Floral Bearers

Nieces

<u>Pallbearers</u>

Nephews



"Back Together Again'

Although you are gone from our lives, you shall forever be remembered in our hearts. If all it took was love to keep you here, you would never have left at all. Remembering you is easy; Forgetting is so hard. We shall forever love and remember you.

Children and Grandchildren

With Appreciation

The family of the late Mother Mary Ruth Hutchinson wishes to extend their deepest thanks for all acts of kindness shown during their time of bereavement.

~The Family ~

Professional Service Arrangements Entrusted To:

Lester Lackey & Sons

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This note is to express sympathy and our appreciation for your trust in us. It is our purpose to give thoughtful service, and if in doing so we have helped to lighten your burden, our aim has been accomplished. We sincerely hope that our services have been deserving of your confidence.



~ Remembering ~

On August 28, 1936, God had a special delivery for Oscar and Lerlene Weaver: a baby girl they would name Mary, the youngest of twelve. For Mary to educate herself in the segregated south, she had to walk four miles back and forth to the Rose Hill School, and later the Washington Street School. A young Mary joined the Early Hope Baptist Church and started working in the choir and helping with the youth department, among other tasks.

In 1972, she met and married Johnny Hutchinson. As they worked faithfully in the church, God elevated Johnny into the Ministry. Mary (already the President of the Senior Choir at her home church), supported him as he pastored at Summer Hill Baptist Church, by playing piano and starting a youth choir there. When Reverend Hutchinson felt the call to start a new church, his quiet first lady saw how much work it needed, and said, "I know you ain't about to make this into a church." But with much work, and by God's grace and mercy, that's just what Calvary Temple became. Mary served there as the founder, musician, secretary, and treasurer, among other things, even after her husband passed away. Mary loved her family, and always put herself last. She was full of wisdom and knowledge, which she would share to anyone who would listen.

On Tuesday, January 28, 2020, God saw that Mary was tired and said unto her, "Come, my faithful servant, and take your rest." Preceding her in death were her parents Oscar and Lerlene Weaver, her husband, Pastor Johnny Hutchinson, three sisters; Frances Nelson, Sarah Pointer, and Nellie Campbell, seven brothers Parks, Homer, Howard, Ernest, Anree, James, and Glen Weaver, and one grandchild, Sherikia Wyatt.

She leaves to cherish her beautiful memory; three daughters; Minister Kimberly Usher, Charlene Banks, and Tawana Rowan, three sons; Zabie Wyatt, Minister Anthony Hutchinson, and Duane Hutchinson, seven grandchildren; Cherish, Charmika, Leah, Christian, Destiny, Sage, and Reyna, and one great grandchild, Sharmaria Lattimore. She is also remembered by a beautiful daughter-in-law, Alise Hutchinson, a loving son-in-law, Mark Rowan, and a host of caring nieces, nephews, and friends.

~ The Order of Service ~

Reverend Cecil J. Rozier, Sr., Presiding

Prelude

Recessional

Interment

Early Hope Baptist Church Cemetery
23 Parr Farm Road
Covington, Georgia 30016

<u>Repast</u>

The family would like you to join them for a repast at The Reserve At Hendricks, 1149 Hendricks Street Covington, Georgia 30014 following the interment service.