



Martha Bernice Coates

June 3, 1933 - November 20, 2011

MARTH BERNICE COATS, was born on June 3, 1933 to the late Helen C. Coates and James E. Coates, Sr. in Baltimore, Maryland. She departed this life on November 20, 2011.

Martha received her education in the Baltimore City Public School System and graduated from Frederick Douglass High School.

She worked at Hochschild Kohn's Department Store in merchandising for over twenty years.

"Bernice," as she was affectionately known by family and friends, was a devoted mother, daughter and sister. She will be truly missed.

She was preceded in death by one brother, John Jerry Coates, Sr.

Martha leaves to cherish her memory: two children, Theodore Clay (Patricia) and Carmela Dingle (Alvin Jr.); four grandchildren, Terrell Clay, Andrew Clay, Christopher Clay (Shaneka) and Leslie Clay; one great-granddaughter, Kayla Clay; three sisters, Emma Butler, Gertrude Kenton and Catherine Coates; two brothers, James E. Coates, Jr. and George Coates, Sr.; and a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, great-great-nieces, great-great-nephews; and other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

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1101 Sulphur Spring Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21227

Previous Events

Wake

NOV 25. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Martha Bernice Coates*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *What a gorgeous, and graceful lady, we'll miss you dearly, and remember you always.*

R.I.P. my auntie...

Harold J. Butler

Harold Butler - May 26, 2014 at 12:25 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 - November 28, 2011 at 04:21 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.

March Funeral Homes - November 22, 2011 at 12:50 PM