



Dorothy G. McWilliams

September 17, 1924 - August 22, 2004

Dorothy Goins McWilliams was born September 17, 1924 in Enfield, North Carolina to Ambrose Goins and Minnie Wade Goins. On August 22, 2004 God called her from labor to eternal rest. She was the seventh child of ten, raised by God-fearing parents and baptized at an early age at the Daniels Church also in Enfield, North Carolina. Dorothy received her education in the North Carolina school system. After Theophilus (Tip) was discharged in the United States Army, they married on March 7, 1946 in North Carolina, and months later they moved to Baltimore, Maryland. After Everett was in school, she went to work for the State of Maryland, University Hospital in 1954 and her retirement date was July 1, 1984. She helped with the daily care of Lillian's children, which enabled Lillian and Ernest to become active in the Zion Baptist Church ministries. Most people did not know Dorothy cooked many dishes for homegoing services from Zion Baptist Church and others when she knew and could get the dishes to others. Dorothy's parents had ten children, six girls- three of them were outstanding housekeepers and the other three were outstanding cooks. Dorothy was one of the cooks. This was her love-to cook and watch people enjoy what they were eating. One of Tip's customers from the barber shop days said it was, "The only barber shop where you could get a haircut, meal and a drink. Dorothy's sisters and brothers who preceded her in death were Catherine, Eulila, Arlean, Raymond, Cleveland, Novella and Dorsey. Her life, love, goodness and meals will truly be remembered by: her husband of fifty-eight years, Theophilus McWilliams; her daughter, Lillian A.

Demby; son, Everett McWilliams; son-in-law, Ernest E. Demby, Sr.; daughter-in-law, Brenda McWilliams; three grandchildren, Qiana Greene, Ernest E. Demby, Jr., and Crystal Demby; great-granddaughter, Shatara; godson, William Bailey; sister, Calvester Silver of Temple Hills, Md.; brother, Ollie Goins and sister-in-law, Georgia of Philadelphia, Pa.; sisters-in-law, Viola Williams and Ernestine Bowser of Halifax County, N.C. and Louise Goins of Baltimore, Md.; brother-in-law, Willie Mc Williams of Richmond, Va.; her nieces, nephews, cousins, adopted nieces and nephews who are very special in her heart; the 5200 Bowleys Lane Co-Op, co-workers, former neighbors from Lanvale Street and surroundings area; The Zion Church family; and her friend, "The Navigator" Jennie Burgess.

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“ MAY THE SYMPATHY AND LOVE OF OTHERS COMFORT YOU
IN YOUR SORROW.##imported-begin##PAMELA
DEARING##imported-end##

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“ our cook is gone from earth, but you know who is in the kitchen now
in heaven and what a meal it will be. We all loved her and she will
be missed very much. Wish you god"s speed. Love you all
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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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