

THE LEGACY LIVES ON



"Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.

John 14:1-3

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

On behalf of the family of Mother Joyce Marie Twyman, we gratefully acknowledge with deep appreciation, the many comforting messages, prayers, and all other expressions of kindness shown during this time of our bereavement. May God's blessings be upon you all!



PALLBEARERS

Family and Friends



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Marlan J. Gary Funeral Home

The Chapel of Peace Mansfield

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HOMEGOING CELEBRATION



MOTHER JOYCE MARIE
Twyman
AUGUST 5, 1939 - JANUARY 27, 2024

MADDOX MEMORIAL TEMPLE COGIC
1148 Walker Lake Road, Mansfield, Ohio 44906

Saturday, February 3, 2024

Visitation: 11:00am Service: 12:00pm

THE LEGACY

Joyce Marie Jones entered this world on August 5, 1939 in Louise, MS. She was the third of twelve children born to the late Malachi Jones, Sr. and Persephone Marie Miller - Jones.

The hour glass with its sands of time has slowly, but surely, spilled its contents and with the passing of the last grain of sand went the life of Mother Joyce Marie Twyman (to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord - to God be the Glory).

She was raised in Louise, MS. and accepted the Lord at an early age. On February 5, 1953 her family moved to Mansfield, Ohio, and she attended Mansfield Senior High School. She became a member of the Temple of Faith Church of God in Christ under the leadership of the late Elder L. G. Maddox. Which later became Maddox Memorial COGIC under the leadership of the late Superintendent Aaron Williams, Sr. At Temple of Faith, she was a very active member in the Sunday School Department, Radio Choir, and she conducted Testimony Services.

In October 1979, she was united in Holy Matrimony to Elder Albert Twyman, Jr.

She later joined Latter Rain Church of God in Christ under the leadership of Superintendent Louis Blevins Jr. She was a very active member there, by serving on the Mothers' Board, she was the First President of the Usher Board, she served in the Women's Department, Communion Committee, Nursing Home Ministry, and she organized the Twelve Table Birthday project.

She was employed at Hartman Electric for twenty-five years. She also was one of the care-givers for our mother (Persephone Marie Jones).



ORDER OF SERVICE

First Lady Aleta Burns (Niece), Worship Facilitator

CLOSING OF BIER/PROCESSIONAL SONG....."Jesus Is His Name"

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Missionary Clara Jackson

SCRIPTURE READINGS.....

OLD TESTAMENT.....Missionary Teresa James

NEW TESTAMENT.....Missionary Phyllis Franklin

MUSICAL SELECTION.....Bro. Thomas Jones, Brother

REMARKS.....Dinah Brookins - Caregiver/Friend

District Missionary Latonda Williams - Mansfield District Women's Dept.

Supervisor Sharon Blevins, Sister - ONFJ Women's Dept.

MUSICAL SELECTION....."Oh, How Precious Is The Name Of Jesus"

MOMENTS OF REFLECTION.....2 Minutes Please

Pastor Aaron Williams, Jr. - Representing Clergy

Deacon James Williams, Sr. - Family Tribute

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.....Missionary Stephanie Scott

OBITUARY READING.....Read Silently

SERMONIC SELECTION.....Sis. Charlotte Martin

THE EULOGY

Supt. Louis Blevins, Jr.

BENEDICTION.....Supt. Louis Blevins, Jr.

RECESSIONAL.....Clergy, Family and Friends
Songs of Victory

THE LEGACY *Cont...*

She leaves to celebrate her home-going, and to cherish her memories, her loving and devoted daughter, Persephone Marie (James) Williams Sr.,; one granddaughter, Mariah Williams; four-sisters, La Dorothy Hunter of Germantown, TN., State Supervisor Sharon (Superintendent Louis) Blevins of Mansfield, Ohio, Thomasine Wallace of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, Pastor Alexis Selman of Mansfield, Ohio; three-brothers, Herman Earl (Terri) Jones of Columbus, Ohio, Thomas Levon Jones of Mansfield, Ohio, Jerome Jones of Canton, Ohio; One brother n law, William "Bill Twyman, Columbus, Ohio; two bonus sons, Johnny Twyman and Albert Twyman of Texas; three bonus grandsons, James (Britney) Williams, Robert Williams, Isaac (Tiffany Nicole) Williams, Terrance Twyman, Oberian Twyman, Johnny (JR) Twyman; Three bonus granddaughters, Tiffany Burrage, Chaunise Shelley, Sylvia Webb; bonus great-grandchildren, her Latter Rain Church Family, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and godchildren.

Mother Marie Twyman is preceded in death by her husband, Albert Twyman Jr.; parents, Malachi and Persephone Marie Jones; one brother, Malachi; three sisters, Juanita, Lucille, Esther (Queenie).

She fought a good fight, she has finished her course, she has kept the faith, and now she is gone to be with the Lord.





Miss me But let me Go

*When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom filled room
Why cry for a soul set free*

*Miss me a little - but not too long
And not with your head bowed low
Remember the love that we once shared
Miss me - but let me go*

*For this is a journey that we must all take
And each must go alone
It's all a part of the Master's plan
A step on the road to home*

*When you are lonely, and sick of heart
Go to the friends we know
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds
Miss me - but let me go*