Eric Powell II Michael Powell Chaz Hodges

Pallbearers

Marcus Moore Keyon Rice Eric Powell III

Honorary Pallbearers

Michael Jackson Gerri Germani

Al Ward Ed Shy Nate Mathes

> Flower Bearers Family and Friends

Final Brangements Entrusted To The House of Day Funeral Service

> 2550 Nebraska Ave. Toledo, Ohio 43607 419-534-2550

Interment **Woodlawn Cemetery** 1502 Central Ave.

Toledo, Ohio 43606

Schnowledgment of Appreciation

The family of late **Brenda J. Mitchum** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, floral tributes, prayers, and kindness shown to them during this time of bereavement.

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Celebrating The Life of

Sunrise: November 9th 1942 ~ Sunset: September 25th 2020



Brenda J. Mitchum

Monday, October 5th 2020

9:30 AM Family Hour 10:00 AM Funeral Service

The House of Day Funeral Service

2550 Nebraska Ave. Toledo, Ohio 43607 Chapel Ministry, Officiating

HER LIFE STORY

Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Matthew 11:28

Brenda Joyce Mitchum was born November 9th 1942 in Winton, North Carolina to the union of David and Beatrice Scott. She was the youngest of four daughters.

At a young age, Brenda dedicated her life to God. She was a faithful member of the Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church in Toledo, OH. Brenda had a firm love for God and her family teaching them on a consistent basis how important it is to value and spend time with one another. Throughout the years, herself and husband John of 36 years took in, fed, clothed, and treated many like their own. A true display of how beautiful she was both inside and outside. Brenda was very outgoing and loving having put a smile on peoples face whenever in her presence.

To know her was to understand that she was very detail-oriented and loved to create. Due to her versatility in skill, she held many careers ranging from a seamstress at the well-known "Henry the Hatter" in Detroit to a patient care technician.

One of Brenda's favorite passions was spending time with family. She would go above & beyond to decorate for the holidays to ensure her family enjoyed a meal together. Brenda will be remembered by her strong independence and love for others. She made her transition peacefully surrounded by family on September 25, 2020.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John Mitchum; son, Derrick Hodges; and sister, Bernice Kimble.

Brenda leaves to cherish her memory: three children, Sherry Kidd, Ernestine Hodges, and Renee (Charles) Moore; daughter-in-law, Christie Lynn (Abby) Hodges-Alleyne; sisters, Cleatrice Rice and Hilda (Leonard) Williams; and a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other family & friends.



Don't grieve for me for now I'm free. I'm following the path God laid for me. I took His hand when I heard Him call; I turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day to laugh, to love, to work, or play. Tasks left undone must stay that way; I found that peace at the close of the day. If my parting has left a void, then fill it with remembered joy, a friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, ah yes, these things I too will miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow, I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow. My life's been full; I savored much, good friends, good times, and a loved one's touch. Perhaps my time seemed all too brief; don't lengthen

it now with undue grief. Lift u your heart and share with me;

God wanted me now—He set me free.











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Tsalm 23

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

