

TRIBUTE TO GRANNY

Granny was a person everyone wanted to be around. She would always put a smile on your face without ever trying. She was an extremely hard worker and worked until she was 87 yrs old. She would always put anyone before her no matter what the situation was, even if it was out of her way, she would be there for her family. She was a bright light in the midst of the dark, and her beautiful smile and humor could lighten any room. To know her was a blessing and a gift. She truly was a special, special woman. She may have passed on, but her memories will always live on within us. We thank you for your sacrifices, your care and concern, your love and everything that you have done for us. Wherever you are, we know you are in a much better place. We will be forever grateful and thankful that you are our Granny. You will forever be loved and missed.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of Mrs. Emma Booker acknowledges with great appreciation your kindness to us during her passing and the celebration of her life. It is during this time of sorrow we learn how much our friends mean to us. Your kindness, sympathy and expressions of love will always be remembered. May God Bless You All.

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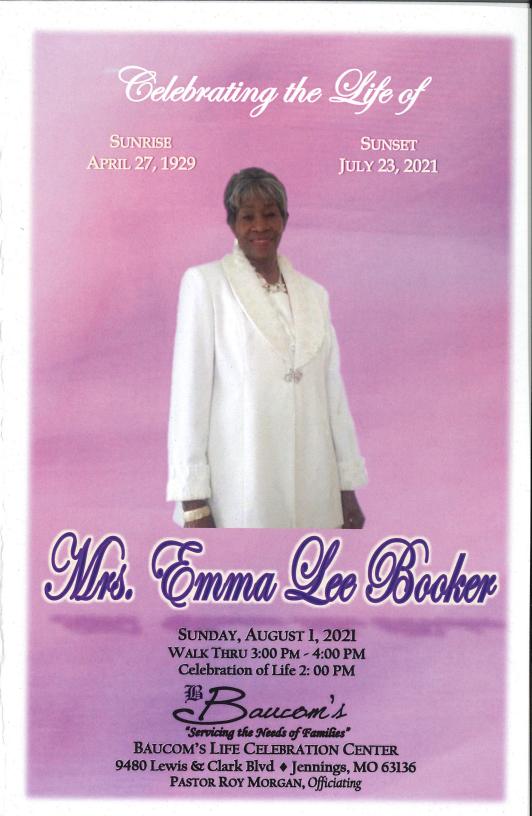
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Order of Service

Open Prayer

Scripture Reading

Musical Selection

Minister Nicholas Grice

Acknowledgements & Condolences

Remarks (2 minutes)

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Life Reflections

(Read silently, soft music)

Words of Comfort

Pastor Roy Morgan

Closing Prayer & Benediction

Beyond Life's Gateway

There's an open gate at the end of the road
Through which each must go alone
And there, in a light we cannot see,
Our Father claims His own...
Beyond the gate your loved one
Finds happiness and rest,
And there is comfort in the thought
That a loving God knows best.

Life Reflections

Emma Lee Booker, a life-long resident of Indianapolis, Indiana, died on Friday, July 23, 2021 at the young age of 92 years old in St. Louis, Missouri. She was born April 27, 1929 in Covington, Tennessee to Arthur and Monteen (Blakenship) Taylor. Both parents preceded her in death.

Emma was educated in the Indianapolis School system and obtained her high school diploma. She married Floyd Booker and he also preceded her in death.

Emma, affectionately known as "Granny," was a devoted mother and grandmother who was the Matriarch of our family. Granny owned and operated her own business, 'Emma's Cleaning Service,' up until her move to St. Louis, Missouri in 2015.

Granny was an active member of the True
Belief Baptist Church where she was awarded
The Golden Girls award that she cherished with all her heart. Granny
was a woman of God and was involved in many church activities at
True Belief Baptist Church including serving on the women's
committee, acted as nurse to those in need, and was a faithful and
devoted usher. She enjoyed the casino, traveling, and just hanging out
with the Golden Girls at Ryans or Red Lobster for lunch or dinner.

In addition to her parents and husband, Granny was also preceded in death by her son, Billy Johnson and daughter, Marilyn Jones; grandchildren, Eddie Jones and Jonice Johnson; and her fur baby Pearl.

Granny Emma leaves to cherish precious memories with her children, Linda Johnson (St Louis, MO), Lillie Booker (Indianapolis, IN) and Willie Taylor (Cincinnati, OH); Grandchildren, LaJoy Andrews-Dabney (St. Louis, MO) and Cherie Thompson, Sylvia Booker, Betty Johnson, David Johnson, Matonya Johnson, and Stephen Stith all of Indianapolis, IN; and a host of great and great-great grandchildren and friends. Granny will be deeply missed by her family and friends and all who knew and loved her.