



## Betsy G. Thomas

November 16, 1951 - November 1, 2024

Betsy G. Thomas was born on November 16, 1951, to parents, Jimmie Lee Murry and Enerstine Chance in Lake Worth, Florida. At a young age, she moved to Brooklyn, New York and finished her education at James Madison High School.

Betsy worked and modeled for the iconic Macy's and she also worked for the Bellsouth Communication Company. She met and married her husband, Leonard W. Thomas at the New Mt. Zion Baptist Church where they served faithfully since childhood. They were blessed with their son, Kevin.

Besty's gentle and caring spirit allowed her to acquire a multitude of friends, as she effectively witnessed for the Lord. She loved the Lord, which was evident in her service to her home church. She served in several capacities such as Deaconess, Mother of the Church, and Missionary Ministry, in addition to singing in the choir.

Betsy transitioned from her earthly vessel and was called home to glory on Friday, November 1, 2024.

She was preceded in death by her Father, Jimmie Lee Murry; and Mother, Enerstine Chance.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories: her Husband of 53 years, Leonard W. Thomas; Son, Kevin L. Thomas, Sr. (Missy); Siblings: Annie Pearl, Michael, Jerome, Somona, Mahalie, Willie Mae, Barbara, Laretha, Cynthia, Anthony, Pallie, Carolyn, Rochelle, Christopher, and Nora; Uncle, Israel Chance, Jr.; Brother-in-law, James M. Phatter and Charles McGinnis; Sisters-in-law, Anne Griffin, Crystal Jordan, and Carol Thomas; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other loving relatives, church family, and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Rose Hill Cemetery

Kissimmee, FL

# Previous Events

## Burial

NOV **16**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Rose Hill Cemetery  
1615 Old Boggy Creek Road  
Kissimmee, FL 34741

# Tribute Wall



“ *THE FAMILY IS IN MY PRAYERS*

*MAMIE LONG KELLY*



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**Mamie Long Kelly** - November 15, 2024 at 11:33 AM



“ *Leonard T. purchased the Rose Impression Cask et Spray for the family of Betsy G. Thomas.*



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**Leonard T.** - November 15, 2024 at 09:55 AM



“ *Leonard T. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betsy G. Thomas.*

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**Leonard T.** - November 15, 2024 at 09:55 AM

CJ

“ Although I did not get to speak with Betsy often, those times that I did were always meaningful and filled with love and inspiration. Betsy welcomed me into the folds of her family with no judgment and I will always cherish the words of wisdom she bestowed upon me at our first meeting. She told me to have patience, it's going to come, and it did. Betsy was beautiful on the outside with a beautiful soul, she was completeness. Though she is gone, her memory will forever remain a guiding light within my family.



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**Crystal Jordan** - November 14, 2024 at 01:22 PM

TJ

“ Leonard and Betsy have been neighbors for close to 15 years. When I lost my husband in 2022 Betsy was so loving and kind to offer her love and support. She was a true prayer warrior who helped me through a difficult time. She inspired me in my own spiritual life even while she was experiencing her own struggles. She was truly a daughter of the King. Leonard and Betsy will always hold a special place in my heart.

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**Terry Jenkins** - November 09, 2024 at 08:51 AM

MS

“ MONICA DENISE SCOTT lit a candle in memory of Betsy G. Thomas



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**MONICA DENISE SCOTT** - November 06, 2024 at 08:56 AM