

A Celebration of Life

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Jeremiah 29:11

A TIME TO BE BORN

Loving and radiant, Bernice Elizabeth Tyson was the third oldest sibling of eight children born to the late James and Gloria Tyson in Baltimore MD on August 31, 1952.

A TIME TO BUILD

Bernice who was affectionately called "Bunny" by those who knew her, was educated in the Baltimore City Public School System and graduated from Eastern High School in June 1970. Continuing her education, Bunny attended the Community College of Baltimore. She worked various jobs, her most recent employment included Nursing Assistant at St. Agnes Hospital and lastly working in Radiology at Sinai Hospital from which she retired after 38 years in 2018.

A TIME TO LOVE

Bernice had many loves, first and foremost she loved the LORD. Secondly she loved her son Dana Donnell Clark who preceded her in death.

She loved her sisters and brother. She also loved **ALL** their children. Every year on her nieces and nephews birthday each one of them would receive a birthday card with money in it from her.

Bunny loved her Central Church of Christ family, from the oldest to the youngest and brought joy to many by her loving joyful spirit. She especially loved traveling with her Christian sisters.

A TIME DIE

In the spring of 1994 Bernice died to her old way of living and gladly embraced the life of a Christian after she was introduced to the Gospel by her sister Gloria Dowd and the late Joanna Parsons.

Her walk in Christ influenced many to take Christ serious and seek his way of living.

After her obedience to Christ, Bernice served on several ministries to include the Communion, Nursery and Single Sisters ministries to name a few.

A TIME TO CHERISH HER MEMORIES

Bernice was a generous person who gave to everyone and every cause. She loved to laugh, have fun and make jokes. She did not let things get her down and encouraged others to be joyful too.

She was a great cook but especially an excellent baker, her biscuits and rolls were often requested at family gatherings. If you had her coconut or pineapple upside down cake you never wanted anyone else's.

Bunny was the Good Samaritan of her neighborhood always visiting and sending cards to those in need.

Bernice was an unselfish, loving and kind person who inspired all who knew her. Her wisdom, thoughtfulness, kindness and understanding ways endeared her to relatives, friends and neighbors throughout the years. Though she is no longer with us physically her memory lives on in those left to cherish her: one brother, James N. Tyson; six sisters, Gloria J. Dowd (Larry), Doris E. Smith, Sharon E. James, Adrienne Y. Tyson, Althea I. Tyson and Paula E. Lacks; four aunts, Evelyn Joyner, Ruby Butler (Alonzo), Esther Flowers (Lacey), Joyce Myers (Alonzo); six nieces, Yvonna R. Moore, Latanya Scarborough, LaShawn Scott, Jenell Ross (Lorenzo), Tyra Banks, Shera James; four nephews, David Tyson (Deana), Dwayne Tyson, Alexander Smith (Shari), London Lacks; eleven great nieces and four great nephews; Two best friends Elaine Jordan and Letty Brighton; and a host of other relatives and friends.

