



## Idell Michelle Dowdy

February 24, 1951 - May 6, 2015

Idell Michelle Dowdy was born February 24th of 1951, in Baltimore, MD, later departed this world on May 6th of 2015. Idell was born to Charles and Gladys Carter and is the eldest of three children.

Idell grew up in Sparrows Point, MD and was educated in the Baltimore City and County Public School System. Idell continued her education by completing her undergraduate studies at the University of Baltimore where she received her Bachelors of Art in Business Management. Later in life she returned to school and received her cosmetology license from the American Beauty Academy. Idell used her education in various forms throughout her work career before settling as an educator. Idell worked for Bethlehem Steel as a crane operator, later becoming a law enforcement officer for Baltimore City Department of Corrections. Idell was an active member of the Baltimore community and a beloved member of Anitoch, the Apostolic Church.

Idell was preceded in death by her brother, Morris G. Carter. She is survived by: her brother, Dr. Robert L. Carter; her daughter, Latia E. Faulkner; two sons, Damon D. Dowdy and Desmond D. Dowdy; her daughter-in-law, Michele Kelley; her granddaughter, Imanie E. Dowdy; three grandsons, Damon D. Dowdy Jr., Nathan I. Dowdy, and Harlem Dowdy; her niece, Gladys Carter; two nephews, Robert L. Carter, Jr. and Charles N. Carter; two aunts, Lois Smith and Louise Doswell; and a host of relatives and friends whom she

loved dearly.

Idell was a dedicated mother, grandmother, and friends who will be sorely missed by her family.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAY 15. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Family Hour

MAY 15. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Wake

MAY 16. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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MAY 16. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Idell Michelle Dowdy*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Zekiyya Zafri-Matthews lit a candle in memory of Idell Michelle Dowdy*



**Zekiyya Zafri-Matthews** - September 11, 2021 at 10:16 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Idell Michelle Dowdy.*



May 15, 2015 at 08:14 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Idell Michelle Dowdy.*



May 15, 2015 at 12:06 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Idell Michelle Dowdy.*



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May 14, 2015 at 06:50 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** - May 11, 2015 at 12:32 PM