You Are Not Forgotten You are not forgotten, loved one Nor will you ever be. As long as life and memory last We will remember thee. We miss you now, our hearts are sore As time goes by we'll miss you more. Your loving smile, your gentle face. No one can fill your vacant place.

Family Gratitude

The Family of Ernestine McLin would like to express their most sincere appreciation for all the love and kindness shown during this time. Your words and deeds have not gone unnoticed or unappreciated. May God bless you all.

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Mrs. Ernestine (Word) McLin

Greetings: January 9, 1936

Farwell: April 23, 2023



Saturday, May 6, 2023 Visitation: 10:00 a.m. Celebratio

Celebration: 11:00 a.m.

Pentecostal Cathedral C.O.G.I.C. 1025 W. Western Avenue • South Bend, Indiana 46601 Bishop Donald L. Alford Sr., Pastor

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The Obituary

rnestine (Word) McLin, a resident of Mishawaka, Indiana passed from this life on Sunday, April 23, 2023, at the age of 87.

Ernestine was born on January 9, 1936, in Trenton, Tennessee, to Nathaniel Word and Emma (Shaw) Terrell. She received her education in Trenton, Tennessee. She was married in Kansas City, Missouri to Floyd McLin. Ernestine was a homemaker.

Ernestine leaves to cherish her memory a daughter, Marian (Robert) Butler of South Bend, Indiana; sons: James (Loretta) Thomas and Andre McLin, both of South Bend, Indiana, and Roosevelt Thomas of Elizabeth Town, Kentucky; 17 grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren; a sister, Aretha Pearl Golston; and a brother, Kevin Williams, both of Kansas City, Missouri.

Loved ones who preceded her in death include her husband, Floyd McLin; sons: David Renee Parker. And Danny Eugene Thomas; her mother, Emma Terrell; her father, Nathaniel Word; and a brother, Nathaniel Word Jr.



The Order of Service

Saturday, May 6, 2023 • 11:00 a.m.

Pentecostal Cathedral Church of God in Christ

Pastor Howard Edwards, Officiating

Processional	Clergy, Family and Friends
Prayer	Clergy

The Holy Scriptures

Old Testament Reading	Clergy
New Testament Reading	Clergy
Solo	Andre Banks
Reflections [2 minutes]	Family and Friends
Reading of the Obituary	Alicia Herring
Eulogy	Pastor Howard Edwards
Recessional	Clergy, Family and Friends



¹ The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. ² He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. ³ He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. ⁴ 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. ⁵ Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. ⁶ 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.