



## Mable Martha Musgrove

April 4, 1936 - September 25, 2025

MABLE MARTHA MUSGROVE was born April 4, 1936, in Baltimore, Maryland the sixth of eight children to the late Chester and Tessie Horne, she was affectionately known as, “Nana, Aunt Martha, Aunt Mable and Care Bear”. She peacefully transitioned on Thursday, September 25, 2025, at Siani Hospital at the age of 89 following a series of unfortunate turn of events. She was surrounded by family, close friends, and supportive neighbors.

Mable spent her early years in Bladenboro, NC where she attended middle school, and Spaulding Monroe High, before moving to Baltimore, Maryland to graduate at Dunbar High School in 1954. After graduating high school, she continued her education at a local school for nursing in Baltimore.

Mable started her career at Rosewood State Hospital where she worked as a nurse’s aide. She continued to pursue her nursing career at St. Agnes Hospital, where she began working in the Well Baby Nursery. As an Aide to delivery technician. Mable was then promoted to Labor and Delivery where she remained the duration of her career until she retired on May 31, 1998

In 1961 Mable met the man that would sweep her off her feet, and he became the love of her life, the late Haywood Musgrove Jr. One year later, on June 9, 1962, they joined in holy matrimony. Out of this union three daughters were born, Jacqueline, Djuna, and Nicole. Mable was a devoted wife to Haywood

for sixty one years, until his passing on December 11, 2023. Mable loved and cherished her husband, children and grandchildren.

Mable was a faithful and devoted member of The Christ United Methodist Church in Baltimore. She was involved in ministries including singing in the choir and a part of the flower circle, until an unforeseen illness caused her to no longer be able to attend service every Sunday.

Mable had a giving heart, she would open the door to her home to all her family and friends, when anyone was in need. Mable made sure her family was her top priority and always did what she could to make sure everyone was well taken care of. After retiring, she found joy in many hobbies, including gardening, solving crossword puzzles, watching her favorite soap operas, and most of all, cherishing her role as a devoted grandmother to her twin grandchildren, who lovingly called her “Nana” or “The Nan”.

Mable leaves to cherish her memory: three daughters, Jacqueline Crews, Djuna Nicholson and Nicole McElveen; three grandchildren, Brittany R. Thomas, Bennie R. Thomas III, (Justyn Michael Nicholson who preceded her in death); sister, Leona Bullock; two sisters-in-laws, Esther James and Betty Musgrove; seven siblings who all preceded her in death (three brothers Robert Horne, Chester Horne and Willie James Horne Jr. and three sisters, Carrie Hamlin, Hattie Jones and Tessie Richardson). She also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends who she loved deeply.

The family wishes to extend a heartfelt acknowledgement to her eldest niece, Lena Bernadette Horne, for her constant support – offering medical guidance and providing a caring shoulder to lean on whenever it was needed.

Gone but never forgotten, Mable was loved by many and will be truly missed by all.



# Cemetery Details

## Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road  
Owings Mills, MD

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

OCT 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center - Randallstown  
5616 Old Court Rd  
Windsor Mill, MD 21244  
(410) 655-0110

## Wake

OCT 4. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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## Burial Service

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OCT 6. 2:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *March Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Mable Martha Musgrove*



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**March Life Tribute Centers** - October 04, 2025 at 10:13 AM

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“ *Nikki, Bert, & Brandon Rogers purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mable Martha Musgrove.*



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**Nikki, Bert, & Brandon Rogers** - October 03, 2025 at 05:58 PM

SM

“ We the Settle and McNeil family would like to send our heartfelt condolences to the Musgrove Family and Friends.

We would like to thank you for the magic, love and always watchful eye of protection that you provided throughout our years as neighbors and family friend. You are loved for all eternity all of us.

To Nicole, Jackie and Treecee, you all did a phenomenal job as daughters and set the example of honor thy mother and father. May God bless you at this difficult time, yet know your parents are absolutely smiling down from Heaven standing in full honor of the love they are surrounded by, and may that circle of beauty never be broken.

May God continue to keep you and hugs and kisses all around.



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**Shannon Evon McNeil** - October 03, 2025 at 02:52 PM

MC

“ 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 Life Tribute Center** - September 27, 2025 at 02:22 PM

LS

We cherish the memories family is so important and special.... God bless.oir deepest sympathy.. Lewis and Dr.Beulah.....The Hornes

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**Lewis and Dr.Beulah Horne Sr.** - October 01, 2025 at 03:15 PM