



## Brenda Mae Scovens

October 22, 1940 - July 8, 2012

On October 22, 1940, Brenda Mae Robinson was born to the late Thomas and Mable Robinson, who preceded her in death. She was educated in the Baltimore Public School System and graduated from Douglass Sr. High School in 1959, where she majored in English. She later became a “Beautician” and then gained employment as a seamstress. She met and married Hamlet E. Scovens in 1961 and there were four children within that union. Eventually she retired from the Social Security Administration where she dedicated 35 years of service and retired at the age of 66. On July 8, 2012 Brenda went home to be with the Lord.

Brenda was a faithful servant of St. Luke United Methodist Church under the leadership of Reverend Charles Greene, Reverend James H. Smith and Reverend Lewis I. Keene. She was a member of the United Methodist Nurses while serving and attending St. Luke United Methodist Church.

Brenda had many hobbies that she enjoyed doing for her family and friends. She loved to cook and was known for her famous Pasta Salad... “and aint nobody getting the recipe”! She loved to write poetry and her favorite poem was, “For There Goes Me”. Brenda would burst out in song. Any time someone said or did something she would relate it to a song and begin to sing. Her favorite gospel song was “Lead Me”. She also loved to watch movies. Whenever someone came to visit she would pop an old movie, videos

of he granddaughter's performances or home videos of her family into her VHS recorder. Brenda also enjoyed sewing and would make clothing for her kids when they were younger.

The two loves of her life were spending time with her grandson, Camari Josiah and her son Carl Robinson. Everyone knows that 28 years ago, Brenda dedicated her life to taking care of Carl. She took care of him as no one else ever could. Not only was she dedicated to Carl, Brenda centered her life on making sure all of her kids and grandkids wanted or needed for anything. She was a mother, a shoulder, a confidant that would ell all of your secrets with love. She was our doctor, our lawyer, our prayer warrior, our teacher, mentor, our attentive ear, our chef and our loyal friend. Brenda had a heart as big as the United States of America. She would feed the postman, the mailman, the trash man and even the stranger walking up or down the street.

She will be sorely missed by her sons, Carl Robinson, and Carlos Scovens; three daughters, Carla Carter and Carol Sanders and Marlene Bell; two sons-in-law, Derrick Carter and David Sanders; four grandchildren, Candace Clifton, Carlisha Scovens, Mark Edwards, Jr. and Carenda Edwards; two great grandchildren, Shiarrah Mallory and Camari Josiah Edwards. She also leaves to mourn, three sisters, Joan Carter, Sandra Robinson, and Audrey Robinson; One brother-in-law, Nathaniel Carter; a special daughter, Chrissy Koulis Preceding her siblings, David Lee, Drucie Author, Thomas E. Robinson, Jr. and Rhona Taylor. She also leaves lifelong friends: Barbara Woods, Christine Fields, Mary Waters, Theresa Lindsey, Faith Reed, Jackie Gaughan and Judy McFall; Dedicated neighbors, DeVal Foster, Douglas Williams, Annette Fowler and "Cookie", as well as a hos of family and friends...

# Cemetery Details

## King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.  
Baltimore, MD 21244  
(410) 944-8300  
info@kingmemorialpark.com  
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUL **15**. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
(410) 542-2400  
info@marchfh.com

## Wake

JUL **16**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (AKT)

St. Luke United Methodist Church  
1308 Riggs Ave

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Brenda Mae Scovens*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Mom, it's been 5 years now and it still hurts the same. But now, instead of having a meltdown, whenever I think of you I burst out laughing or smile because I think about our memories, your voice, your ways and your smile. Although your teachings have instilled Jesus is the reason for the season, this year was the first time in 5 years that I actually decorated and celebrate Christmas; however still remembering the reason for the season! But God! I sure miss you Brenda Scovens! Continue to rest in Heaven, my beautiful Mother. Forever Loved...Fatta*

**Carol Scovens-Sanders** - December 21, 2017 at 01:19 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom about 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous.”— ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!*

**Ms Springer** - July 17, 2012 at 07:30 AM

MJ

“ *Mary Loretta Johnson lit a candle in memory of Brenda Mae Scovens*



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**Mary Loretta Johnson** - July 14, 2012 at 02:11 PM

MJ

*My condolences go out to the family of Brenda Scovens. She was my co-worker at the Social Security Admin. my thoughts and prayers are with you, Rest in peace, brenda!*

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**Mary Loretta Johnson** - July 14, 2012 at 02:19 PM

JG

“ May God bless all of you at this very difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We are here for you if you need anything. Brenda had the biggest heart and made me feel like part of her family. I never left her house hungry and many times with a spare plate of codfish cakes for my husband ! I would even eat some on the way home !! Most of all, I left her house with a Bucket Full of inspiration, feeling loved and having a renewed faith in God. She had alot of trials and tribulations but never complained and always said she had the love of God to see her through her journey. I admired her strength. She lived for her family and loved you all so much. She was a great friend and would sing to me on the phone and lift me up if I was having a bad day. Brenda, I know you are right beside God looking down on us smiling and at peace. I have been very, very blessed that God had our paths cross in this life. I miss you with all of my heart but your love and spirit will always be with me. This life on earth will never be the same for me without Brenda Scovens ! Until we meet again my friend----"Just as the catapillar thought life was over, it turned into a butterfly....."  
Love and God Bless.



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Jackie & Pete Gaughan - July 11, 2012 at 04:11 PM



“ 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.

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March Funeral Homes - July 11, 2012 at 02:49 PM

PJ

*To the family, we are sorry for your loss she will be forever loved and missed. she is resting in the lords arm. Paula & family*

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**Paula Johns** - July 13, 2012 at 05:35 PM

LR

*May it comfort you and yours to know that we were so very sorry to hear of your loss...Brenda's friendship was a wonderful reflection of God's special love....She always spoke softly and was kind to me, Once she retired we kept in contact with Christmas cards and good blessings.*

*Laverne Randall*

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**Laverne Randall** - July 15, 2012 at 09:44 AM

FK

*To the family of Brenda Scovens. Our love and prayers to each of you. Brenda was a gem, and faithful member , and an honor to her church and to God. She will always be admired by us as a strong women, a loving mother, grandmother and great grand mother. She lovingly took care of her son, Wink, well over 30 some years. She said she did not do it to be a hero but to be his mother. Thanks family for sharing her with us for the eleven years we were her first family at St Luke United Methodist Church. My God continue to keep you in His care. Rev. Lewis & Mrs. Frances Keene -- Jamin -hill Keene, son.*

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**Frances Keene** - July 17, 2012 at 06:33 PM