



## Alice Dorothy Taylor

March 8, 1926 - October 8, 2023

Alice Dorothy Taylor transitioned to her heavenly home at the age of 97 on October 8, 2023, at Oak Hill Rehabilitation Center in Middletown, PA. Dorothy was the eldest of 5 children born to Reverend Benjamin J. Moore and Anna Clara (Sims) Moore on March 8, 1926 in Johnstown, PA. Dorothy was predeceased by her husband of 43 years James L. Taylor, parents Reverend Benjamin J. Moore, mother Anna Clara (Sims) Moore, brothers William Moore and Benjamin Moore Jr, sisters Geneva Street and Carrie Gibson, son Courtney Taylor, daughter Deborah Taylor and grandson Chiedazo Hardrick.

Mrs. Taylor leaves to celebrate her life her children Gregory Leroy Taylor, Rita Gay Burhannan (Robert), Frank Benard Taylor and Mindy Debrita Fuller (Anthony) and grand-children Brian Hill, Nekka Hardrick, Gregory Taylor Jr., Adreece Taylor, Shawn Taylor, Michelle Taylor, Larry Callaway, Marvell Callaway, Debrita Callaway, Randall Callaway, Tate Taylor, Pryceless Fuller, thirty-four great-grandchildren and fourteen great-great-grandchildren. She is survived and beloved by a host of Nephews and Nieces including: Kathryn Hall, William Moore, Calvin Moore, Tracey Victor, Annette Clara Warren, Havard (Joe) Jackson, Beatrice Jackson, Yvonne Cooper, JoAnn Jackson, Roberta Jackson, Dwight Gibson, and Benjamin Gibson. Also beloved by Cousin Gwendolyn Hemphill and her “adopted” daughter Kelly Boykin.

Dorothy was a lifetime member of Mt. Sinai Institutional Baptist Church of

Johnstown, PA where she is the mother of the church. Upon moving to Harrisburg in her later years she became a member of Goodwin Memorial Baptist Church. Her service to Christ included being a missionary for over 25 years in the Missionary Circle, being an original member of the Young Adult Chorus, Senior Choir member and Co-Chair of Women's Day.

Her employment history included working as a Tabulating Machine Operator for the Social Security Administration during World War II and working as a housekeeper for private families and other businesses including U.S. Steel in Johnstown, PA, from 1971 until her retirement in 1981. After retirement, she continued to serve as a home health care aide and a foster grandparent to children in local daycare for many years.

The name "Dorothy" means "gift from God. And she had a relationship with the Lord early in her childhood. She was often heard praying for her siblings when they would have disagreements. Alice Dorothy Taylor lived a life of sacrifice. At age 15, she quit school to help her Mother take care of her younger siblings after the death of her father. Two of her siblings went on to accomplish college degrees. She ministered to many from her porch on 748 Napoleon Street offering counseling, wisdom and accountability. She was a determined woman and never forgot about her education, receiving her High School Diploma from Greater Johnstown Vocational Technical School in 1983. Her legacy includes leading her family to Christ whom she depended on solely. Dorothy was a virtuous woman whose price was far above rubies. She revered her Lord and Savior and protected and instructed her family instilling the 91st Psalms as the Taylor Family bible verse. Dorothy loved her family dearly and dedicated her life to each one. She leaves behind a legacy of faith and love. We, her family, rise up and call her blessed!

THE FINAL HOMEGOING SERVICE WILL BE HELD AT 11 A.M.,  
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2023, AT MT. SINAI INSTITUTIONAL BAPTIST  
CHURCH, 351 2ND STREET, CONEMAUGH, PA 15909, WITH VIEWING AT  
10 A.M. BURIAL WILL BE AT GRANDVIEW CEMETERY, JOHNSTOWN, PA.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A  
MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES,  
REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY LEAVE YOUR NAME.

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

OCT **16**. 8:30 AM (ET)

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106 Agnes St  
Harrisburg, PA 17104  
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## Viewing

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## Remembering The Life

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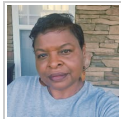
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# Tribute Wall

TP

“ I met you 7 years ago and from warm day in July we have always been close we share lunch or dinner if we didn't order out as i grew to love and respect you even more i am glad you became apart of my life i going to miss you 🥹 my beautiful friend rest easy and continue to watch over us all love you forever and a day Theresita aka Ms T

Theresita Patterson - October 15, 2023 at 09:59 PM



Thank you for your beautiful words.

Mindy Fuller - October 20, 2023 at 12:34 PM

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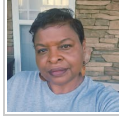
“ I look at the picture on my mirror and see Ms Dot and my Mom Erline at the ages of around 14 and 15 dancing together they were the best of friends all through the years coming up from Conemaugh. When she moved here it was such a pleasure to sit with her and listen to Jtown history and boy could she make you laugh. My heart is very heavy because I sure will miss the times spent with her. When she was honored at Goodwin Sista was looking mighty sharp and to see that big smile on her face was priceless. Greg Rita Frank and Mendy praying your strength through this difficult time my love to you All Marty

Margaret Jefferson Thompson - October 14, 2023 at 09:12 PM

YC

I loved my Aunt Dot, will truly miss her. Bon

Yvonne Cooper - October 16, 2023 at 12:08 PM



*You describe her perfectly. Thank you for the time you spent with her!*

**Mindy Fuller** - October 20, 2023 at 12:36 PM

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“ *Cindy Henry lit a candle in memory of Alice Dorothy Taylor*



**Cindy Henry** - October 13, 2023 at 08:33 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Alice Dorothy Taylor.*



October 13, 2023 at 04:06 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Alice Dorothy Taylor.*



October 13, 2023 at 01:44 PM

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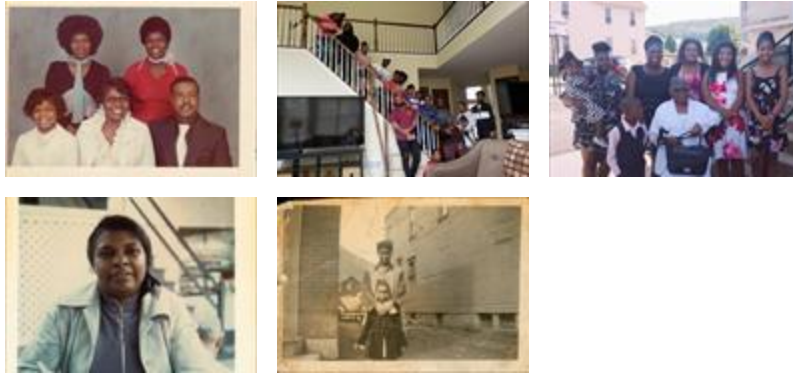
“ *Ethel Geraldine Carr lit a candle in memory of Alice Dorothy Taylor*



**Ethel Geraldine Carr** - October 13, 2023 at 12:17 PM



“ *21 files added to the album Family Pics*



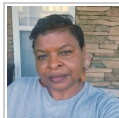
**Mindy Fuller** - October 13, 2023 at 12:16 PM

MG

“ *Mrs Dorothy was a beautiful soul. She was like a loving mother to me. We spent time together almost weekly. We would talk, laugh and eat lunch together. I will forever rember my dear friend/ mother.*



**Marsha Greene** - October 12, 2023 at 04:38 PM



*Thank you for your kind words Marsha. Mom will have a short Memorial Service at Wallace on Monday after her viewing.*

**Mindy Fuller** - October 13, 2023 at 12:07 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Alice Dorothy Taylor.*



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October 12, 2023 at 04:32 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Alice Dorothy Taylor.*



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October 12, 2023 at 04:01 PM