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The family of the Late Millie Dafney would like to express our deepest expressions of love and thanks to all of you for your support, prayers and thoughtfulness. Continue to pray for strength.

The Dafney Family

FINAL ARRANGMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:

Burton's Funeral Home
607 East Martin Luther King Highway
Tuskegee, Alabama 36083
(334) 727-2120

THE *Legacy* of



Millie Dafney

May 27, 1951 – January 16, 2019



Wednesday

January 23, 2019

1:00 p.m.

Greater St. Mark Missionary Baptist Church

3403 West Martin Luther King Highway

Tuskegee, Alabama 36083

Rev. Dr. Clarence P. Noble, Pastor

Pastor Stafford E. Dudley, Sr., Officiating

Greater Love Bible Church, Newnan, Georgia

A Fallen Limb



*I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me.
Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.
The good life I 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, how I truly was blessed.
Continue traditions, no matter how small.
Go on with your life, don't worry about falls
I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.
Until the day comes we're together again
—Author unknown*

Remembering the Legacy....



THE LIFE OF MILLIE....

Millie Dafney a mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin and devoted friend was born to the Late William and Otis Lee Parker, Sr. on May 27, 1951. She departed this life on January 16, 2019. Proceeding her in death, a devoted husband, John Dafney, Sr., one sister Betty P. Hughley, three brothers, Eddie Parker, William Parker II, Leroy Jackson and one grandson Monterrious Bentley.

Millie was educated in the Macon County School District. She confessed her life to Christ at an early age and later joined the St. John Missionary Baptist Church, where she served faithfully until her health began to fail.

Millie worked faithfully for several employers. Her longest career journey was with Masterlocke in Auburn, Alabama and Tuskegee University, Tuskegee, Alabama.

She leaves to cherish her memories and mourn her absence, her three children: Cynthia (James) Burgess, Powder Springs, Georgia, two sons, Steven (Charlene) Gordon, Notasulga, Alabama and William (Sharonda) Gordon, Gastonia, North Carolina. One special son by love, Terrance (Angela) Johnson, Wetumpka, Alabama. Eleven grandchildren: Monique (Antonio) Ross, Atlanta, GA, Kierres Burgess, Decatur, GA, Yasheka (Demetrius) Morris, Fort Mitchell, AL, Kenitra Lyles, Ft. Hamilton, NY, Kymbria Bentley, Notasulga, AL, Kennan Gordon, Powder Springs, GA, Jonathan Strickland, Auburn, AL, Shamy Gordon, Tallassee, AL, TiCianna Gordon, Gastonia, NC, Nicholas Burgess, Powder Springs, GA and Parker Gordon of Gastonia, NC; Two Sisters; Mary Ogletree, Notasulga, AL, Carolyn Lanier, Auburn, AL; Four brothers; Henry (Ann) Parker, Frank (Sheretta) Parker both of Atlanta, GA, Larry (Priscilla) Parker, Cleveland, OH, Alexander (Brenda) James, Notasulga, AL, three sister-n-laws; Ruby Dafney, Notasulga, AL, Isaphine Jackson, Montgomery, AL and Patricia Parker, Auburn, AL, One brother-n-law, Winston Hughley, Tuskegee, AL and nine great-grandchildren.

A special friend and sister-n-law, Wilma Jean Fields, Auburn, Alabama. A host of nieces, nephews and other devoted family members.

ORDER OF SERVICE



Processional

Selection

Scripture..... Pastor Horace S. White
St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Notasulga, Alabama
New Testament
Old Testament

Prayer.....Rev. Rodell Poole
New Love Union Baptist Church, Westpoint, Georgia

Reflections

As a Friend..... Sandra Hall
As a Church Member Dea. Joseph Lynch, Jr.
As a Childhood Mom Sheroderick Smith
As a Sister.....Larry Parker & Frank Parker

Selection

Eulogy.....Pastor Strafford E. Dudley, Sr.
Greater Love Bible Church, Newnan, Georgia

Recessional

Interment:
St. John Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery
Notasulga, Alabama
Repast:
Grady' s Recreational Center
Notasulga, Alabama

Remembering the Legacy....



God Saw You Getting Tired....



*God saw you getting tired
When a cure was not to be.
So he wrapped His arms around you,
And whispered, "Come with me".
You didn't deserve what you went through,
And so He gave you rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He only takes the best.
So when I saw you sleeping,
So peaceful and free from pain.
I could not wish you to come back,
to suffer that all again.*

