

Pallbearers
Nephews of deceased

Flower Attendants
Nieces of deceased

Auntie In Heaven

*Although you sleep in heaven now
You're not that far away
My heart is full of memories
And you're with me everyday
You lived your life with meaning
And with a smile upon your face
A world that was full of happiness
Is now an empty place
People say that only time
Will heal a broken heart
But just like me and you
It has been torn apart
I know you are at peace now
And in a place where you are free
Meet me at the Pearly Gates
When heaven calls for me.*

Acknowledgements

We would like to "Thank You" for being a part of our Aunt's life. for giving her love, kindness, support and friendship during the years. Our sincere appreciation goes out to you who expressed sympathy to us by way of phone calls, text messages, food, cards and most of all your prayers. Your love, kindness and support are truly measured during this life changing transition. A special thank you to Vitas Hospice, Minor's Helping Hands and the PMBC Family. May God continue to shower down His blessings upon each and everyone of you.

The Family

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A HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

for



Mother
LOUISE HAYES
November 28, 1923 - July 13, 2020

Monday, July 20, 2020 - 11:00am

*Buggs-Bellamy Family Chapel
2936 Jerry Lane
Jacksonville, FL 32218
904-768-5000*

*Rev. Titus Hill II, Officiating
Pastor, Philadelphia Missionary Baptist Church*

*Interment
Jacksonville National Cemetery
4083 Lannie Road
Jacksonville, FL 32218
904-766-5222*

A Life Well Lived

On an awesome fall day, November 28, 1923, a baby girl was born to George and Eliza Pope Hayes in Jacksonville, FL. She was the last of eight children in the Hayes household and this beautiful bundle of joy was given the name, " Louise."

At an early age Louise joined and was baptized in Philadelphia Baptist church. A graduate of the Stanton High School Class of 1941, she began her collegiate journey at Florida Agricultural & Mechanical University and later transferring to Saint Philip School of Nursing, Medical College of Virginia in Richmond, where she earned her Bachelors of Science in Nursing.

Following Louise's scholastic years, she made the heartfelt decision to serve her country and joined the United States Air Force as a 2nd Lieutenant. Lt. Louise Hayes served proudly during the Korean Conflict from November 1953 to February 1956 as a nurse in the Medical Corps. She was promoted to 1st Lieutenant and became a Nursing Instructor. It was during this time that she was awarded the National Defense Service Medal. Lt. Louise Hayes continued her service of caring while stationed in Germany caring for injured soldiers. After her Honorable Discharge from the Air Force, being an avid traveler, Louise lived in several locations, including Chicago, California and New York. During a brief return to Jacksonville, she was employed at the Brewster School of Nursing as an instructor before returning to New York.

In 1975, she returned to her roots in Jacksonville, rejoined her home church and continued her nursing career until her retirement in 1983. Louise loved serving the Lord and working in her church. She also enjoyed gardening, sewing, making soups, watching baseball and spending time with her family and friends. She helped to organize the Nurse's Guild Ministry where she served for many years. In her latter years, Louise was appointed by the late Rev. Harold LeGree as one of the Mothers of the Church where she served faithfully until her health began to decline. On Monday, July 13, 2020, at the age of 96, the Lord beckoned to Mother Louise Hayes; she answered His call and was awarded her long white robe and starry crown.

Left to cherish her legacy are her devoted nieces and nephew, Victoria B. Terrell – caregiver, H. Allen Jones and Daisy Levy; grand nieces and nephews, Rutenia "Tina" Blades (Alvin), Chris Terrell, Sr., Beverly Quarterman (John) – caregiver, H. Allen "Man" Jones, Jr. (Stephanie), Vernon Jones, Pamela Thomas, Deborah "Punkin" Hawkins, Jesse "Junior" Cozart, Jr., Leticia "Cookie" Keels, Jeffrey Cozart and Linda Bouie (Brian); God-daughter, Regina "Gail" Phillips (Lloyd); other relatives, many friends and her Philadelphia Missionary Baptist Church family.

Order of Service

Pastor Titus W. Hill, Presiding

Selection..... "What A Friend We Have in Jesus"

Invocation.....Appointee

Scripture

Old Testament.....Appointee

New Testament.....Appointee

Acknowledgements/Resolutions.....Sis. Sandra English, PMBC

Remarks (2 min)

As a Friend.....Sis. Sadie Fields

As a Church Mother.....Sis. Sandra LeGree

As a Member.....Dea. Cornelius Newman

As a District Member.....Dea. David Hamilton

Solo....."God Will Take Care Of You".....Sis. Willie Mae Blount

Words of Comfort.....Pastor Titus W. Hill

Recessional

