

## *Floral Bearers*

Family & Friends

## *Casket Bearers*

Chris Brown

Luther Stubbs IV

Tyrone Hunter

Norman Brown

Guy Sebastian

Vincent Hunter

## *Casket Bearers of Honor*

Fredd Brown

Walter Hale Jr.

## *With Gratitude*

The family of Willie Marie Seaborne wishes to thank the community for the intentional acts of love & outpouring of kindness which have been extended during this time. In this time of loss, let us remember Marie not only for her devotion to her family and work but also for the kindness and joy she spread so freely throughout her life. She will be dearly missed but never forgotten.



**Transitional Care  
Arrangements Entrusted  
J.E. Washington Funeral Services  
2234 Glenwood Ave, Youngstown, OH  
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# Celebration For Willie Marie Seabone



*Pastor Dana Brantley Hambrick, Officiant*



## *Parting Viewing*

*Prayer of Comfort*

*Dr. Lawrence Freeman*

*Sacred Reading*

*Rev. Richard Hunter Jr.*

*Music Ministry*

*Elder Cynthia Wright Palmer*

*The Life & Legacy of Willie Marie Seabone*

*READ SILENTLY*

*Expressions From Marie's Sons*

*Music Ministry*

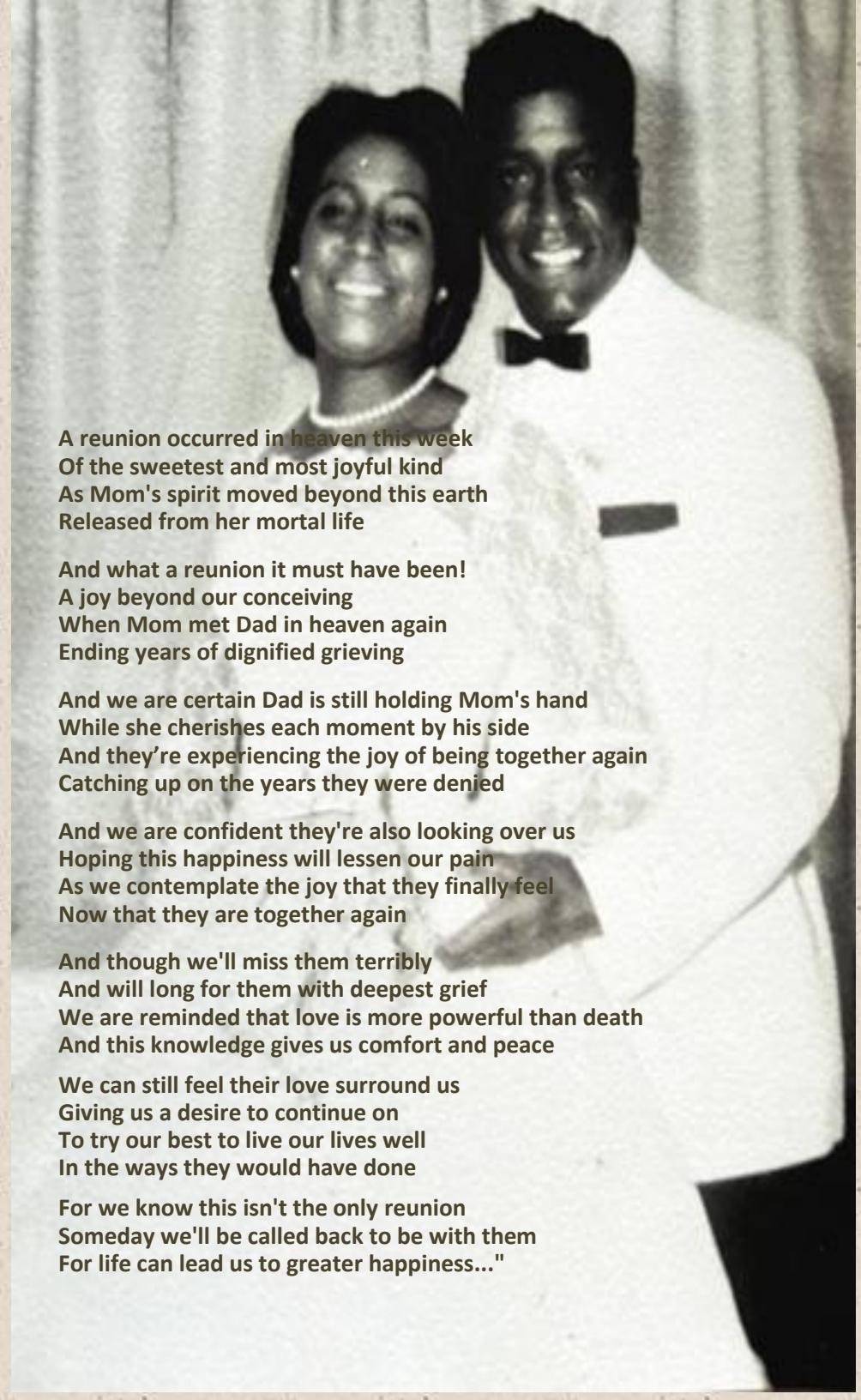
*Elder Cynthia Wright Palmer*

*Message of Hope*

*Rev. Lewis W. Macklin II*

*Recessional*

*Cortege Tod Homestead Cemetery  
Committal Ceremony & Benediction*



A reunion occurred in heaven this week  
Of the sweetest and most joyful kind  
As Mom's spirit moved beyond this earth  
Released from her mortal life

And what a reunion it must have been!  
A joy beyond our conceiving  
When Mom met Dad in heaven again  
Ending years of dignified grieving

And we are certain Dad is still holding Mom's hand  
While she cherishes each moment by his side  
And they're experiencing the joy of being together again  
Catching up on the years they were denied

And we are confident they're also looking over us  
Hoping this happiness will lessen our pain  
As we contemplate the joy that they finally feel  
Now that they are together again

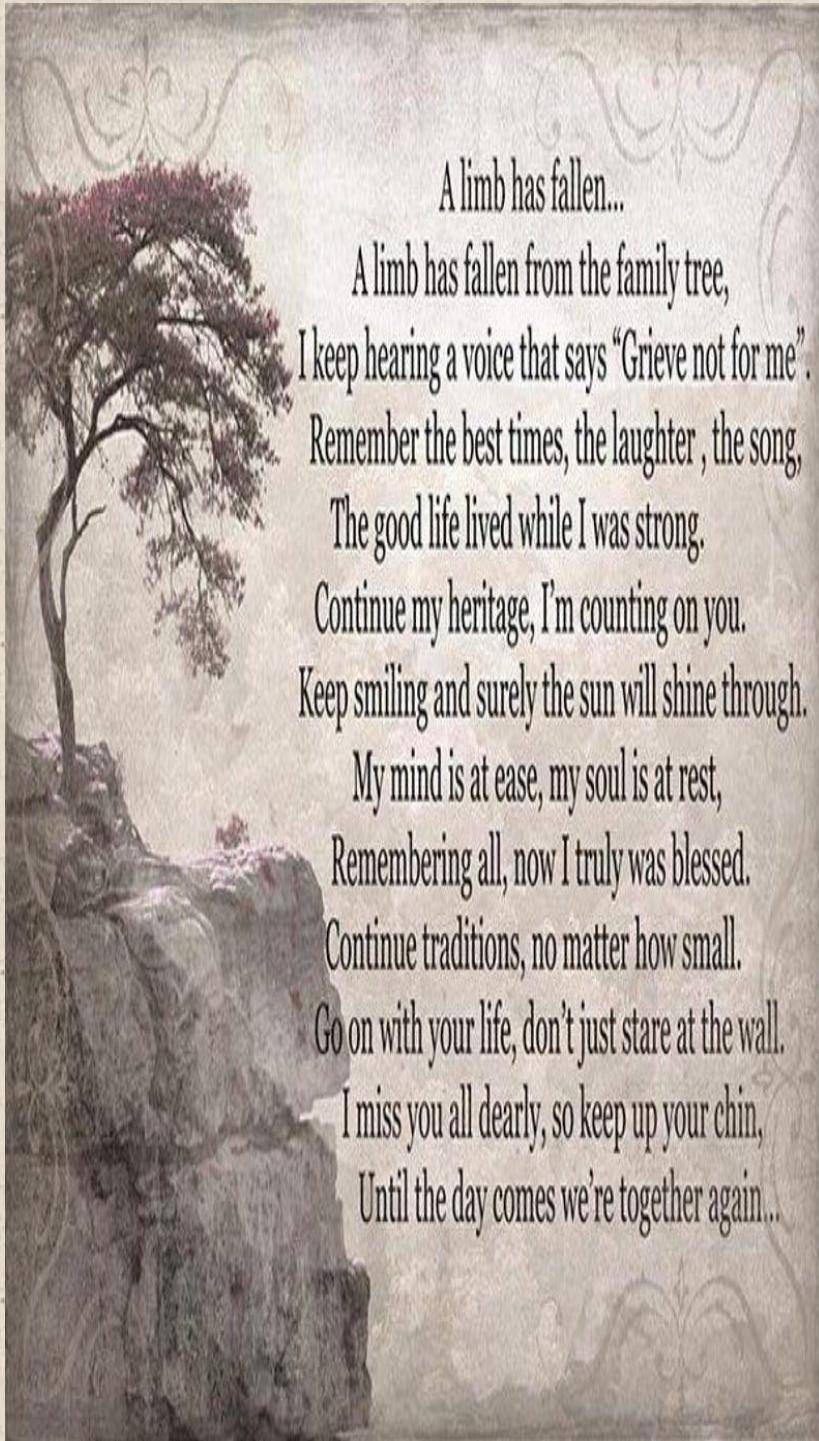
And though we'll miss them terribly  
And will long for them with deepest grief  
We are reminded that love is more powerful than death  
And this knowledge gives us comfort and peace

We can still feel their love surround us  
Giving us a desire to continue on  
To try our best to live our lives well  
In the ways they would have done

For we know this isn't the only reunion  
Someday we'll be called back to be with them  
For life can lead us to greater happiness..."







A limb has fallen...

A limb has fallen from the family tree,  
I keep hearing a voice that says "Grieve not for me".  
Remember the best times, the laughter, the song,  
The good life lived while I was strong.  
Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.  
Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.  
My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest,  
Remembering all, now I truly was blessed.  
Continue traditions, no matter how small.  
Go on with your life, don't just stare at the wall.  
I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin,  
Until the day comes we're together again...

## *In Loving Memory of Marie Seaborne*

The family invites you to honor Marie's memory by supporting your gifts to organizations which reflected her passion.

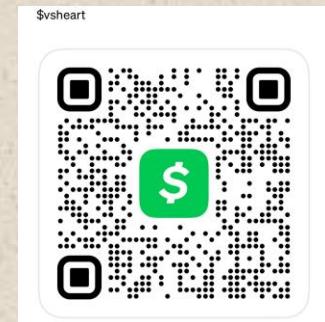
**Beulah Temple United Holy Church of America**  
523 Griffith Street  
Youngstown, OH 44510

**Alzheimer's Association of Youngstown**  
651 Elm St, Youngstown, OH 44502 · 2.3 mi  
(330) 488-7085

**V's Heart Program**  
Your contribution will help sustain the Life Transitions program and the "In Living Memory Scholarship Program" extending hope and healing to others. Donations may be made via:

 [Website:](http://www.vsheart.org)  
[\[www.vsheart.org\]\(http://www.vsheart.org/donate\)](http://www.vsheart.org/donate)

 [Cash App: \\$vsheart](#)



Every gift carries forward the spirit of love that defined Marie Seaborne's life.

# The Life & Legacy of Marie Seaborne

**O**n Thursday, August 21, 2025, our beloved matriarch, Willie Marie Seaborne peacefully transitioned to her heavenly home. Born on June 22, 1939, in Eufaula, AL, second daughter of Annie L. Stewart and Richard Hunter who provided her with ten siblings.

After graduating from Rebecca Comer High School, Marie ventured from life on the farm to Hempstead, Long Island, NY to start her new life. Marie would meet and later marry Scott Seaborne Jr. in June of 1965, whom she met on one of her trips to Ohio to visit her older sister Christine. Together, Scott and Marie, raised and nurtured three curly haired confident sons Scott III "Patrick", Duane and David with love and guidance.

Marie's life journey was characterized by love, care, grace, service all anchored by her abiding faith in God. Marie accepted Christ at an early age. She united with Beulah Temple United Holiness Church, along with her sister Christine, in 1969 where the two sisters raised their families in the pews from Sunday school, morning service, afternoon service, and evening service, as well as vacation bible school in the summers. Marie served in various positions within the church which included Associate Minister, Deaconess, President of Foreign Mission, President of Home Mission, and the Food Service Ministry.

Marie's legacy is one of imparting Godly messaging of hope, witnessing to friends and family and being a vigilant prayer partner. Her trademark warm smile and kind words touched all that knew her and those she encountered during her lifetime. Marie loved gospel music and cherished some of her favorites, *Rise, Shine, Give God the Glory*, *Somebody Prayed For Me*, *The Old Rugged Cross*, *The Blood Will Never Lose Its Power*, *O' The Blood of Jesus, I'll Fly Away and I Shall Wear a Crown*. We are confident that she obtained her crown and heard the words of her Savior declare, "Well done, thy good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of the Lord."

Marie is survived by her three sons whom she adored and remained extremely proud of their achievements and successes, Scott "Patrick" (Phyllis) Seaborne III of Centreville, MD, Duane Richard Seaborne of Avon, IN, David Anthony Seaborne of Lakewood, WA.

She also leaves cherished precious memories and moments shared by her brothers, Richard (Tinnie) Hunter Jr. of Eufaula, AL, Otis (Marie) Hunter of Atlanta, GA, Horace (Marcia) Hunter of Atlanta, GA and Ernest (Sanunqie) Hunter of Grayson, GA.

Additionally Marie leave behind two sister-in- love, Kathleen Hunter of Elmont, NY and Irene Hunter of Albany, GA. Marie's loving legacy has been extended to eight grandchildren, Ormond Barron of Fort Wayne, IN, Amber Barron of Tulsa, OK, Brandon (Hannah) Seaborne, Devon (Emily) Seaborne of Ft. Walton Beach, Florida, Hunter Seaborne of Avon, IN, Spencer Seaborne of Centreville, MD, Donovan Seaborne of Avon, IN, Delaney Seaborne of Greencastle, IN and her godson Walter Hale Jr., along with a cadre of a nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Marie's legacy of loving, commitment and purposeful prayer will continue to inspire those who knew and loved her for.

As Marie entered eternity, she was reunited among the great cloud of witnesses which included her loving parents, Mr. & Mrs. Richard Hunter Sr.; her partner in marriage Scott Seaborne Jr., who only death separated them October 2003; her six siblings which included two infant twins, brothers Edward and David Hunter, sisters Gladys Johnson and Christine Brown.

Willie Marie Seaborne lived her life with grace and kindness, and her absence will be deeply felt by all who loved her. She leaves behind a rich legacy of love, strength, and compassion that will continue to inspire those she touched.

-Lovingly Shared by Her Sons-