



Ms. Ethel Frances McMillon

October 3, 1930 - April 28, 2021

Ms. Ethel Frances McMillon, daughter of Dave Long and Annie Lipscomb slipped quietly and peacefully away in the early morning of Wednesday, April 28, 2021, in her home in Fayetteville NC.

She was born in Durham, North Carolina, on October 3, 1930. She graduated from Little River High School in Durham, North Carolina, on May 31, 1950. She later enrolled at North Carolina College where she played Basketball (which is now North Carolina Central University) in April 1952.

After moving to Fayetteville, North Carolina, in 1972, she started working at Cape Fear Valley Hospital. She also started attending church services at New Bethel AME Zion Church in Fayetteville, North Carolina, where she served as Chairperson of the Kitchen Committee, she was a Life Deaconess Board member and a Member of Choir #2. After retiring from Cape Fear Valley Hospital she enrolled in classes at Fayetteville Community College where she became certified in Professional Early Childhood Development. She later worked as Assistant Director for Shana's Child Development Center in Fayetteville North Carolina.

She is survived by her Son Ronia (Brenda) McMillon of Fayetteville North Carolina, Godson Thurman (Patricia) Puryear of Fayetteville North Carolina, her Granddaughter/Niece Synetta S. Hinson of Lyndhurst New Jersey,

Granddaughters Tiwana (Jermaine) Puryear of Fayetteville North Carolina, Aniah Puryear of Fayetteville North Carolina, Grandsons Jermaine Puryear of Oxford North Carolina, Raymond (Sophia) Wilson of Chapel Hill North Carolina, Sisters Sally Ann Richardson of Harlem, New York, Mary Louise Ray of Raleigh North Carolina, Daisy Lee Long of Harlem New York, Vera Mae Long of Irvington New Jersey and Step Children Qessie Joan, Barbara Marie, Annie, Krista, Sequola, Gerald, Johnny, Jerry, Nieces, Nephews, other Relatives, Friends and her Special Babies from Shana's Child Development Center. She was preceded in death by her Daughter/Niece Barbara Jean Hinson, her Sisters Nannette Harris, Mary Dorothy Long, her Brothers Pleasant Long, Willie Lee Long, Lee Thomas Long, Eraul Long and David Long Jr.

Cemetery Details

New Bethel AME Zion Church Cemetery

6967 Amarillo Drive
Fayetteville, NC

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY 7. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Colvin Funeral Home Chapel
2010 Murchison Road
Fayetteville, NC 28301

Graveside Service

MAY 8. 12:00 PM (ET)

New Bethel AME Zion Church Cemetery
6967 Amarillo Drive
Fayetteville, NC

Tribute Wall

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“ I met Frances in 1972 at Cape Fear Valley Medical Center...we started work the same year but she retired before I did. I saw her many times through the years. She was such a kind lady. My prayers are with her family. God bless you

Chaplain Diana Smith - May 05, 2021 at 11:38 PM

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“ Deb purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ms. Ethel Frances McMillon.



Deb - May 05, 2021 at 01:47 PM



“ Mrs. McMillon will solely be missed. Her love and caring personality for all people cannot be overlooked! She embraced people for who they were and tried to make everyone happy. She was such a wonderful friend to our late father, "Mr. Buster," and late mother, "Ms. Vee" McLauchlin, and a friend of ours. Keeping the family in our Prayers! We Love you Mrs. McMillon! (:

Helen Gilchrist - May 04, 2021 at 11:23 PM

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“ *Mrs.McMILLION WAS A WONDERFUL AND CARING PERSON, I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER HER KINDNESS and GENEROSITY,as a FRIEND and NEIGHBOR*

LINDA COOPER - May 03, 2021 at 10:57 PM