Martha

PALLBEARERS
Grandsons

FLOWER ATTENDANTS
Links Inc.
National Coalition of 100 Black Women

ENTOMBMENT
Forest Meadows Central

REPAST
Pleasanthill Baptist Church

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS
The Family thanks each of you for your kind expressions of love. May the Lord remember you as you have remembered us during this time of celebration of our beloved Mother.
~ The Reed Family ~

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WELL DONE THY
GOOD & FAITHFUL SERVANT
CEREMONY

MOTHER Martha LEE REED

ALPHA: JULY 15, 1930 | OMEGA: JANUARY 14, 2023

Saturday, January 21, 2023 11:00 AM
Pleasanthill Baptist Church
2611 NW 68th Ave | Gainesville, Florida 32653
Dr. Shirley Watts, Officiating | Rev. Dr. W.G. Mayberry, Eulogist

Mother Martha's Story

Mother Martha L. Reed was born July 15, 1930 in Madison, FL to parents Jack and Almena Buggs Smith. She was raised in the same area and, there, accepted Christ as her Savior. She moved to Gainesville, FL in 1949 and joined Mt. Olive Primitive Baptist Church. As a member for some 70 years, she sang in the choir, served on the mother's board and faithfully worked with the Pastor's Aides. During the past two years, Mother Reed joined Pleasanthill Baptist Church, where she attended with her daughter. Wherever Mother Reed was, she was a soldier for the Lord and a mighty warrior.

Mother Martha Reed was presented a Certificate of Award on September 12, 1999 that read as follows:

In appreciation of the service and dedication you have shown to the Mount Olive Primitive Baptist Church family since you became a faithful member. You have Exemplified the works of a Christian by:
*Singing in the choir and serving as President
*Serving on the Mother's Board
*Serving on the Pastor's Aide Board as Treasurer
*Serving as a Community Missionary

We proudly salute you today Mother Martha Reed for all the outstanding accomplishments at Mount Olive Primitive Baptist Church. During your many years you rendered faithful, conscientious and spirit-filled service to the youth, elderly and many others. Also, in the course of your Christian walk you have earned the respect of this church family and all the people you have come in contact with. Most of all, we thank God for allowing you to have a loving heart and to touch others lives through your tireless efforts and unfading loyalty to all.

Congratulations to you and may God continue to bless you.

Mother Martha Reed retired as a private duty caregiver. Early Saturday morning, January 14, 2023, God honored her request to just sleep away. She now rests in the arms of her Savior.

The legacy of Mother Reed continues in the hearts of three children: One Son, Jack Frazier, Sr. (Radia) of Orlando, FL; Two Daughters, Elder Earlie Thompson and Dr. Armerdell Reed Camps (Deacon James, Jr.), both of Gainesville, FL; Two children preceded her in death: Catherine Johnson(infant) and Herman Reed. Thirteen Grandchildren, and numerous great and great-great grandchildren. One Sister: Georgia Smith of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; (Deceased Sisters: Bernice Usher, Emma Bevel, Earnestine Moore); One Brother-in-law, Jessie Moore of Gainesville, FL. Special Daughters: Rose Hill, Gwen Bradley, and Jo Atwaters. A long-time friend, Joann Minshall. A host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Dr. Shirley Watts, Presiding
Pastor, Community Praise Center
Gainesville, FL

Entry of Clergy and Family
Final Glimpse

Selection — Judah 3
Miracle Tabernacle Church, Lake City, FL

Invocation — Pastor Beatrice Mallory
God's Love and Healing Ministry, Lake Butler, FL

Scripture
Old Testament — Dr. Edith Cole
Greater Bethel AME Church, Gainesville, FL

New Testament — Pastor Kyle Morris, Sr
Greater New Salem MB Church, Gainesville, FL

Tribute — Dr. Catherine Barnes
(all Grandchildren, Great- and Great-Great Grands, Please Stand)

Selection — Judah 3

Reflections — 2 Minutes Please

Resolution and Acknowledgements — Sis. Rosalyn Jones

Favorite Song — If You Can't Help Me — Min. Martha Henderson, Granddaughter

Eulogy — Rev. Dr. W.G. Mayberry
Pastor, Pleasanthill Baptist Church

Recessional