



Appreciation

Rev. Martha Hargrove's family wishes to express deep appreciation for the many comforting messages, prayers and other acts of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement. Special thanks to Harris Memorial CME, Phillips Temple CME,

Pallbearers

Bradley Allen
Chris Carter
Barry Cook Jr.

Andre Ellies
Brandon Jones
Jewsaiiah Bass

Flower Bearers

Family and Friends



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Celebration of Life Rev. Martha O. Hargrove



Sunrise April 21, 1936 - Sunset January 22, 2021

Celebration Services
Wednesday, February 3, 2021 11:00 a.m.
Phillips Temple CME Church
3620 Shiloh Springs Rd.
Dayton, Ohio 45426

Life and Legacy

Rev Martha O Hargrove was born in Rome, Georgia on April 21, 1936. She departed this life on January 22, 2021 at the age 84 years young. She moved to Dayton in 1943 where she accepted Christ at a very young age. She was a graduate of Roosevelt High School and later, school of cosmetology here in Dayton. She was a faithful member of Phillips Temple CME, a member of the Voices of The Temple Choir for many years, singing and leading many songs. She had a beautiful voice, and she loved to sing, praises to God. Everywhere she went people knew her for those loud vocals. Even when she was hospitalized, she would sing songs for other patients. Later in life after her children were older, she attended classes at Sinclair College and the United Theological Seminary, where she began her ministry, and was subsequently ordained.

Rev Hargrove was an associate pastor at Wesleyan Church of Dayton for three years before moving to Pastor of Reed Chapel CME Church, and for the last nineteen years an associate pastor for Harris Memorial CME Church in addition to singing in choir.

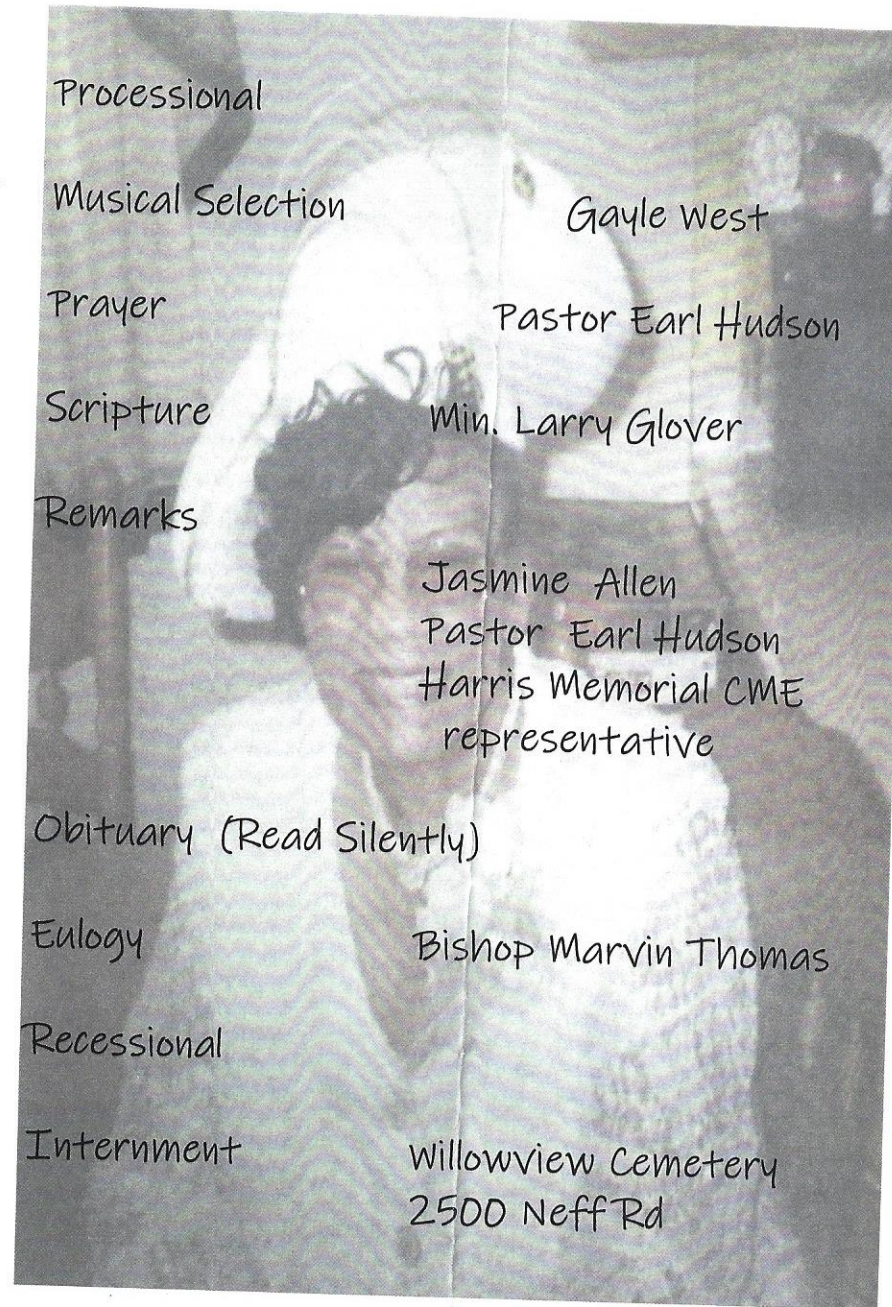
Rev Hargrove loved serving God, singing, and rightfully enjoyed family and friends. She enjoyed events promoting family unity. She went the extra mile for her family.

Martha O. Hargrove was preceded in death by her parents Sampson and Emma Waters, husband Andrew Hargrove, Children; Kristina Cook, Sandra Ellies Blaine, Kris Cook, and Vincent Gordon. Brother, Joseph Waters. Grandson, Roshad Allen.

She leaves to cherish her memory her children: Barry (Francis) Cook, Joy (Larry) Glover, Brett Cook, Randall Cook. Siblings: Samuel Waters, Deborah Waters, Luvonia Waites. Goddaughters: Carmen West, Paula Fletcher of Columbus Ohio. Grandchildren: Philip Ellies, Andre Ellies, Barry Cook Jr, Kristina Cook, Bradley Allen, Keith Allen Jr, West Montgomery Cook, Joshua Cook, Demetrius Woodley, Jazmine Allen-Stone and Josephine Ellies. A host of great grandchildren, nieces and nephews, cousins, and dear friends, thank God.

There are many things in life we do not understand, but we must trust in God's judgement and be guided by His wisdom. All of us who walk with God and have His blessings can rest safely in His Care. For He promises safe passage on the wings of prayer. Praise God!

Order of Service



Processional	
Musical Selection	Gayle West
Prayer	Pastor Earl Hudson
Scripture	Min. Larry Glover
Remarks	Jasmine Allen Pastor Earl Hudson Harris Memorial CME representative
Obituary (Read Silently)	
Eulogy	Bishop Marvin Thomas
Recessional	
Internment	Willowview Cemetery 2500 Neff Rd