

Acknowledgements

Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words,
as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all,
just thought of us that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts,
we thank you so much, whatever the part.

The Family of Zenia Thomas



Psalms 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.



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In Loving Memory of

Zenia Thomas

Sunrise: August 31, 1964

Sunset: August 12, 2020



Monday, September 21, 2020

Gathering – 10:30 a.m.

Memorial Service – 11:00 a.m.

Preston Charles Funeral Home

400 N. Wayne Avenue
Lockland, Ohio 45215

Rev. John B. Ivey, *Officiating*

Obituary

Zenia Thomas was born in Chicago, Illinois on August 31, 1964 to her parents, Queen E. Thomas and Carl White. Zenia weighed 4lbs at birth and was given the nickname "Tiny".

She attended Spalding Elementary School for children with special needs in Chicago. She resided most of her life in extended care facilities.

She loved to paint and sold some of her paintings. Zenia was the oldest daughter of four brothers and sisters, Rodney Thomas of Chicago, Michael Thomas deceased, Bernice Thomas and Charlon Thomas.

The doctors told the family Zenia would never walk nor communicate verbally, but God chose to differ. She loved to watch movies and participate in games and activities in the Bella Terra Nursing Facility. She loved to tease the nurses and other caretakers, especially Melina and Danny.

Zenia has transitioned to a better place without any limitations, physically or mentally. She is Jesus' child now; free from earthly disabilities. We will miss her smiles, smart mouth, but will forever keep her in our hearts. She is home now.

She leaves to mourn: her mother, Queen E. Thomas; Aunt Gennie; two sisters and one brother; nephews, Laroy Smith and John Smith; cousins, special friends, Melina, Danny and Nursing Staff and Bella Terra Nursing Home. The family wishes to thank all those who loved on Zenia and cared for her.

Order of Service

Prayer

Scripture

Selection

Eulogy

Benediction

Recessional



God's Garden

*God looked around his garden and found an empty place,
He then looked down upon the earth and saw your tired face.*

He put His arms around you and lifted you to rest.

God's garden must be beautiful, He always takes the best.

He knew you were suffering, He knew you were in pain.

He knew that you would never get well on earth again.

He saw the road was getting rough and the hills hard to climb.

He closed your weary eyelids and whispered, 'Peace be thine'.

It broke our hearts to lose you, but you didn't go alone,

For part of us went with you the day God called you home.