



Marva H. Mayfield

January 24, 1936 - March 16, 2026

MARVA HELEN JOHNSON was born on January 24, 1936, in Gulfport, Mississippi, to the late Ivory and Irea Johnson. As a child, she was baptized at Saint Mark United Methodist Church and later in life attended Epworth United Methodist and New Psalmist Baptist churches. She departed this life on March 16, 2026, at the age of 90 after a prolonged illness.

Marva graduated from 33rd Street High School and married her first husband, Roy Stinnett in 1956. From this union, she welcomed two children, Daryl Royce and Lisa Joyce. Following his passing, she met and married Ralph Mayfield, Jr., and was blessed with a second son, Derrick Mayfield, Sr.

Throughout her life as a military wife, Marva embraced the opportunity to travel extensively, residing in various locations including Germany, New Hampshire, Vandenberg Air Force Base in California, Georgia, Colorado, Ohio and ultimately Baltimore, Maryland. She found great joy in cruising, visiting her family in Las Vegas, and reconnecting with lifelong friends in Gulfport. Marva was an accomplished seamstress and often created apparel for herself and her daughter, whom she also taught to sew. It was during this time that she joined The Order of the Eastern Star.

Marva worked and retired from Macy's; a job she loved that allowed her to form many lifelong friendships. Everyone who knew Marva can attest to her

sense of humor, her feistiness and her love for shopping. She was always dressed impeccably in her signature bright colors. Additionally, she was also a huge Baltimore Ravens fan and could be found on Sundays, proudly supporting her team during football season.

Marva is survived by her devoted husband, Ralph Mayfield Jr.; children, Daryl Stinnett (Adrienne), Lisa Blaney (Melvin), and Derrick Mayfield Sr. (Anita); grandchildren, Derica Mayfield, Asha Blaney (Michael), and Derrick Mayfield Jr. (Ingrid); great-grandchildren, Eden and Ella Jackson, Aria Harewood, and Zaraya and Quentin Mayfield; and a host of family and friends who will cherish her memory.

Previous Events

Wake

APR 11. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center, P.A. – Randallstown
5616 Old Court Road
Windsor Mill, MD 21244
(410) 655-0110

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Marshall-March Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Marva H. Mayfield*



March Life Tribute Centers - March 24 at 10:11 AM

RM

“ *Robin M. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marva H. Mayfield.*

Robin M. - April 10 at 07:13 PM

FB

“ *Fannie, Leon, Mark, Janice, Brenda purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Marva H. Mayfield.*



Fannie, Leon, Mark, Janice, Brenda - April 08 at 06:07 PM

PF

“ *Paul, Mildred, LaVerne, Angie and Family purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Marva H. Mayfield.*



Paul, Mildred, LaVerne, Angie and Family - April 07 at 02:24 PM

MC

“ *We the March Family and 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.*

March Life tribute center - March 24 at 10:12 AM