



# Martha Glenda Toussaint

August 22, 1948 - April 27, 2022

## Martha's Life Story

### "Glenda"

Martha Glenda Toussaint departed her life at the age of seventy-three (73). On April 27, 2022 at 11:46 am, she took her last breath at Tidal Health Hospital in Salisbury, Maryland with her family standing beside her. Born on August 22, 1948, Martha was the daughter of the late Carey Leroy Spence, Sr. and Carrie Addel Hines.

She was a resident of Chester, Maryland for twenty-one (21) years. Glenda, as we all knew her, was educated in public schools, where she went on to pursue her career of cooking. It was something that she loved to do, and that she did very well. She would do cleaning jobs from time to time and in her later years, she was employed at Johnson's Cleaners, from where she eventually retired.

Glenda was a Lay Servant and a member of the Gospel Echo's at Ezion United Methodist Church. There she enjoyed making dashikis for the Junior Echo's Choir, along side her late mother, Carrie Addel Hines. Those ladies were something to be reckoned with when it came to a needle and thread.

Precious memories of Glenda's life will be cherished by: her long time companion of forty-three (43) years, Andy Johnson; three beautiful daughters whom she loved for life, Tania King and Evette King-Palmer, both of Salisbury, Maryland and Alizia King of Baltimore, Maryland; a son-in-law, Elmer Palmer, Jr. whom everyone knew she loved as her own, as she would light up when he walked in the room; 5 grandchildren, Myeshia Gross, John R. Gross IV, aka J.J., Chanale Gross, Albert Cassal Jones and Malik Jones; 9 great grandchildren; her cousin and best friend, Peggy Hines, in whom she confided and shared everything since their relationship was that of sisters and a host of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her brothers, Sylvester Hines, Carey Spence, Jr., Paul Spence and Wayne Spence.

SUBMITTED WITH LOVE ~ THE FAMILY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 7. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

New United Methodist Church  
110 Union Wesley Circle  
Chester, MD 21619

## Funeral Service

MAY 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

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110 Union Wesley Circle  
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## Live Stream Broadcast on Facebook

MAY 7. 1:00 PM.

Benniesfh Salisbury  
<http://Facebook>

*Live Stream will be available after service starts, on our website, under Photos and Videos Benniesmithfuneralhome.com*

# Tribute Wall

DR

“ *Doris Robinson lit a candle in memory of Martha Glenda Toussaint*



**Doris Robinson** - May 09, 2022 at 06:09 PM

DR

*I was so sorry to hear about Glenda's passing. I hadn't seen her in years, but I never forgot her. She was a sweetie. The family has my heartfelt condolences. God bless you real good!!*

**Doris Robinson** - May 09, 2022 at 06:14 PM

RH

“ *Rosalind Hoxter lit a candle in memory of Martha Glenda Toussaint*



**Rosalind Hoxter** - May 09, 2022 at 04:46 PM

BW

“ *Evette, we are so very sorry for the loss of your Mom our Deepest Condolences to you and your family.*

*Yours Truly,  
Mr & Mrs Craig Whittington*

**Bertie Whittington** - May 06, 2022 at 10:35 PM