

## Active Pallbearers

Michael Taylor

Gerald Taylor

Robert Williams

## Interment

Meadowlawn  
San Antonio, Texas

## I'm Free

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've found that peace at the close of 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 for you the sunshine of tomorrow

My life's been full, I've savored much,  
Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch  
If my time seemed all too brief,

Don't lengthen it now with undue grief  
Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.

Love Ida

## Family Acknowledgment

Perhaps you dropped by to say hello or called us on the phone.  
Maybe you visited for a while, to keep us from being alone.  
You may have sent flowers or a card to show you cared.

Possible you did not come at all but remembered us in prayer.

Whatever kindness extended in our bereavement

is accepted with a sincere gratitude.

And thanks that's everlasting.

The Family

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"Never place a question mark where God has placed a period."

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## Special Tribute

God saw you getting tired.  
And a cure was not to be  
So he put His arms around you  
And whispered, "Come to me."  
With tearful eyes we watched you  
As you slowly slipped away  
And though we loved you dearly  
We couldn't make you stay.  
Your golden heart stopped beating.  
Your tired hands put to rest  
God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He only takes the best.

Love, Mom



## Hands I Loved

Folded cold upon your breast  
The hands I loved are set for rest,  
Hands that fed my frowning needs,  
Guiding hands that laid the seeds  
For daily tasks that crowned each day,  
Hands that taught my hands to pray  
Timeworn hands I loved so much  
With hope and healing in their touch  
Hands that held me safe and tight  
Against the terrors of the night  
Oh so gentle when I wept,  
So strong, so watchful when I slept  
Angels as you soar and sing  
accept I pray, my offering,  
Open wide heavens doors  
and gently take her hands in yours  
-Love always, your son Michael

## In Memory And Celebration For The Life Of

Sunrise: January 3, 1957



Sunset: January 13, 2023

Ida Marie  
Johnson

Friday, February 3, 2023

11:00 AM

O.J. Carter Memorial Chapel

601 N. Center St  
San Antonio, Texas

Elder Dewey Johnson

## Life's Journey

**Ida Marie Johnson** was born January 3, 1957 to the late **Ray Fant** and **Bernice Williams** in San Antonio, Texas. **Ida** received her education in the San Antonio Independent School District attending Fox Tech High School where she graduated in 1974. She continued her education at University Of Wisconsin located in Madison, Wisconsin. **Ida** accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at Emanuel A.M.E. located in San Antonio, Texas.

**Ida** entered the workforce and was employed for **Foley's Department Store** where she was a Sales Associate for over ten years. **Ida** then began employment at **Jack In The Box** as a Manager and was known to be a devoted and very hard worker. **Ida** loved her family dearly and remained a loving and dedicated daughter, mother, and aunt.

**Ida** married the love of her life **Michael Johnson** in 1977 and to this union one son was born. They loved their son dearly.

**Ida** was preceded in death by her father, **Ray Fant**, brother, **Larry James Williams**, and sister, **Cynthia Rochelle Williams**. She leaves to cherish her memory her loyal son, **Michael Johnson**; mother, **Bernice Williams**; sister, **Shirley Hardge**; three nephews, **Robert Williams**, **Gerald Taylor**, and **Michael Taylor**, and close friend, **Erma Bingham**, a host of great nieces, great nephews, cousins, family and friends.



The soul of our loved one, **Ida** departed this earth and blossomed into Heaven's Garden on January 13, 2023 at her home peacefully under hospice care, family members and friends. Memories of our loved one will bring peace and reassurance that love endures forever, and those memories will forever remain in our hearts.



## Order Of Service

Prelude	
Processional	Clergy, Pallbearers, Family
Scripture	
Old Testament	Appointee
New Testament	Appointee
Prayer	Appointee
Selection	Bro. Darrell Collins
Family Tribute Of Love	
Remarks(Limit two minutes please)	Family and Friends
Selection	Bro. Darrell Collins
Words Of Comfort	Elder Dewey Johnson Greater Joy Temple Church Of Christ In God
The Recessional	