



## Marjorie M. Powell

August 12, 1936 - August 13, 2020

Marjorie Marie Powell was born in Edgecombe County, North Carolina on August 12, 1936 to the late Edward Powell, Sr. and Evelyn Powell Jones. She departed this life on August 13, 2020.

After moving to Washington, D.C., she joined Israel Baptist Church in 1948. Marjorie accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized on January 14, 1949 and became a member of the Jr. Choir, Usher Board and Girl Scouts. Marjorie graduated from Dunbar High School of Washington, D.C. and furthered her education at American University while working. Later, she was employed at the U.S Department of Commerce, Patent and Trade Office, and retired in the year 2000 as a Procurement Officer.

Over the years, she became well-rounded in the Christian community. Marjorie served as a member of the Senior Choir, Senior Bible Study, STEM Ministry, Culinary Committee, Missionary Ministry, Dorcas Quilting Ministry, Diabetic Ministry, Flower Guild and the North Carolina Club. She was always willing to assist with church performances and served as a member of the Sanctuary Choristers, an organization made up of over 150 voices from various church denominations in the metropolitan area. Also, she visited and fellowshipped with the sick and shut-in. She received the 2006 Mother of the Year Award and a number of commendations from various organizations.

Marjorie was a woman of many talents. She love gardening, cooking, quilting and sewing. Marjorie was a spectacular seamstress, making wedding gowns, bridesmaid dresses, robes, curtains and drapes. She was well known for her minced barbecue and peach cobbler at gatherings and enjoyed working with her Aunt Bessie in many catering events.

She was a kind and gentle person that truly loved the Lord. She believed in helping others in any way she could. Spiritual energy was important to Marjorie, because she knew it promised a reward in both this life and the next. She fought the good fight, finished the course and kept the faith. We believe God saw her getting tired and took her home. She will be truly missed and always cherished.

She leaves a devoted sister, Sherelene P. Thomas; one nephew, Darius E. Thomas (Karen); one niece, Gina T. Mitchell (Mark); one great nephew, Darius Thomas II; four great nieces, Ashley M. Barrientos (Chris), Asia N. Mitchell, Havilland S. Thomas and Gabrielle A. Thomas; a trusted sister friend, Joyce Dennis and many other relatives and friends

# Cemetery Details

## Maryland National Memorial Park

Baltimore Avenue (Rte 1)  
Laurel, MD

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

MARSHALL-MARCH FUNERAL HOME OF MD  
4308 SUITLAND ROAD SUITLAND MARYLAND 20746  
SUITLAND, MD 20746

# Tribute Wall



“ To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Marjorie M. Powell, Please Click the Link below.



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**Marshall-March Funeral Homes** - August 22, 2020 at 09:46 AM



“ *Marjorie M. Powell*

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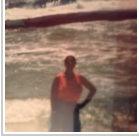
October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *To the family of our dear Sister in Christ, “Ms. Powell”, as I respectfully called her into my adulthood: She was a part of the treasured experiences I hold dear over my span of now 52yrs of continued membership... childhood into adulthood, at Israel Baptist Church! I vividly recall her black & white vestments in her service to the Senior Choir. Through young eyes, going forward, such observations alongside those of my parents’ and grandparents’ teachings...likewise, taught me to serve. To God be the Glory! 🙏*

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**Karen Wentz** - August 28, 2020 at 01:51 PM



“ *Karen Wentz lit a candle in memory of Marjorie M. Powell*



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**Karen Wentz** - August 28, 2020 at 01:20 PM

HR

“ *Shirlene, my heart and prayers are with you. May God shower His blessings and comfort during this journey for you and your family. Love you much.*

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**H Diane Fagan Robinson** - August 28, 2020 at 12:54 PM

GW

“ *Gregory and Nadine Wigglesworth purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Marjorie M. Powell.*



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**Gregory and Nadine Wigglesworth** - August 27, 2020 at 09:11 AM

EF

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Continue to rely on God and know that he hears your prayers, because he cares for you. Thinking of you all.*

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**Evans family** - August 27, 2020 at 05:23 AM

AM

“ Anne Boyd, Roslynn and Daryll Mitchell purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Marjorie M. Powell.



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**Anne Boyd, Roslynn and Daryll Mitchell** - August 26, 2020 at 12:13 PM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss  
Jesus Christ Loves Me  
We Love You



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**Thomas Widgeon** - August 20, 2020 at 07:44 AM



“ 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.

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**Marshall-March Funeral Homes** - August 19, 2020 at 01:05 PM

DA

*Rest in peace my my friend, rest in God's arm forever!*

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**Dora Agee** - August 09, 2022 at 06:34 PM

DA

*You were like a aunt for me, I am the niece of the late Robert L Mickens. You 2 we're partners for years. I tried to contact you after the passing of my late mother Shirley but was unable to locate you. I will dearly miss you forever rest in peace.*

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**Dora Agee** - August 09, 2022 at 06:38 PM