

Pall Bearers

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Acknowledgements

For much more than the words "Thank You" could ever express, the family of Mrs. Betty Margaret Douglas Lewis extends sincere expressions of gratitude for the many acts of kindness, cards, flowers and your prayers during the passing of our loved one. Your thoughtfulness will be a source of comfort for days to come.

~ The Family ~

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In Loving Memory Of

Mrs. Betty Margaret Douglas Lewis

Sunrise
May 23, 1938

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Sunset
January 22, 2021

Funeral Service
11:00 AM
Saturday, January 30, 2021
Knotts Funeral Home
719 Wall Street
Sanford, North Carolina



Order of Service

- Musical Prelude
- ProcessionalClergy and Family
- Selection
- Scripture Readings:
 - Old Testament.....Cathy Smith
 - New Testament.....Cathy Smith
- Prayer of Comfort.....Monica Headen
- Acknowledgements / Remarks.....Family and Friends
- Obituary (Read Silently)
- Selection
- Words of Comfort
- Recessional



Interment

Lee Memory Garden
 2600 Hawkins Avenue
 Sanford, North Carolina 27330

Obituary

On January 22, 2021, Ms. Betty D. Lewis transitioned to God. She was the fifth child born to Bennie R. Douglas and Pansy B. Douglas, with sisters and brothers Ola, Lemuel, James, Mozelle, Wilbert, and Hazel. Raised in rural Lee County, Betty Lewis matriculated through Lee County Schools and graduated from WB Wicker High School. She continued her education at Fayetteville State University. On March 18, 1960, Betty married Clarence Lewis. Birthed from their union was Sherryl Lewis, Cassandra Ekwem-White, and Clarence Eric Lewis. Following naval retirement, the family returned to Lee County, NC.

Betty was a lifelong member at Mount Olive Baptist Church in Moncure, NC. As a youth and young adult, you could find Betty serving the youth department, representing MOBC as a delegate for BTU, and singing in the Moncure Trio. Her servant's heart carried into adulthood as she worked as an usher and on the kitchen committee. Betty was a faithful member, you could find her sitting in the middle of the left side of the church, singing quietly with the choir and attentively listening to the preached Word. When she was not working, worshipping, or maintaining her home, you could find Betty bowling in her younger days. You might find her watching her recorded soap operas or cheering for her favorite football team (Carolina Panthers) or baseball team (LA Dodgers). She loved good conversation and a good laugh. She enjoyed soulful music and watching CNN. Betty is known for her culinary skills and her cakes. Betty was known for how she loved her family and community at large. She had a big heart, would tell you the truth and help you without judgment. She taught her family the value of selecting a quality in people. One of her proudest lifetime achievements seeing President Obama and Vice President Kamala Harris take the office of President and Vice-President of the United States.

She lived an honorable life. Preceding her in death, were her parents; four siblings, and her husband.

Left to carry her legacy are her children, Sherryl, Cassandra, and Eric; grandchildren: Ashley (Lester) McLeod, Donte (Crystal) Lewis, Darryl Lewis, Erica White, and Christopher White. Her nine great-grandchildren: Jasmine (Sam) Wiggins, Faith Thorpe, Derrick Thorpe Jr., Josiah White, Masen Lewis, Nylah Lewis, Norah Lewis, Sevan Lewis, Erin Lewis, and one great-great-grandchild O'Lani Wiggins. Also left to mourn are siblings James Douglas of Phoenix, and Hazel Atwater; her sisters-in-law, Gloria Palmer and Erlene Lewis, and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. Betty was blessed to see four generations.

She was loved deeply and will be missed by many!!