



Martha V. Woodard

July 6, 1938 - October 28, 2011

Martha Victoria Woodard, was born July 6, 1938 to the union of George W. and Maggie Brown-Sawyer in Fairfield, South Carolina. She was the baby of 15 children. Her siblings were Young, James, George, Babe, Maggie, Samuel, Chester, Nathaniel, Sallie, Julia whom all preceded her in death: Mary, Sallie Bell, Celia and John. After a lengthy illness she was called home to be the Lord on October 28, 2011.

Martha was reared in a Christian home and, at an early age, accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior. She was baptized at Shady Grove A.M.E. Church, now called Shady Grove Independent Church in Winnsboro, Fairfield County, South Carolina where she remained a faithful member for life. Martha was educated in the public school system of Fairfield South Carolina.

Martha came to Baltimore, Maryland in 1957 where she met and married her childhood sweetheart the late William Woodard. In 1980 she became a member of Sweet Prospect Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. Adam Turnage. She was a member of the Pastor's Aid committee. She made annual Pilgrimages to her home Church Shady Grove AME.

Martha(A.K.A Beautiful, Mickey, Butterball, Ducks, and Fats). Her greatest accomplishment was undoubtedly the warm loving and safe home she provided for her children, grandchildren and anybody who needed a place to

stay. She was a caring and loving person who would take anybody in to feed and put clothes on their back. She touched the lives of everyone she met. She has always been a mother to the motherless. Every holiday she would make sure one of her children or grandchildren would take a plate of food to her brother John.

She was a small woman in stature, but big in heart and would never give up her fight of independence, even to the end. A praying mother who sure her family was grounded in church. She would always have an ear to listen. She should have started her own telephone hotline. She kept the same phone number for over 37 years.

She loved watching old westerns and game shows. She loved cooking for everybody. To her family she was the best cook in the world. Nobody could touch her food especially her macaroni and cheese, homemade stuffing along with her sweet potato pies. She was a very detailed person. Any business calls, appointments, and important information regarding her family, from her children to her great grandchildren, she would have it written down word for word.

Martha leaves to cherish her memories a longtime companion Richard Deas; seven children: Juan (Tina), Catherine (Huntsy), Cecelia (Thomas), Todd (preceded her in death), Kevin, Helen, Charlene (Gregory), six sisters-in-laws; May and Ellen (preceded her in death); Bertha, Rebecca, Margaret, Estelle; three brothers-in-law, Sam, Richard and Roosevelt (preceded her in death); 15 grandchildren; Jakeraman, Shawn, Dante (preceded her in death), Lermaine, Chante (Darryl), Danelle, Monte, Bartaya, Quante, Tiara, Carnell; 12 great grandchildren; Divine, Dadrian, Justice, Jordan, D'mani, Kaiya, Kiara, Makenze, Darryla, Dante, Doriyan, Jemir and a host of other cousins, relatives and friends too many to name.

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

NOV 4. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

NOV 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

NOV 5. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Sweet Prospect Baptist Church
901 E. Eager Street
Baltimore, MD 21205

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Martha V. Woodard*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *To Mommy as I have always called her you will be truly missed. I will miss your smile, your laughter and all of your love that I will never forget. Love Rose*

Rosetta Hardges - November 04, 2011 at 10:30 PM



“ *Rosetta Hardges sent a virtual gift in memory of Martha V. Woodard*



Rosetta Hardges - November 04, 2011 at 10:24 PM



“ *Aleta G. lit a candle in memory of Martha V. Woodard*



Aleta G. - November 04, 2011 at 10:09 PM



I am going to Miss Mickey. We all loved her. I'm glad that the Lord allowed me to get too know her. She will truly be missed. F.I.P.A. I Love You and Miss You.

Aleta G. - November 04, 2011 at 10:11 PM

MS

“ 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 - October 30, 2011 at 05:30 PM

MJ

“ I would like to express my condolences to the family on the loss of your loved one. May the God of Peace and Comfort, Jehovah, help to ease your grief through prayer and the reading of His Word, The Bible.

M. Johnson - October 29, 2011 at 10:50 AM



“ 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 - October 28, 2011 at 03:11 PM