



Mary J. Moten

March 24, 1933 - August 21, 2018

“To everything is a season and time to every purpose under the heaven. A time to be born, and a time to die, a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted....a time to weep, and a time laugh: a time to mourn, and a time to dance...”

Mary Jordan Moten was born March 24, 1933 in Headland, Alabama to Gladys and Floyd Reynolds.

Mary moved to Winter Garden, Florida at a very young age. She attended Drew High School. She later moved to Orlando, Florida and transferred to Jones High School.

Mary met Sylvester which led to marriage on November 14, 1966. A hard worker, Mary worked for the Orange County Public Schools for roughly twenty years before retiring in 1997. Mary was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, great-great grandmother, friend and support system for many. Not only was she an amazing woman, she had a smile that changed your whole mood, a laugh that could fill up your heart and words of wisdom that will carry on for a lifetime.

The Lord in His infinite wisdom deemed it timely to call our beloved Mary to

her eternal resting place on August 21, 2018. Her departure is a deep and personal loss to her family and many friends. She will truly be missed by all,

Mary was preceded in death by her husband, Sylvester Moten, parents, Floyd and Gladys Reynolds, son, Shelby Reynolds and daughter, Sylvia Moten.

She leaves to cherish precious memories to: her children, Wilbur "Leon" Reynolds (Fran) of Orlando, Florida, Sybrina Reynolds of Rochester, New York, Brenda Smith (Elder Samuel) of Ozark, Alabama, Vanessa Moten of Orlando, Florida, Aginah Mumin (Austin) of Newark, New Jersey, Sandra Moten of Albany, Georgia and Denise Moore (Willie) of Arlington, Texas; nineteen grandchildren; twenty-six great grandchildren; one great-great grandchild; a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends.

Cemetery Details

Orlando Memorial Gardens

5264 Ingram Road
Apopka, FL 32703

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 29. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Zanders Memorial Chapel
232 W. Michael Gladden Blvd.
Apopka, FL 32703
(407) 886-3388

Service

AUG 30. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary J. Moten*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Ma Mary, you told me you was so tired. You also said I miss your mama.. so much. I said I do too. Ma Mary, you and mama are going meet up and walk around heaven together now. Miss you both. R. I. P.*

Lynn Patterson

Lynn Patterson - August 29, 2018 at 11:59 PM



“ *My Golden Girl. With me you'll forever live on. Sleep peacefully Pretty Lady.*

Porsha - August 26, 2018 at 03:26 PM



“ *Mommy, this has been one of the hardest times in my life. I know that you are in a better place. But I miss talking to you. I love you mommy and I thank you for being my mother. Rest In Heaven, be with you soon.*

Vanessa Moten - August 25, 2018 at 01:16 AM



Sorry I didn't make the home going service my thoughts are with the family at this time

Pamela Smith Scott - August 30, 2018 at 08:05 PM



“ *Lois Morss lit a candle in memory of Mary J. Moten*



Lois Morss - August 23, 2018 at 11:02 AM

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Eternal rest Miss Mary God bless you God send

Theadies Rawls! - August 29, 2018 at 05:30 PM