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 Noah Nero  
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 Joe Douglas  
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United Methodist Women

**HONORARY  
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*Home Going  
 Celebration  
 For  
 Dorothy London Thomas*  
 Sunrise: March 23, 1929 - Sunset: August 9, 2021

Saturday, August 21, 2021 at 11:00 a.m.  
 Quayle United Methodist Church  
 5001 North Everest  
 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma  
 Reverend Elyvn Hamilton - Officiating



## OBITUARY

*Dorothy London Thomas* was born on March 23, 1929 in Verden, Oklahoma. She was the sixth of eight children born to Enos and Sinnia London. Preceding her in death were her husband, four sisters, two brothers, and her parents.

*She* was baptized at an early age at New Zion Baptist Church in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She became a member Quayle United Methodist Church, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma in 1995. She served faithfully at Quayle as long as her health permitted. She was a member of the United Methodist Women, Sunday school, Bible Study Classes, and various committees.

*Dorothy* married George Leon Thomas in Chicago, Illinois in January 1952. To this union two children were born, Gregory Leon and Kelvin Lyle.

*She* graduated from Frederick A. Douglass High School in Oklahoma City in 1946. She attended Langston University in Langston, Oklahoma. She graduated from the Chicago College of Laboratory Techniques in 1950.

*Dorothy* worked as a Histology Technician on various research teams in Chicago, Illinois: at the University of Illinois, School of Dentistry, Veterans Administration Lakeside Hospital and the University of Chicago, School of Medicine. She moved to Dallas, Texas in 1979. There she worked on a research team at Southwestern Medical School, University of Texas until her retirement in 1991.

*She* enjoyed needle craft in her early years, reading, parlor games, and puzzle solving. She was an avid bridge player. She was active in various organizations and was a volunteer for various groups.

*Dorothy* leaves to cherish her memory two sons, Gregory L. (Ruthie) of Dallas, Texas and Kelvin L. of Midwest City, Oklahoma; one sister, Arlene Hazel of Burlington, North Carolina; one sister-in-law, M. Eileen Oliver of Compton, California; two grandsons, Brian and Jason (Tynesha) of Dallas, Texas, two great grandsons, Brian Jr. and Jason Jr; three great granddaughters, Daneisha, Brianna, and Bianka, a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, a wonderful church family and many friends.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

*Musical Prelude* ..... *Sister Jacqueline Devereaux*

*Processional* ..... *Ministers and Family*

*Words of Grace* ..... *Reverend Elvyn Hamilton*

*Prayer* ..... *Reverend Elvyn Hamilton*

*Scripture Readings*

*Old Testament* ..... *Psalm 90:9b-10; 121*

*Brother Jerome Brown*

*New Testament* ..... *John 14:1-14*

*Sister Marsha Lyons*

*Congregational Song* ..... *Blessed Assurance*

*Tributes/Acknowledgements* ..... *Quayle UMC*

*Quayle UMW*

*Words of Remembrance* ..... *Reverend Elvyn Hamilton*

*The Lord's Prayer* ..... *Reverend Erica C. Thomas*

*Words of Comfort* ..... *Reverend Ernest Jackson Jr.*

*Elder, United Methodist Church*

*Benediction*

*Processional*



## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of Dorothy Thomas is truly grateful for all of your expressions of love and concern: your prayers and actions from family, church family, and neighbors especially Kenny "KC" Childs and her best friend Delois Webb.

## NO TEARS IN HEAVEN

*There are no tears in Heaven*

*nor grief of any kind,*

*I leave this final teardrop to those I've left behind.*

*Though absent from the body,*

*I'm present with the Lord;*

*the joy of my salvation is now my final reward.*

*And just as God has promised,*

*He wiped my tears away,*

*and nothing can compare to the wonder of that day.*

*So keep me in your memory and now that up above*

*there are no tears in Heaven,*

*instead there's only Love.*

By Alda Maria Dicksons

