

Perhaps you prayed a prayer, called or sent a text. Perhaps you spoke some of the kindest words as any friend could do. Perhaps you bought food or stopped by just to lend a hand no matter what you did it was greatly appreciated. We wish to thank the doctors, nurses and staff of Harbor Hospice, you made our loved ones transition a bearable one. We would also like to thank Sunrise Home Health for your services. Whatever each of you may have done to help console our hearts during this journey. We say thank you.

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ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Dwayne Philip Horsley Greg Peace Jerard Hamilton Tyrone Willis Freman Gilmore Andra Gilmore

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Keith Gilmore
Robert Bonner Jr.
Ronald Goodwin
Rollins Gilmore
Bryson Horsley
Lawrence Banks Jr.

FLOWER BEARERS

Ushers

EARTHLY RESTING PLACE

Laurel Land Memorial Park Dallas, Texas





Remembering Our Beloved

Mother Dear, thank you for always being there for me when I was sick you healed me sometimes with a brown rub and a warm cloth on my chest nightly until I was well with your homemade medicine It worked. You were so happy when I got married and announced it to everyone at church. Thank you for always being there for me through the good, bad, pretty and ugly.

Lovingly your daughter, Pat

Big Mama,

What can we say about the grandmother who when I got a bad grade in math and was on punishment, came in my room helped me sneak on the floor to watch "Good Times" and then helped me with my math. Or, what could I say about the grandmother who gave me her love for "boss hats", to wear on Sundays. Or, even the grandmother who talked me into driving to...well we were supposed to end up in Padre Island but we never made it, we had a lot of fun on the road. And finally, the grandmother when I told her that I was about to become a mother, the first thing you said. "Don't give the child a name I can't say or remember"...her name was MaKayla Caprice and not only did you remember how to say it many times she was the only one who could get you to do anything. Big Mommy is what she affectionally called you. We will miss your sassy ways and the wisdom you gave us. I am so thankful to God that you got to see me become a mother.

Love Mistie and MaKayla

Thank you, Big Mama, for teaching us how to be Godly women and teaching us God's word. When we were younger you gave us some of the realest explanations about things of the world. You often said when we heard certain people sing songs in church "that song doesn't have any spiritual value" we didn't understand but we certainly do now. Thank you for teaching us how to pray. When your health really began to decline and your often didn't speak I asked God for a few things, to allow you to see your 91st birthday HE did that, to allow you to see another Resurrection Sunday HE did that, I asked to hear your voice one more time HE did that. Most of all I asked Him to call you home before you suffered anymore, I saw you on Sunday evening and I felt in my spirit that would be the last time I saw you alive, well Big Mama God did that too you caught the morning train to glory. See you in the morning just know you can't "Crown Him until I get there".

Your granddaughters Mistie and Sylvia (your namesake)

Big Mama, thank you for the gift of love. Now you're sharing it from up above. You had many things to say and it was in such a caring way. You always saw the good in everyone no matter what they've done. You will truly be missed.

Lovingly, Ronald Guante Goodwin

Sis, I love you very much and will miss you, but I know you are with the Lord now and that brings me much happiness. Knowing you are now with our mom, dad and brothers feels my heart with joy. Sis you always looked after me as a child and when I got out of the service you made sure I found a job (smile), you let me stay with you until I moved to Portland, Oregon. Sis you will be missed not only by me but by my wife Donna, you were a real sister to her and I thank you for that. Adrianne will miss her Aunt Sis also. Rest in His love sis. Good night see you in the morning.

Love always James (Bubba) and Donna



Forever Un Our Hearts



Therished Memories

"GOD HAS SPOKEN"

ALPHA: On March 31, 1927, SYLVERINE JACKSON was born to the union of Son and Aver Jackson, the second and only girl out of 6 children in Linden (Cass County), Texas. Sylverine was baptized at an early age at the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. Sylverine attended Fairview High School where she played basketball.

In 1944, she married her love, Wilbert Lee Horsley and one child was born to this union, a baby girl, Willard Dean Horsley. She later wed Rev. Fred C. Parker and although no children were born to this union she gained another daughter and raised Patricia Parker. Sylverine's love and desire to not only read the bible but understand Gods word she was compelled to enroll in D. Edwin Johnson Theological Institute where she

earned a degree in Theology.

In her strong commitment to Christ not only in the word but through singing and praying. If you knew her she would sing and pray you happy all for the glory of God. God favored her along with her husband Rev. Parker to minister in the role of First Lady and teacher at New Jerusalem Baptist Church in Telephone, Texas and Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Rowlett, Texas, where many of the young people from those churches and communities still today speak highly of her. Some of her favorite songs to sing were: Never Grow Old, Lord Don't Move the Mountain, Give me my flowers, Guide me Over thy Great Jehovah, May the Work I've done, and Use me Lord to name a few.

In 1966, she gained the son she never had when Willard Dean married Willis (Tony) Reeves she was well pleased in that she affectionally referred to him as "Son". She became known as Big Mama when her first granddaughter was born but others called her that also.

Sylverine worked for many years as a housekeeper and assisted in raising several children, The Tripps, Shiners who are still apart of her extended family today.

Sylverine united with the Grace of God Baptist Church under the leadership of Robert L. Bonner Jr. and was faithful until her health began to decline.

OMEGA: On Monday, May 7 at 6:05 a.m. Sylverine took the wings of the morning and caught that morning train to glory. Preceded in death were her parents, Son and Aver Jackson; brothers, W.M, and Son Jr.; son in love, Willis (Tony) Reeves; granddaughter April Parker.

Left to cherish her precious memories: daughters: Willard Dean Horsley Reeves and Patricia Parker Taylor both of Dallas, Texas; brother: James (Bubba) Jackson (Donna) of Portland, Oregon; grandchildren: Dwayne Philip Horsley (Sharon) Garland, Texas, Mistie and Sylvia Reeves both of Dallas, Texas, Kenan Parker of Dallas, Texas; great grandchildren: Bryson, Kiersten, MaKayla, Anthony; two great-great grandchildren; nieces and nephews: Alice Woods, Annie Hamilton, Jerard Hamilton, Marcus Jackson, Greg Peace, Levert Willis, Adrianne Jackson; special grandchildren: Dominic Godfrey, Paula Singleton, Lawrence Banks Jr., Ronald Goodwin.



Order of Vervice

Processional Pastor and Family
Scripture Readings Old Testament
Invocation
SoloSis. Alice Woods <i>"When He Calls Me"</i>
Resolutions Grace of God Baptist Church and Others
Remarks Limit 3 Minutes, Please
SoloSis. Vanessa Watson "May the Work I've Done"
Obituary (Read Silently)
SoloSis. Louise Thompson "Use Me Lord"
Eulogy
Parting ViewGolden Gate Funeral Directors
Benediction Minister Jeri'l Robinson

Repass will be at Grace of God Baptist Church 601 N. Hampton Road Desoto, Texas



To MuDear

You taught me to be independent and to always put God first in everything I do. I always knew you loved me by your actions and deeds. You set an example by living a Godly life before me. When you looked at me and I said little girl you have to eat "you would say no and I would said yes" I knew you wanted to tell me I was being bossy I still loved you. I know you will be my angel watching over me. Rest for now and I will keep pressing on until that Great Day comes when we all get together on Resurrection Day. It's see you later not good bye. Loving you always.

Your Baby Girl, Deenie