

Pallbearers

Clem Temple
Anthony Parker Jr.
Michael Johnson
Terrence Burge

Robert Scott
Bryce Kirk
Novell Hudson
Bertram Hudson

Honorary Pallbearers

Steven Parker
LaRue Bratcher
Terence Parker
Dillon Parker

Marlon Burge
Brandon Bratcher
Brian Peters
Derrick Neighbors

Flower Bearers

Shelly Dillard
Kelly King
Qwen Jackson

Nicole Wright
Shantavia Parker
Audrey Washington

Honorary Flower Bearers

Carolyn Parker
Konnie Benefield
Khauri Griffin

Crystal Linen
Vicky Bratcher
Rochelle Johnson

Tawana Lawrence

Interment
St. Paul Cemetery
Meeker, Oklahoma

Please drive with your lights on for safety and fasten your seat belts.

Acknowledgement

The family of Maryland Bratcher wishes to express their sincere gratitude for the many acts of kindness shown during this time of bereavement. May God bless each of you.

Repast

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In Loving Memory of

Marylend Bratcher



Sunrise

March 7, 1950

Sunset

June 9, 2020

Services

Friday, June 19, 2020 - 11:00 a.m.
Temple & Sons Funeral Directors, Inc.

Earl M. Temple Memorial Chapel

2801 North Kelley Avenue
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Reverend Charles Rollin - Officiating

Obituary

Mrs. Marylend Bratcher was the oldest daughter born to Samuel and Minnie Parker on March 7, 1950 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Marylend attended Northeast High School where she met and later married the love of her life Marvin E. Bratcher and in that union five children were born. Marylend passion was cooking, collecting antiques, and styling hair. She was a dedicated wife and enjoyed putting her decorative touch to any room she walked in. Her most treasured times were spent with her grandchildren and spreading wisdom throughout the family.

Marylend was called home to rest on June 9, 2020. She was preceded in death by her loving husband Marvin Bratcher, her son Jerome Bratcher, her mother Minnie Parker, her father Samuel Parker, sister Minnie Parker, and brothers Samuel Parker Jr. and Vernon Parker.

She leaves behind her cherished children: Steven E. Parker of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Tonya Cardona of Orange, New Jersey; Brandy Johnson of Killeen, Texas; LaRue Bratcher and wife Vicky of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; siblings: Kenneth Parker, Gerri Griffin, Gloria Scott, Janice Parker, LaJuanda Scott, Cynthia Myles, Laura Parker, Anthony Parker Sr. and wife Carolyn, and her favorite niece Crystal Linen; her grandchildren: Darius Murrelle, Dillon Parker, Terence Parker, Marlon Burge, Brandon Bratcher, Latrell Bratcher, Gabriella Johnson, Karter Bratcher, Laura Bratcher; great grands: Nylani Burge and son to be born Terence Parker Jr.; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Family Processional	"Perfect Peace" - Marvin Sapp
Prayer of Comfort	Janice Parker
Scripture Reading	2nd Corinthians 5:8 (KJV)
Music Selection	Jason & Christina - "Storm Is Over Now"
Resolution Reading	Marria Carter
Obituary	Please read silently
Remarks	Please limit to 2 minutes
Music Selection	Tiffany Jordan - "I Love The Lord"
Eulogy	Reverend Charles Rollin, Minister Janice Parker
Video Tribute	Temple & Sons Funeral Directors
Music/Family Departure	"Take Me To The King"

As I sit in heaven and watch you everyday.

I try and let you know with signs that I never went away.

I hear you when you're laughing, and I watch you as you sleep.

I even place my arms around you, to calm you as you weep.

I see you wish the days away, begging to have me home.

So I try to send you signs, so you know you're not alone.

Don't feel guilty that you have life.

Life that was denied to me.

Heaven is truly beautiful just wait and see!

So live your life, laugh again, enjoy yourself, be free.

*Then I'll know with each breath you take,
you'll be taking one for me.*