



## *Acknowledgement*

Our family is deeply appreciative and will be forever grateful for the outpouring of your love, support, and all expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness extended to us.

We pray God's grace and peace will be with you.

A special "Thank You" is extended to the Potters House

Pastors: Kyle and Sunnie Slussar

Staff: Jermaine Smith, Crystal Clemmons, Tiha Moore, Tamara Genovese, Frank Brown, and Mike Cofield.

Apostle Thomas J. Lee and Staff

The Family of Katherine S. Genovese

MINISTRY OF COMFORT ENTRUSTED TO:

MARLAN J. GARY FUNERAL HOME  
THE CHAPEL OF PEACE EAST  
5456 EAST LIVINGSTON AVENUE  
COLUMBUS, OH 43232

HOME GOING CELEBRATION OF LIFE

*Mother Katherine Sarah Genovese*



*Sunrise*

AUGUST 5, 1941

*Sunset*

NOVEMBER 12, 2022

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2022  
TWO O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON

POTTERS HOUSE  
1001 ROSEHILL ROAD  
REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO

KYLE AND SUNNIE SLUSSAR, PASTORS



## Order of Service

ELDER KAREN MITCHELL, PRESIDING  
JERMAINE SMITH, MUSICIAN

PROCESSIONAL .....	Clergy & Family
	MUSIC PLAYING
SCRIPTURES	
Old Testament .....	Tisha A. Genovese
New Testament .....	Karl Straughter
PRAYER .....	Mother Kendall Lash
SELECTION .....	Jermaine Smith
READING OF OBITUARY & RESOLUTIONS .....	Elder Dorothea Edwards
REFLECTIONS (Please limit to 3-5 mins) .....	Sis Johnetta Little
	Dorothea Edwards
	Helena Hairiston
	James Coleman
SELECTION .....	Dortessie Christian
SPECIAL FORM (Silent Reading)	

## Life

Life is just a stepping-stone. A pause before we make it home  
A simple place to rest and be. Until we reach eternity.

Everyone has a life journey. A path to take with lots to see  
God guides our steps along the way. But we were never meant to stay.  
Our final destination is a place filled with love. His majesty and grace.

Today we celebrate the life of a loved one  
Who has gone before us, the race she has won.  
Her journey has now ended. Her spirit has ascended  
Claiming the great reward with Jesus, our Lord.

SELECTION .....	Minister Deasha Mitchell
WORDS OF COMFORT .....	Elder LaSonya Genovese

## Prayer, Committal & Benediction

## Life Profile

Mother Katherine Sarah Genovese was born on August 5, 1941, to the late William Coleman and late Estella Rucker. She was one of nine siblings. Katherine attended and graduated from Stonewall Jackson High School in the Charleston public school system in Charleston, West Virginia.

She married the late Robert J. Genovese, Sr. and moved to New York, as he served in the United States Army and then in the USAF.

After brief stays in Chicago, Illinois and New York City, New York, she planted roots in Columbus, Ohio. She was employed by the State of Ohio, as a Data Entry Clerk and Key Punch Operator. She used the resources of this data entry job to provide for her community during the holiday seasons.

She loved crossword puzzles, paintings, word search puzzles, and string art. She received the Lord Jesus Christ as her Savior and Lord, and served the Lord with gladness. She believed in the Word and raised her children in the knowledge and fear of the Lord. She was a loving and caring individual. She was an encourager, a supporter and a prayer warrior. Katherine Genovese's life touched so many individuals and she witnessed to many people.

She was a birth mother of three, Robert L. (LaSonya) Genovese, Jr., Tori (Frank, Jr.) Brown and Anthony (Tamara) Genovese, however, she was a mother to many. She was a church mother and the neighborhood mother to all that knew her and she was loved by all.

She is survived by siblings, James (Sylvia) Coleman of Columbus, OH, Alice (James) Straughter of Charleston, W VA and Everett Thomas of Tucson, AZ; grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, many other relatives and a great host of friends, that are far too many to name.

She was predeceased, along with her parents and husband, by siblings, William (Virginia) Whaley, Rosetta (Bill Smith) Robert (Virginia) Whaley, Willie "Junebug" Whaley, Alice Jumper, Sylvanna Jumper; and a great-granddaughter, Amirah Leanna Truse.

After a prolonged illness, she continued to fight and endured many battles. She did her job, fought her fight, and finished her course. On November 12th, 2022, she laid down and fell asleep and the Lord called her home. She will be missed by all who knew her. May her testimony and love of Jesus Christ live in our hearts forever.