

## FLORAL BEARERS

*Friends of The Family*

## PALL BEARERS

*Family*



*Her children rise up and call her blessed;  
Her husband also, and he praises her:*

*Proverbs 31: 28*

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The McDuffie Family would like to express sincere thanks and appreciation to all of the friends and relatives for the kindness shown during this time.

Thank you Freedom Chapel AME Zion Church Family, Buie Funeral Home, First Health Home Health and Hospice/Palliative care staff, Angie Hale and Rosalie Davis.

*The McDuffie Family*



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*Home Going Celebration*

*In Loving Memory Of*

*Betty Jo McDuffie*

**Sunrise**

*July*

*17,*

*1*

*9*

*4*

*7*

**Sunset**

*May*

*28,*

*2*

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Wednesday, June 3, 2020 • 3:00 PM

*Graveside Service*

**FREEDOM CHAPEL AME ZION  
CHURCH CEMETERY**

Raeford, North Carolina

**Rev. Dr. Jeanette Jones**

**OFFICIATING**

## ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL ..... *Minister and Family*

SONG SELECTION ..... *David Purcell*

SCRIPTURES READING ..... *Mary Harris*

Old Testament ..... *Deuteronomy 6: 4-5*

New Testament ..... *John 14: 16*

PRAYER OF COMFORT ..... *Pastor Johnson*

OBITUARY ..... *Please Read Silently*

EULOGY ..... *Rev. Dr. Jeanette Jones*

SONG SELECTION ..... *Brenda Monroe*



**INTERMENT**

**Freedom Chapel AMEZ Church Cemetery**  
Raeford, North Carolina

## THE OBITUARY

*Betty Jo Farmer* was born to the late Earnest McMillian and Clara Mae Farmer in Hoke County on July 17, 1947.

Betty Jo Farmer was joined in holy matrimony to Leroy McDuffie, Sr. on May 15, 1965. To this union of 55 years, they shared together four children: Leroy, Jr., Angela, Dwight and Dexter.

On May 28, 2020, Mrs. Betty Jo McDuffie transitioned to be with the Lord while at home and surrounded by her loving family.

She leaves to cherish memories and mourn her passing: Leroy McDuffie, Sr. of the home; her children: Leroy McDuffie, Jr. (Jennifer) of Stafford, VA, Angela McDuffie Waugh of Bronx, NY, Dwight McDuffie (Rachel) of Menifee, CA, Dexter T. McDuffie, Sr. (Shannon) of Winterville, NC and Roy Lee Hailey of Rockhill, SC; her brothers: Ralph Shaw (Willie Mae) of Waxhaw, NC, Ronald Davis of NY, NY, James Shaw of Valdosta, GA, Lacey and James Farmer (Bessie) preceded in death; her sisters, Brenda Martin (Arnold) of Bronx, NY, Valerie Harvey (George) of Harlem, NY, Linda Galberth (Jack) of Raeford, NC preceded in death; three sisters-in-law: Nettie McDuffie, Essie McDuffie King and Doreatha Rice; two aunts: Lena Mae Shaw and Annie Bell Farmer; twelve grandchildren: Leroy III, Dillon, Talisa, Dondré, Sonji, Kayla, Dexter, Jr., Dennis Chandler, Madison, Roy, Jr., William and Christopher; five great grandchildren: Paityn, Karter, Mason, Destiny and Bryson. She also leaves behind nieces, nephews and a host of other

relatives. She also leaves behind some very special friends: Rev. Dr. Jeanette Jones, Mary McLaughlin, Marilyn Purcell, Annie Miles and Upchurch Graduating Classes of 64' and 66'.



### *A Silent Tear*

Just close your eyes and you will see,  
All the memories that you have of me.

Just sit and relax and you will find,  
I'm really still there inside your mind.

Don't cry for me now I'm gone,  
For I am in the land of song.  
There is no pain, there is no fear,  
So dry away that silent tear.

Don't think of me in the dark and cold,  
For here I am, no longer old.  
I'm in that place that's filled with love,  
Known to you all, as "up above".

~ Author Unknown ~