



Maxine Gaddy Pittman

May 25, 1939 - April 8, 2020

Maxine Gaddy Pittman was born on May 25, 1939 in St. Paul's North Carolina, the second child from this union of the late Hazie Gaddy and Johnnie Mae Grimes. She departed from this earthly journey on Wednesday, April 8, 2020.

Encouraged by her grandmother, whom she adored Hattie Bell McDowell, Maxine fellowshipped at Second New Light Missionary Baptist Church in St. Pauls, North Carolina as a child.

In her early teen years Maxine moved to Baltimore, Maryland with her family. She attended Baltimore City Public Schools and earned her high school diploma from Carver Vocational Technical where she majored in dress-making. She continued her education at Baltimore City Community College earning her nursing degree.

Upon arriving in Baltimore she was united with the Mt. Hope Baptist Church where she served faithfully for over sixty years. She was involved in many ministries including the Missionary Circle, Nurses Unit, Floral Circle, Kitchen Committee, Women's Day Committee and helping where ever was needed. Maxine loved assisting with bake sales, donating her much loved pineapple upside down cakes and sweet potato pies, and helping out at the churches Flea Market. Sister Pittman always had a purse full of candy to give to kids

and adults. Maxine loved her church.

In 1960 she married the love of her life Louis D. Pittman who preceded her in death. To this union two children were born Glenn and Glynette (Dawn). She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, godmother and friend who will be missed by all.

Maxine's keen caring and loving nature for helping others lead her to pursue a career in nursing. She was employed with Sinai Hospital and South Baltimore General (Harbor Hospital) on South four and as a Surgical Nurse until her retirement.

She enjoyed baking, gardening, sewing, bus trips and traveling, bowling on the senior league, word searches, Christian puzzle books, frequenting the Forest Park Senior Center, eating at Red Lobster and watching Court shows with Nikki, talking on the phone with girlfriends into the wee hours of the morning and casino outings. But mostly, reading her bible and listening to gospel music. Maxine's favorite songs were "My soul is anchored in the Lord" and "Grace and Mercy".

She leaves to cherish her memories: two daughters, Wanda (Leroy) and devoted daughter Glynette (Dawn); four grandchildren to include loving granddaughter Ashley (Nikki); three great grandchildren including "Granny's Boy" Tori; three sisters Geraldine, Brenda and Sharon; five God children Trina, Bernard Jr., Craig (Goods), Latina and Ronnie; sister circle Pauline, Gloria, Kay, Margaret, Hortense, Janice, Norma J. and Annie Mae; host of nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

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

viewing

APR **15**. 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Mt. Hope Baptist Church
1716 Gwynns Falls Pkwy
Baltimore, MD 21217

Tribute Wall



“ *Maxine Gaddy Pittman*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My Dearest Mother,
I know you are at peace. I just wish I could explain that to my heart.
There is an empty space in it that NOTHING will ever fill. Thank
you, GOD for a LOVING MOTHER!!
Resting in HEAVEN ABOVE, MY ANGEL. ❤️😭*



Glynette Pittman - April 16, 2020 at 10:39 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Lois Read - April 15, 2020 at 07:41 PM



Mrs. Pittman with long-time friend Mrs. Lois Read. June 2019

Lois Read - April 15, 2020 at 07:42 PM

LR

“ *Lois Read lit a candle in memory of Maxine Gaddy Pittman*



Lois Read - April 15, 2020 at 07:31 PM

JP

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Jasmine Pittman - April 14, 2020 at 01:27 PM

RF

Dear Glennette,

Words alone Truly cannot express My Heartfelt Sorrow, My Deepest Sympathy on the Passing of your Mom. Please know she will truly be missed! Gone but NEVER Forgotten. May Your Mom now Rest In Paradise (RIP) Peace and Blessings to You, Nikki and Your Grandson

Rory Fisher - April 15, 2020 at 09:40 AM

JP

“ Grandma,

God looked around his garden and found some empty space. Then he looked down upon earth and saw your tired face. He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest. God's garden must be beautiful he only takes the best.

I love you Grandma. Always have and always will.

God Bless,

Jasmine Pittman

Jasmine Pittman - April 14, 2020 at 01:14 PM

JB

“ To Dawn Pittman and Family. I will always remember your mom and the pleasant times we spent together. She was a very special person with a heart of gold. I will miss her.

Julia (Marie) Read-Bush



Julia Bush - April 13, 2020 at 04:55 PM

DB

“ *To Pittman Family,*

I give my love, heart and prayers to Dawn and family to know that God is with you during this difficult time. Another Angel has joined our heavenly father. Rest in Heaven Maxine. I love you.

Delois Brooks

Delois Brooks - April 13, 2020 at 03:15 PM



“ *Thankful for the many memories you left with me Godmother. Am Thankful for your UNCONDITIONAL love u gave and the time I spent with you. I will always treasure them. Rest in paradise Love Always, God daughter Trena*

John Gregory - April 11, 2020 at 12:44 PM

SH

“ *The death of a loved one is hard to bear. May your family draw strength and comfort from God's promise at Isaiah 41:10: "Do not be afraid, for I am with you. Do not be anxious, for I am your God. I will fortify you, yes, I will help you, I will really hold on to you with my right hand of righteousness." Please accept my heartfelt condolence for your loss; your loved one will truly be missed.*

Shirley - April 10, 2020 at 10:38 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 - April 09, 2020 at 02:17 PM