

For You.....

Mom, you were just a girl
So many years ago.
You had your loves and had your dreams,
You watched us come and go.
You watched us make the same mistakes,
That you had made before,
But that just made you hold us tight,
And love us all the more.
We haven't always thought about
The things that you have seen.
To us you've just been 'Mother',
No thought of who you've been.
But we remember now in love,
Your life from start to end,
And we're just glad we knew you,
As Mother, and as Friend.

--With Love.....

Monica & Otis Jr.



Acknowledgements

The Family of **Mrs. Nina Lenora Street Verbal** would like to express their sincerest gratitude for every thought, prayer, visit, and act of kindness shown during the passing of our loved one. We will never forget your thoughtfulness and prayers during this difficult time. We thank God for each and everyone of you.

~The Family

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Heavens Gates Have Opened For

Mrs. Nina Lenora Street Verbal



Sunrise
October 1, 1944

Sunset
December 20, 2020



Funeral Service
Wednesday, December 30, 2020
2:00PM

Knotts Funeral Home
719 Wall Street
Sanford, North Carolina

Bishop Wayne McKoy, Eulogist

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

ProcessionalClergy and Family

Solo.....Tenette Judd

Scripture Readings.....Elder Allen McLean

Old Testament ~ Psalm 27: 1-9

New Testament ~ Colossians 3:15-17

Prayer of Comfort.....Elder Alexander Holmes

Acknowledgements / Obituary.....Mrs. Lula Knotts Thomas

Remarks (2 Minutes please)

Solo.....Tenette Judd

Eulogy.....Bishop Wayne McKoy

Recessional



Obituary



On Saturday, December 20, 2020, Nina Lenora Street Verbal transitioned to be with the Lord while at Sanford Health and Rehabilitation in Sanford, NC. She was 76 years old.

Nina was the youngest of eight children born to the late Mr. and Mrs. Eugene and Bessie Street of Sanford, NC. She found the Lord early on in life and attended

Mt. Nebo Baptist Church as a child along with her siblings. Nina completed her formal education in the Lee County School System and graduated from W.B. Wicker School in 1962. She was an active member of the James Hill Chapter Order of the Eastern Star where she served as Worthy Matron, and as well, the G. Wesley Allen #324 Order of the Golden Circle where she served as Supervisor over the Gleaners, both positions, well over twenty years until the decline of her health.

She was an avid cook and nutritionist at Blandonia Presbyterian Church. She was also employed at First Presbyterian Church of Sanford in the same position. Nina had a love for people. She loved to sing and had a voice like no other and was always asked to sing for many social and church events.

She is preceded in death by her husband of thirty five years, Mr. Otis Verbal Sr.; her two brothers, Mr. James Street of Sanford, NC and Mr. Warren Street of Miami, FL.

Nina is survived by her daughter, Ms. Monica Saunders of Durham, NC; her son, Mr. Otis Verbal Jr., of Erwin, NC. She was the grandmother of six grandchildren, Mrs. Kachina (Jason) Byrd of Durham, NC., Mr. Troy Saunders Jr. of Manhattan, NY, Mr. Julion Saunders of Detroit, MI, Mr. Jeremy Verbal of Laurel, MD, Ms. Tina Verbal of Charlotte, NC, and Ms. Gabrielle Verbal of Fayetteville, NC. Nina also has four great grandchildren that she leaves to mourn, Kimani Cotton, Jaden Byrd, Janae Byrd, of Durham, NC, and the newest addition to the family Brooklynn Verbal of Laurel, MD; five sisters, Mrs. Stella Haywood of Camden, NJ, Mrs. Geneva McCormick of Babylon, NY, Mrs. Velma Ethridge of Appling, GA, Mrs. Alma Medley (Issac) of Sicklerville, NJ and Ms. Evelyn Davis of Hamden, CT. She also has two surviving sisters-in law, Mrs. Esther Street of Sanford, NC and Magalene Wilson of Miami, FL. Nina has a loving host of nieces, nephews, and close relatives and friends that will truly miss her. She was loved by everyone who came in contact with her. She was a little lady with a BIG Personality, who never met a stranger. Her memory will live on through each of us.