



Mattie Glenn

April 30, 2024

.Mattie Lee Coleman Glenn, 84, was born on September 14, 1939 to the late Geneva and Buck Coleman in Winston-Salem, NC. Mrs. Glenn passed away peacefully on Tuesday, April 30, 2024 at Kate B. Reynolds Hospice Home after a brief illness. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Johnny Gray Glenn; three sisters, Carrie Coleman Gray, Elease Coleman Jackson, and Mildred Watlington; four brothers, Wayne Coleman, Oscar "Sonny" Coleman, James Coleman, and Theodore "Bay Bay" Coleman; and a son in law, Ben Jones, Jr. She was educated in Winston-Salem Forsyth County Schools and was a 1957 graduate of Atkins High School. She was a retiree of Winston-Salem Forsyth County School System, serving over 45 years at Paisley IB Magnet School and Paisley High School. Throughout her career she touched many lives of staff and students, always wanting to make a positive difference in their futures.

She never met a stranger and was always willing to help the less fortunate in any manner where she was able. She was a member of Union Baptist Church with over 60 years of membership, where she served in the Missionary Ministry and Sunday School. She was also a member of the Red Hat Society and the Silver Sneakers exercise group. She leaves to cherish her memories, son, Johnny D. Glenn of Charlotte, NC; daughter, Lisa G. Jones (Bobby L. Thomas) of Winston-Salem, NC; granddaughters, Tiffani Jones (Jeremy Johnson) of Warner Robins, GA, and Janay Glenn of Charlotte, NC; a son of the heart, Frank Walker of Houston, TX; sister, Gloria Phillips (Tommy);

brother, Fredrick Coleman; brother-in-law, Richard Gray, Sr.; sister-in-law, Barbara Watson Coleman; special cousin, Tony McCullough; lifelong friends, Marilyn Hanne, Yvonne Thompson (Lester), and Brenda McLaurin; along with a host of family and friends.

A special thank you to the entire staff at Kate B. Reynolds Hospice Home, especially her nurse, Netta Evans and caregiver, Ann Shields.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

2124 New Walkertown Rd
Winston Salem, NC 27101

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Union Baptist Church
1200 N. Trade Street
Winston Salem, NC 27101

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall

DM

“ While I served as superintendent in WSFCS, I visited every school many times. I always enjoyed visiting Paisley Middle School because I knew that I would be greeted by Mattie. She was gracious, warm, and had a great sense of humor. I know that students loved her, and staff depended on her. I was saddened to see her obituary in the newspaper and wanted to express my condolences to the family. If I'm certain of anything, I'm certain that Mattie is in heaven.

Don Martin - May 14, 2024 at 05:55 PM



“ REST IN PARADISE

Jamesina Campbell - May 11, 2024 at 10:52 AM

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“ Dear Glenn Family, I worked as a young teacher when Mrs. Glenn was the office manager at Paisley Middle School in the late 1980's and early 1990's. Mrs. Glenn always greeted everyone with a gracious smile. She could quietly handle all problems and treated me with great kindness, especially as a young teacher. She would always ask on Monday, "Did you go to church on Sunday?" because she knew I was Catholic and we went every Sunday! She made the school a well functioning and welcoming place. I am sure she is in her glory now and sharing in that most beautiful heaven which she tried to imitate during her earthly life. God Bless your Family.
Catherine (Smith) Lassiter

Catherine S Lassiter - May 10, 2024 at 12:11 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Mattie Glenn.



May 09, 2024 at 06:51 PM



“ Mattie was a kind and beautiful spirit filled phenomenal Woman of God. She always greeted you with a smile and, a word of encouragement.
Our heavenly Father has chosen a precious jewel.



Janice Wright-Prince - May 08, 2024 at 04:21 PM



“ Ann Kox lit a candle in memory of Mattie Glenn



Ann Kox - May 06, 2024 at 01:17 PM



“ Mattie Glenn was a lovely lady who was kind and stylish who was loving to her family, neighbors and friends...
LaRue Cunningham and Dauhter

LaRue Cunningham - May 02, 2024 at 12:08 AM

CG

“ My memories of cousin Mattie extend back a long time ago when I was a child and Matleen (is what we called her then) and her sister, Carrie (who we called Sister), would come over to visit their uncle Columbus and aunt Margie, my grandfather and grandmother on E. 10th street. They would always bring food and their conversations were always lively and fun.

To Johnny, Jr. and Lisa. I was saddened to hear of your mother's passing. You all have my deepest sympathies. May God continue to bless you and your families through this difficult time. I am praying for you all and love you. 🙏🙏❤️❤️

Christine (Tina) and Frank Gwyn

Christine Gwyn - May 01, 2024 at 11:53 PM

MW

To Johnny, Lisa, and Tiffini I send my deepest and heartfelt sympathy. Mattie was a kind, loving, sincere person and will be missed by many people. My life was enhanced by knowing her. I love you all. God Bless you.

Maxine Whitney - May 02, 2024 at 09:32 PM

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To the Glenn families, Mattie was one of those people, when you met her you knew that God's spirit dwelled in her because the way she lived and treated others. I submit this with my deepest condolence.
Ann Knox

Ann Kox - May 06, 2024 at 01:15 PM

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To Lisa and the Glenn Family,
May your beautiful memories bring you comfort now and in the days to come.

Thinking of you,
Linda Linton

Linda Linton - May 09, 2024 at 02:39 PM

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I met Mrs. Glenn when I started Middle and High School at Paisley. I remember her as quiet loving, person. Always encouraging us to be our best. Peace and Love to the Gleen family.

Willie Malone

Willie Malone III - May 13, 2024 at 06:24 PM