



Mamie J. Gantt

May 24, 1934 - March 15, 2022

Mamie Jean Gantt

On March 15, 2022, God sent his holy angels to take his daughter Mamie to rest.

Mamie was born in Norfolk, Virginia on May 24, 1934, to the late Charlie Franklin Brown Sr. and Eliza Wilson Brown. Mamie was sent to Baltimore, Maryland to be raised by her first cousin The late Mary Jones and Aunt Catherine Simpson due to her mother's death.

She was introduced to the wonders of our heavenly Father at a very early age in the home and at The Church of God where she was a participant in their drama programs.

She was educated in the Baltimore City public school system, and upon graduation she was the first black female to be admitted and graduated with honors from The University of Maryland (Baltimore campus) School of Roentgenology. Later changed to Radiology.

She left Baltimore and moved to Washington, DC, where she began working at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center. She went on to work at the VA Medical Center, Area C. Chest Clinic; and finally at The DC General Hospital

where she retired.

Mamie was married to Gerald Oliver Gantt for 42 years, however, unfortunately lost him to illness.

Mamie loved to travel and had visited many states in the US and overseas. She had the opportunity to visit Africa, several countries in Europe, and in the Caribbean. She loved the arts and would attend plays and various concerts. She was a member of the G. Street Senior Community Center.

She loved God and her church and would let you know that she belonged to "The New Macedonia Baptist Church". She was a member of the #2 usher's ministry, hospitality, missionary and drama ministries.

She was a Past Matron of The Order of Easter Star Pha, Electa Chapter#6; Washington DC.

Mamie was preceded in death by brothers: Joseph Jones (Buster), George Brown, Rufus Brown Sr. and Charlie Brown jr.

She leaves to mourn daughters Rosalyn Williams (Benjamin), Portsmouth Va; Cynthia Gantt, Hyattsville, Md; Angela Thompson Special niece, Mansfield Tx; Step son Gerald O. Gantt (Dawn) Owings Md, Step daughter Giselle Gantt, Ellicott City Md, Sister-in-law, Charlotte Chase, Baltimore, Md.

Brothers Warner Day,(Verona) Randallstown, Md; Charles Brown (Shirley) Hampton Va/Philadelphia Pa, Elder Joseph Brown (Lillie) Hampton Va, Joshua Brown (Darlene) Norfolk Va; one sister Lucy Nicholson(Nick) of Hampton, Va.

God sons Marc Fitzgerald and Rupert Jones.

The loves of her life her grandchildren
Jasmine Cosby, Jakera Webb, Janae
Motts(Clay), Jared Horton and Jayla Horton and a host of relatives and
friends.

Cemetery Details

Quantico National Cemetery

Triangle, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 30. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

New Macedonia Baptist Church
4115 Alabama Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20019

Service

MAR 30. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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4115 Alabama Avenue SE
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mamie J. Gantt*

October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *I met Ms. Gantt through her daughter Cynthia while working on DC summer program. She was such a classy woman. I would come over spend time She would be busy getting ready for one of her cruise excursions. She would say "child I got to look good on my trip smiling"; while Cynthia was rolling her hair Anytime I see her she had a smile for me. She will be missed.*

Sherri - April 03, 2022 at 03:46 PM



“ *To Roslyn, Cynthia and grandchildren, my condolences on the loss of my dear friend and godmother of Marc, my son. Mamie was a true friend who loved life and always had an encouraging word. She will be greatly missed and I will miss her calls to check on her words of "where is my Marc". God Bless each of you and I pray for strength for all of you.*

Lois Fitzgerald - March 30, 2022 at 09:00 AM



“ *Hester Morris lit a candle in memory of Mamie J. Gantt*



Hester Morris - March 29, 2022 at 06:13 PM

RB

“ *Renee Blackston purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mamie J. Gantt.*



Renee Blackston - March 29, 2022 at 12:39 PM

RB

“ *Rosalyn and Cynthia,
Our condolences go out to you and your family. Aunt Mamie will surely be missed. We are praying for peace and comfort during this difficult time.*



*Love always,
Jeff & Renee' Blackston*

Renee Blackston - March 29, 2022 at 12:11 PM



“ *My condolences go out to Roz, my best friend of 57 years, Cynthia, and the grands for the loss of such a beautiful soul. I will truly miss my second mom who was always there for me. Her infectious smile, jokes, and getting to the bottom of the story will always remain in my heart. Losing something you love is heartbreaking but I can rest at peace now knowing she is in God's hands.*

Love Always,

Belinda and Michael Wiley

Belinda Wiley - March 29, 2022 at 09:58 AM



“ *Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Mamie J. Gantt.*



March 28, 2022 at 09:05 PM



“ *Prayers and love to Roz and Cynthia and the grandchildren and extended family, Mrs. Gantt was a beautiful loving kind and honest person. We truly enjoyed her whether it was a trip to Washington DC, or she came to Portsmouth VA, she brought a loving kind smile and always so encouraging to everyone and a heart of pure love. She will always remain in our hearts; I will not say goodbye because it's too final so we will say until we meet again in God's Holy realm. Everyone stay strong and don't worry because we all know she's not suffering or feeling any pain. To God be the Glory.*



*With all our Love
Mr. & Mrs. Paul R. Winston JR.
Portsmouth VA*

Peaches Winston - March 27, 2022 at 10:21 PM



“ *My deepest & sincerest sympathy to Rosalyn, Cynthia and family for the loss of your beloved mother Mamie Gantt. Please remember the joyous times, wonderful meals, motherly talks and the light of life she brought to all of us*



Wanda Johnson - March 26, 2022 at 04:35 PM

AT

“ My dear Aunt-Mommy, the love you showered over me since the death of my mom, I'm certain was inspired by God. Gone from my presence but forever in my heart. You taught me so much; how to be a lady and how to enjoy life to its fullest. I believe that you ran into the Arms of Jesus when He called your name because your work here was done. Cynthia and Roz, I love you both and pray that God will strengthen you as we all mourn our loss and celebrate her life and journey into heaven. Angie

Angela Thompson - March 25, 2022 at 12:59 AM

DP

“ My prayers are with you Cynthia and the rest of the family. As you celebrate Aunt Mamie Life. May the Lord give you strength and peace during this challenging time. My condolences to you and may the peace of the lord be with you all. 🙏☐ Denise, Stanley, Brittany, Ashley and Kymora. ❤️

Denise Payne - March 22, 2022 at 08:00 AM

SH

“ I would like too send my deepest condolences to you and your family. May God continue to watch over your family. 🙏☐
Sheila Harian,

Sheila Harian - March 21, 2022 at 09:37 AM

SH

“ Sheila Harian lit a candle in memory of Mamie J. Gantt



Sheila Harian - March 21, 2022 at 09:33 AM



“ *Condolences and heartfelt sympathy to the daughters, grandchildren & family of Ms. Mamie Gantt!! May the peace of God surround each and everyone of you doing this difficult time . . .*
Debbi Mims & Family

Debbi Mims - March 20, 2022 at 05:04 PM



“ *My deepest condolences and prayers to the family, friends, and loved ones. Be blessed and may God grant you peace during this difficult time.*



Summer Carter - March 20, 2022 at 04:45 PM



“ *We the March Family and Marshall-March Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - March 17, 2022 at 03:38 PM