



Vivian Y. McClendon

October 28, 2016

On Friday, October 28, 2016 at Franklin Square Hospital the Lord called Vivian Yvonne McClendon home at the age of 68, to dwell in his eternal resting place.

Vivian Y. McClendon was born on January 1, 1948 in Yanceyville, North Carolina to the late Emmitt and Dora Mosby. Vivian, affectionately known as “Viv” was the oldest of six children.

Vivian Yvonne McClendon, a long-time resident of Baltimore, Maryland, attended Edmondson High School where she graduated and furthered her education at the Community College of Baltimore County.

Vivian left college to return to North Carolina, with her eldest daughter Anita, to take care of both of her parents who were simultaneously ill and hospitalized. After returning to Baltimore, she worked and volunteered at Rosemont Elementary School for several years as well as being a daycare provider.

She was a member of Graves Chapel Missionary Baptist Church where Emmitt Mosby was the pastor. A few years back she met her biological father who she established a loving relationship with.

All who encountered Vivian knew that she was a woman of Godly character. On countless occasions, she put the needs of others before herself, rarely saying no to anyone who had a need. Vivian also adopted her three granddaughters and raised them as her own. Vivian dedicated the rest of her life caring for her six girls, rarely having time for her own needs. Vivian enjoyed going to church, listening and singing gospel music, collecting antiques, cooking, gardening, and spending time with her family. The majority of her summers were spent in North Carolina with numerous aunts and cousins. Vivian's laughter would brighten a whole room.

The legacy that Vivian McClendon left was one of love that she had for her family and raising her children and grandchildren in the admonition of the Lord. She taught them to fear God and to love one another. Despite the many challenges she faced, including being a breast cancer survivor and single handedly raising her children, she never lost her faith in God as her Lord, Savior and provider. She trusted in Him explicitly and encouraged others to do so as well.

Vivian was preceded in death by her parents, Dora and Emmitt Mosby and her ex-husband, Allan McClendon.

Vivian leaves to cherish her memories: her birth father and his wife, James Author and Marian Kent; loving daughters, Anita Davis, Wyvonne McClendon-Williams, Sheena McClendon, Gabielle Davis, India Davis, and Christina Davis; four brothers, Michael, Todd, Joseph and Antonio Mosby; one sister, Darlene Artis; two grandsons, Marvin Hooper, Jr. and Jeremiah Williams, Jr.; five great grandchildren, Alaycia Lee, Jaiden Walcott, Ah'mari Martin, Kaylin Robinson and Michael Jones 3rd; and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, sisters-in-law, one brother-in-law, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Previous Events

viewing

NOV 4. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
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Family Hour

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

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Wake

NOV 5. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Vivian Y. McClendon*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Deborah Wongus and family. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Vivian Y. McClendon.*



Deborah Wongus and family. - November 04, 2016 at 10:34 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.*

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