp (Vick); brother-in-law, Donnie Little, a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



Order of Service



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| Processional | Ministers and Family |
| Receiving of Family & Friends | 1:30 P.M. – 2:00 P.M. |
| Call To Worship | Rev. Gregory Floyd |
| Invocation | Rev. Gregory Floyd |
| Opening Hymn | Blessed Assurance |
| Scripture Readings | |
| Old Testament | Rev. Donna Tolliver |
| New Testament | Rev. Donna Tolliver |
| Prayer of Comfort | Minister Angela Boulware |
| Selection | Rev. Donna Tolliver & Shay Wilson |
| Remarks (please respect a 3 minute time frame) | |
| Selection | Rev. Donna Tolliver |
| Eulogy | Rev. Gregory Floyd |
| Recessional | |
| Committal/Interment | |
| Hollybrook Cemetery | |
| Lincolnton, North Carolina | |
| Honorary Pall Bearer | |
| David Tolliver | |
| Floral Bearers and Pall Bearers | |
| Nieces and Nephews | |



God's Garden

*God looked around His Garden,
And found an empty space.
He then looked down upon the earth,
And saw your tired face.*

*He put his arm around you,
And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
For he only takes the best.*

*He knew that you were suffering
He knew you were in pain.
He knew you never would get well,
Upon this earth again.
He saw the roads were getting rough,
And the hills were hard to climb.
So, he closed your weary eyes,
And whispered "Peace be Thine"*

*It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you did not go alone.
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.*

In Gratitude

In everything both great and small, we see the hand of God through various expressions of sympathy you have extended to us. It is with deepest gratitude that we thank each of you during this most difficult time.

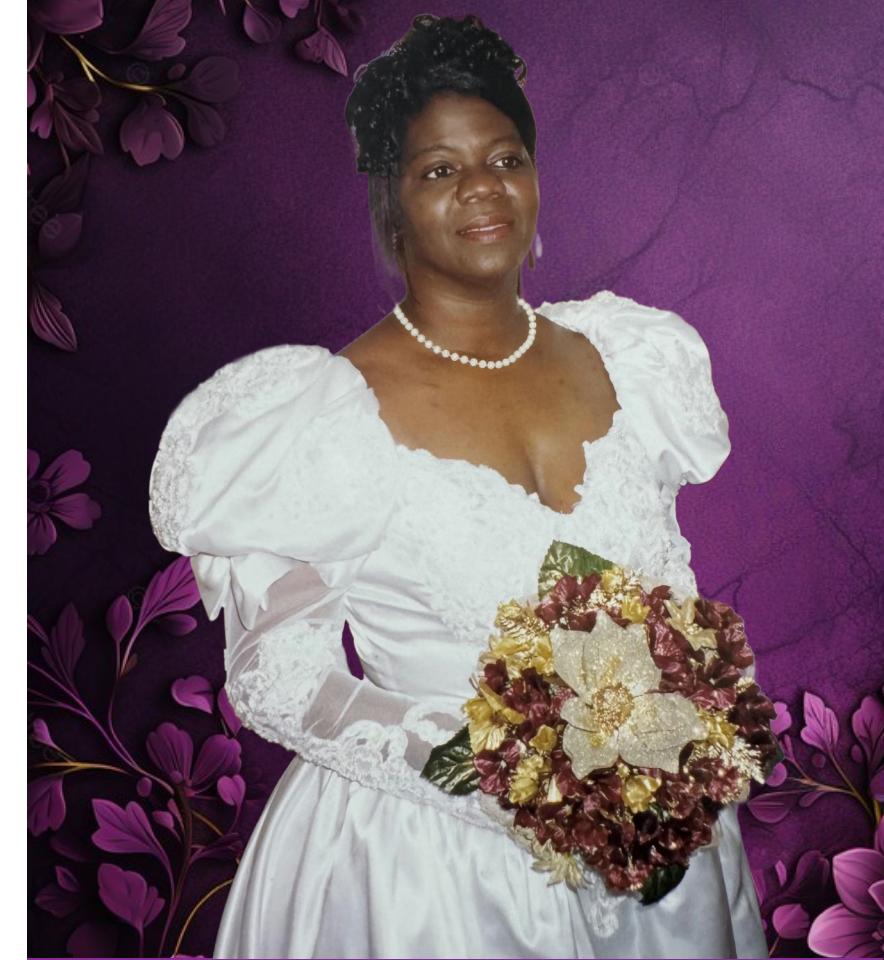
The Family of Ruth Elizabeth Magness

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Celebration of Life for

Ruth Elizabeth Magness



**Friday, October 25, 2024
2:00 P.M.**

**White's Family Chapel
Lincolnton, North Carolina**

**Rev. Gregory Floyd, Pastor
Vestibule A.M.E. Zion Church
Kings Mountain, North Carolina**