

Acknowledgement

The family of Mrs. Roberta Bridges extends our deepest gratitude for the outpouring of love, support, and kindness shown to us during this difficult time. Your prayers, comforting words, and thoughtful gestures have brought us strength and peace when we needed it most.

We would like to offer special thanks to Pastor Tyrone T. Steals, Greater Mt. Zion COGIC, Mr. James E. Washington and the Washington Funeral Home Staff for your care and compassion. We are especially thankful to those who traveled, prepared meals, sent flowers, or offered helping hands in so many meaningful ways.

With sincere appreciation,
Bridges Family

Interment

Oakwood Cemetery
Hermitage, PA

Pallbearers

Preston Bridges, Curtis Jones,
Ashton Johnson, Mike Williams,
Lonnie Bridges Jr , Marques byler

Repast

Hadden Hall
Lower Level of Church

J.E. WASHINGTON
FUNERAL SERVICES, INC.

IN LOVING *Memory*

Roberta
BRIDGES

OCTOBER 5, 1961 - JANUARY 21, 2026

SATURDAY JANUARY 31, 2026 11:00AM

GREATER MT. ZION COGIC FARRELL PA, 16121 SUPT. TYRONE STEALS, PASTOR

Celebrating

THE LIFE & LEGACY

Roberta Ellen (Byler) Bridges, 64, of Sharon, Pennsylvania, peacefully went home to be with the Lord after a courageous battle with cancer.

She was born on October 5, 1961, in Sharon, Pennsylvania, to William Byler Sr. and Sara (Duffy) Williams. Roberta was a 1979 graduate of Farrell Area High School. She later continued her education at Trumbull Business College, earning a degree in Business Computer Applications in June 1997.

Roberta dedicated her life to serving others. She worked as a healthcare aide, providing compassionate care to the elderly and disabled in their homes, served in nursing homes, and later worked as a housekeeper at the Hampton Inn.

At the age of 15, Roberta met her true love, Lonnie Bridges Sr. Together they shared a lifelong bond and were blessed with three children. They were married on June 19, 1999.

Roberta was a faithful and devoted member of Greater Mt. Zion Church of God in Christ, where she actively participated in Monday Night Prayer, Tuesday Night Bible Study, and Sunday School. She loved studying the Word of God and joyfully served her church in any way needed, especially in keeping God's house clean.

She is survived by her three children: Lonnie Bridges Jr. and his fiancée Liz Downs, Preston (Jessica) Bridges, and Shacara Bridges and her fiancé Ashton Johnson; four brothers: William Byler Jr., Lawrence (Marrisa) Byler, Eugene Byler, and Eric (Sharon) Williams; one sister, Traci (Tim) La Valle; five grandchildren: Bella Bridges, Sara Bridges, Nataia Williams, Lillian Cousar, and Asher Johnson; three nieces: Ashley West (Donta Bell), Erica Williams, and Zada Williams; five nephews: Marques Byler, Curtis (Samantha) Jones, Ralph (Sherry) Banaban, August Banaban, and Mike Williams; a host of great-nieces and great-nephews; and one godson, Cecil Robinson.

She was preceded in death by her sister-in-law Cheryl Byler, her father William Byler Sr., her husband Lonnie Bridges Sr., her mother Sara Williams, her sister Irene Byler, and her other father Early B. William

Her spirit will live on in every shared story, every echo of laughter, and every act of love inspired by her example. We will forever carry her in our hearts.



ORDER OF *Service*

**The Processional & Closing of the Bier
Clergy & Family**

SCRIPTURE READING

Old Testament

Clergy

New Testament

Clergy

**Prayer of Comfort
Clergy**

The Ministry of Music

**The Resolutions & Obituary
Prophetess Leslie Harrison**

The Ministry of Music

Echo's of Love (2mins)

**The Sermonic Selection
Greater Mount Zion Praise Team**

EULOGY

**Administrative Assistant Tyrone T. Steals
Pastor, Greater Mt. Zion COGIC**

**The Recessional
Clergy & Family**



What's a Mom

A mom is one of life's best gifts,
Someone to treasure all life through,
She's caring and loving,
Thoughtful and true,

Someone who is always a special part of your life,
Someone who holds a prime place in your heart,
She's a mentor, a confident and also a friend,
Someone on whose love you can depend.

A mom always has your best interests at heart,
She's someone so dear and so good,
She's a blessing, she's a gift,
She's a treasure like no other,

She's someone that is truly wonderful.
Wherever you go, and whatever you do,
A mom's love will always see you through,

A mom is truly invaluable,
Indispensable and unforgettable.
I wouldn't want anyone but you,
And that's why I'm so grateful,
that life picked you for me.

FOREVER IN OUR *Hearts*

You left this world before we knew,
The heavens called and skies turned
blue. Your journey ended, peace was
near, Yet in our hearts, you're ever
dear.

We see your smile in morning rays,
We hear your voice in quiet ways.
The world feels still without your
light, But your love remains, forever
bright.

You showed us grace in all you gave,
In every hug, in how you'd brave.
A heart so pure, a soul so kind,
A love like yours is hard to find.

Though we're apart, you're not far
gone, Your memory lives, your spirit
strong. You touched our lives in
countless ways— A legacy that never
fades.

Now rest in peace, in skies above,
Your soul set free, wrapped up in
love. And when a soft wind brushes
by, We'll feel you near, and not ask
why.



MR. & MRS. LONNIE BRIDGES



Together Again