



## Catherine Gordon

March 16, 1941 - March 16, 2021

CATHERINE GREEN GORDON (affectionately called Cat) was born in Apex, NC on March 16, 1941 to the late Allen Green and Annie Mae Laster Green. She was raised in Baltimore, first in Turner Station and then Cherry Hill, where she joined Cherry Hill Presbyterian Church.

Cat was the firstborn of four children and a true nurturer from the start, watching over her younger siblings while her parents worked and threatening her brothers and sister with “I’m going to tell Mother” when they got into situations where they might get hurt-like falling from the top of a tree and “getting the wind knocked out”. She was always there when they needed her then, and as adults, always willing to travel with Cecelia on her “adventures” down unknown paths just to make sure she was safe. Cat showed that same nurturing spirit toward her friends, loving and praying for them until they called to say that they had arrived home safely after visits.

She met the love of her life, Clifton Gordon, when he came to stay with his Aunt and Uncle next door. Cat and Cliff would sit on their porches talking through the fence. Cliff could often be seen coming up from the bus stop carrying a treat for “Hon” as he affectionately called her. They married at Cherry Hill Presbyterian Church on March 18th, 1959.

On June 2nd, 1964, Cat and Cliff welcomed their first son into the world – Byron. He was followed four years later by their second son, Robert, on April 20th, 1968. Becoming a mom was when her nurturing spirit really blossomed, as she became an amazing mother for their sons. Her supportive nature extended to nieces and nephews, and on to the next generation, as she lavished her love and attention on her grandchildren, taking them out for afterschool snacks and dinners, attending their special functions, cheering them on and taking pride in their every accomplishment.

Cat became a member of Fulton Baptist Church where she sang on the choir and later joined Greater Harvest Baptist Church and served as a Deaconess and Usher.

She worked as a Switchboard Operator at The Lord Baltimore Hotel, office worker at Schmidt's Bakery, and Hardware Distribution at AAI Engineering Company.

On Cat's 80th Birthday, she got to celebrate twice - once down here with us and a second time in her Heavenly Mansion with her husband, Cliff, Mother and Daddy, and brothers Allen Green, Jr. and Richard Wayne Green.

Cat is survived by her sons, Byron Gordon and Robert Gordon (Teri Gordon – the daughter she never had); sister, Cecelia McLeod (Lee); granddaughters, Maiella Brown, Kerstacia Brown, Sophia Gordon, Sahara Gordon, and Angel Leggett; sister-in-law, Judith Green; nieces, Michele Marshall and Erica Lyons; nephews, Michael McLeod, Marc Green, and Brian Green; and a host of great-nieces and -nephews.

She was also loved by her best friend, Hattie Woodson and her extended McLeod family.

Our family is at peace, with full faith that Cat is truly the happiest she has been since her husband, Cliff, went on ahead to put his "Cliff touches" on their Heavenly Mansion, and start growing the collard greens that Mother cooked when Cat got home. They are probably smelling up Heaven right now with those pig feet and Dreazy Dreens GreasyGreens). You can almost hear their lips smacking down here.

God is so good

# Cemetery

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## Western Star Cemetery

Old Frederick Rd. Off Academy Rd.

Catonsville, MD,

# Events

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**MAR** **Viewing** 02:00PM - 04:00PM

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March Funeral Home - West

4300 Wabash Avenue, Baltimore, MD, US,  
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**MAR** **Wake** 11:30AM - 12:00PM

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**MAR** **Service** 12:00PM

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# Comments

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“ To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Catherine Gordon, Please Click the Link below.



**March Funeral Homes** - March 24 at 09:18 AM

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“ We share in the sorrow of losing Catherine! May her soul have eternal rest and the peace of the Lord be with her family in all ways, Always!

**Vivian Rogers Patterson, Danita & Lionell** - March 25 at 06:48 PM

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“ Sending my condolences, love, and hugs.



**Yasmin El-Wahhabi** - March 25 at 12:35 PM

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“ Sonjia R Conaway-Gordon lit a candle in memory of Catherine Gordon



**Sonjia R Conaway-Gordon** - March 25 at 12:02 PM

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“ To the family of Sis. Catherine Gordon, "earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal". Sis Gordon was a member of our Bible Study Group that met four days a week on the phone and she was responsible for finding chuckles for us and boy could she find them. Sis Gordon will be missed, but she is now resting in the arms of Jesus. May you find peace during this time.

Sis. G. Kearson-Gough, Teacher  
14419 Fountain View Drive  
Midlothian Va. 23112

**Gail Kearson-Gough** - March 25 at 10:36 AM

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“ Thelma Askew lit a candle in memory of Catherine Gordon



**Thelma Askew** - March 25 at 06:54 AM



“ Love you always cousin Cat

**Thelma Askew** - March 25 at 06:56 AM

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“ My deepest sympathy to the family of Catherine Gordon. I am a member of St James Memorial United Methodist Church. Catherine has been a visitor at our church many time due to her friend Ms Hattie Woodson (bestie). I pray that God give you strength and keep your memories of her in your heart and she will never be forgotten. Amen



**Deborah Dawkins** - March 24 at 04:56 PM

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“ Latrice L Alston lit a candle in memory of Catherine Gordon



**Latrice L Alston** - March 24 at 03:27 PM



“ Rest Easy... see you on the other side

**Latrice L Alston** - March 24 at 03:29 PM

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“ Barbara Brown lit a candle in memory of Catherine Gordon



**Barbara Brown** - March 24 at 02:31 PM



“ I am sorry to hear of the passing of Cousin Catherine. My condolences go to the family. I remember the fun times that we had when we visited Uncle Allen's home. I enjoyed being with my cousins. May our Heavenly Father comfort and hold the family in His loving Arms. From Cousin Barbara Green Brown.

**Barbara Brown** - March 24 at 02:37 PM

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“ Sheila East lit a candle in memory of Catherine Gordon



**Sheila East** - March 24 at 01:38 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Cousin Catherine's passing. I have memories of being with her with Uncle Allen and Aunt Anna Mae. Rest in peace. Cousin Sheila Green-East

**Sheila East** - March 24 at 01:41 PM

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“ To my extended family. My sincere and deepest condolences. My prayer for strength, comfort, and healing during this time.

Love always

Ria

**Maria Powell** - March 23 at 10:57 AM

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“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

**March Funeral Homes** - March 23 at 10:23 AM



“ May God continue to Bless and Keep you in his care. Love to All. Your cousin. Joan Cozart  
Durham, N.C.

**Joan Cozart** - March 24 at 01:46 PM



“ Rest in Peace to my cousin Cat! Love Always, Latrice..

**Latrice L Alston** - March 24 at 03:28 PM