



*Pallbearers*

Temple

*Honorary Pallbearers*

Tabernacle Baptist Church Deacons

*Flower Bearers*

Tabernacle Baptist Church WMU

*Entombment*

Highland Memorial Gardens Mausoleum

3360 North Highland Avenue

Jackson, Tennessee 38305

Services under the direction of

**MERCER BROTHERS FUNERAL HOME**

Jackson, Tennessee



*Family Acknowledgment*

We honor the family Ancestors, Grandparents, Uncles and Aunts who made her childhood so memorable.

She is survived by Son & Daughter Darryl & Danta M. Robinson (Oklahoma City) Grandchildren Don J. Mason (Dallas) Nia M. Mason (Oklahoma City) Kristopher Robinson-Boyd (Lebanon, OH) Godson Karl D. Scales (Oklahoma City) **Mother Beatrice Pugh (Memphis, TN)** Brother Ernest L. Pugh (Columbus, OH) Sister Valerie D. Pugh (Memphis, TN) and a host of nephews nieces cousins.

*Thank You*

The family of Katherine Marie Robinson would like to express our sincere appreciation to all who loved her and who offered prayers, condolences, gifts, meals and acts of loving kindness to us. A special thank you to Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. Perkins for being an extension of Marie's arms around Danta to make it through.

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## Our Mother

Katherine Marie Robinson was born on July 15, 1941 in Hardeman County Tennessee, the middle child of Beatrice Pugh 98 years young (Memphis, Tennessee) and Martin Luther Pugh who preceded her in death. She grew up in Jackson, Tennessee with her older brother Ernest Pugh (Columbus, OH) and Valerie Pugh (Memphis, TN) and a host of uncles, aunts and cousins.

Her true beauty was within. Everyone that knew her well, loved her and called her Marie or 'Re' for short. She had a happy childhood in the close knit onion field neighborhood that those of us from Jackson lovingly call 'Mound City'. She was raised in the Lord at Home Baptist Church with her family. Marie was an excellent honor roll student at Merry High School. She had a lifelong group of friends and was very involved as a member of the yearbook staff, drama club, civil clubs and a high-stepping twirler and majorette for the band. Upon graduation she attended the local HBCU Lane College.

In 1960, she married her Jr. High School sweetheart James Robinson and had 2 children. They moved away from Tennessee on to Kansas City, Missouri where they grew into those 'adult shoes' and became role models in their community, educators and involved members of the Methodist Church (CME). In the early 70's, God moved the family to Oklahoma City. Marie quickly dug in and never missed a beat as a dedicated wife and Super Momma to 2 very active teens. She could always manage to turn a sow's ear into a silk purse, a sharp suit and a matching pair of shoes. She was a dedicated and ever present servant at her church, 'a hands on arms around' high school counselor, administrator and elementary school teacher, a dedicated judicial advisor and CASA advocate for at risk children, an active member of Phi Beta Kappa, an active member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Oklahoma City Alumnae Chapter, a college student earning her Bachelors and her Masters degrees, and completing her Doctoral course work at Oklahoma University. By everyone's account, she was a true and loyal 'ride or die' friend. She did it with grace, humility and a quiet gentle smile AND she did it all at the same time!

The Bible says in this life, you will have trouble and even though God's favor was always upon her, the mid 80's blew in and transformed what been their lifelong marriage into a lifelong connection of kind and forgiving friendship. After retiring from teaching, she met a loving companion in Clovis Prince and he and Marie lived, worked and traveled the country and abroad finally settling back in Oklahoma City.

Since the 2000's, Marie devoted her time, her talents and her treasures to tirelessly serving the Lord through her beloved Tabernacle Baptist Church. Marie found great joy in doing the Lord's work serving with a smile whenever and wherever she was needed. She loved people and was never boastful or arrogant, she just showed her love through service and the nurturing of God's people. We could never fill her shoes, and boy did she have a LOT of shoes!! But we will spend the rest of our lifetime trying. We miss you Momma.

Danta & Darryl Robinson



## THE BROKEN

## CHAIN

We little knew that day;  
God was going to call your name.  
In life we loved you dearly  
In death, we do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you  
You did not go alone.  
For part of us went with you,  
The day God called you home.

You left us beautiful memories;  
Your love is still our guide.  
And although we cannot see you,  
You are always at our side.

Our family chain is broken,  
And nothing seems the same.  
But as God calls us one by one,  
The chain will link again.

## Order of Service

- Processional ..... Pastor Crudup
- Presiding ..... Pastor Crudup
- Scripture Reading ..... Avis Franklin
  - Old Testament
  - New Testament
- Prayer of Comfort ..... Pastor Crudup
- Musical Selection ..... Theresa Taylor
- Resolutions/Acknowledgments ..... Carolyn Payton
- Expressions ..... Danta & Darryl Robinson  
Family, Friends, & Loved Ones
- Musical Selection ..... Choir
- Eulogy ..... Pastor Crudup
- Video Story Highlighting the life of Katherine Robinson
- Benediction and Final Direction
- Recessional ..... Ministers, Funeral Directors, Family

**REPAST**  
Tabernacle Baptist Church  
Immediately following the service.