

Pallbearers

Curtis Walton Jr. Cortney Diggins Quincy McLeod
Edker McLeod Jr. Torrence McLeod Jermaine McLeod

Honorary Pallbearers

Lonnie Harris Jr. Quincy McLeod Jr. Phillip McLeod
Cortney Diggins Jr. DeAngelo Buchannon Jalen White
Carlos Diggins Bishop Stephen Reed Anthony Love
Kenny Love Trevion Thomas

~ Nothing Loved is Ever Lost ~

** Due to Covid 19 there will not be a repast. **

Family Gratitude

The outpour of special words and deeds have brought so much joy to the family of Shirley J. Love-Sizemore. They extend their more sincere appreciation. God bless you all.

Arrangements Entrusted To



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**"Be Very Sure, Be Very Sure
Your Anchor Holds, and Grips the Solid Rock."**

Mrs. Shirley Jean Love-Sizemore

Sunrise: March 19, 1946

Sunset: December 26, 2020



Celebration of Life

Tuesday, January 5, 2021

Visitation: 11:00 a.m.

Celebration: 12:00 p.m.

Alford's Mortuary

1222 Napier Street • South Bend, Indiana 46601

Pastor Rickardo Taylor Sr., Officiating



Our Time Together

Shirley Jean Love-Sizemore transitioned peacefully at the age of 74 on December 26, 2020. On March 19, 1946, Shirley was born to Leroy Love Sr. and Cora Love. Shirley was a lifelong resident of South Bend, Indiana.

She loved the Lord. As a long-time member of the Church of Jesus Christ, she exuded love, compassion, kindness, and respect to all individuals she encountered. She is a wife, mother, and woman who embodies the character and holiness of God. Her hobbies and favorite activities were singing, cooking (famous for sweet potato pies and dressing), family gatherings, and playing cards. In 1986, she met and was courted by Don Sizemore and the two were married a year later.

Loved ones left to cherish her memory include her husband of 34 years, Don Sizemore; her mother, Cora Love of Mishawaka, Indiana; six sons: Curtis (Rochelle) Walton Jr., Cortney (Orneshia) Diggins, Edker McLeod Jr., all of South Bend, Indiana; Quincy (Aaron) McLeod of Goshen, Indiana; Torrence (Candace) McLeod of LaGrange, Indiana; Jermaine McLeod of McPherson, Kansas; one daughter, Donna (Danny) Gerencer of Mishawaka, Indiana; three brothers: Charles Love, Terry Love, of South Bend, Indiana, Johnny (Georgianna) Love of Cincinnati, Ohio; three sisters: Gail (Wayman) Husband of South Bend, Indiana, Beverly (Raymond) Love-Holt of Mishawaka, Indiana, Sharon (Wayne) Clark of Surprise, Arizona; best friend of 50+ years, Barbara K. Chase of Killeen, Texas; 40+ grandchildren, 50+ great-grandchildren; along with a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Shirley was preceded in death by Leroy Love Sr. (father); Leroy Love Jr. (brother); Ollie Mae Exum (sister); Carlos Diggins (Son); Cherise Diggins (daughter); Renell Exum (nephew), and Rochelle Exum (niece).

Order of Celebration

Tuesday, January 5, 2021 • 1:00 p.m.

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Processional Clergy and Family

Prayer Clergy

The Holy Scriptures

Old Testament Reading Clergy

New Testament Reading Charles Love

Mime Ministry Jason Diggins

Musical Selection Sheila Brown and Sharon Clark

Acknowledgments & Reading of the Obituary Imani Diggins

Special Memories From The Family

Reflections [2 minutes, please] Friends

Eulogy Pastor Rickardo Taylor Sr.

Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church

Recessional Clergy, Family, and Friends

Until That Great 'Gettin'-Up Day'

Mount Pleasant Cemetery • South Bend, Indiana

