



Mrs. Emma Jane Melton

July 20, 1956 - August 31, 2020

In Loving Memory Of:

Emma Jane Berry-Melton was born on July 20, 1956 in Madison, MS, to Mr. Willie Berry and Mrs. Alice Teen Berry. Emma accepted Christ at an early age at the Harvey Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Madison, MS. She was a graduate of Madison Ridgeland High School, class of 1974. She later graduated from Phillips College in Jackson, MS with an Associate Degree in Data Processing in 1983.

Emma served as a tax preparer for Jackson Hewitt Tax Services for 15 years. She then went on to be a probate accountant for Thurstwell Law Firm. She worked there for 10 years until her health failed.

Emma was joined in holy matrimony to Mr. John Earl Melton Sr. To this union two children, Chanel Melton and John Earl Melton Jr. were born.

Emma will be remembered as a strong, independent, and resilient woman who gave her all for her family. Her contagious smile, joking personality, and straight-forward approach impacted many. Her intense and caring style will be deeply missed. Many were inspired by the life challenges that she faced, persevered and overcame.

Cemetery Details

Detroit Memorial Park West

25200 Plymouth Road
Redford Twp., MI 48239

Previous Events

Family Hour

Saturday, Sep. 12. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Encounter Church
600 N. Campbell
Royal Oak, MI

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ i miss you Granny it has been almost five years and I can't forget about it I miss your smile, your laugh, and your obnoxious jokes you were always straightforward and to the point god knows how much I miss you I love you so much-your granddaughter leasia

leasia chanel melton - April 15, 2025 at 12:25 PM



“ Mrs. Emma Jane Melton

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ i miss you grandma i love you when i seen you like that i had to walk out im sorry i could not and your funearl was right before my birthday im sad you could not see me

leasia melton - October 21, 2020 at 06:26 PM



“ My sincere condolences to the Melton and Berry family. Emma Jean was my classmate, dear friend and family. I will forever cherish the memories we shared from high school and our communication through the years. God is your comfort and strength to get through this time. Rashell Williams Spencer

Rashell Spencer - September 12, 2020 at 03:49 PM



thanks for the love and support sorry im late

leasia chanel melton - February 01, 2021 at 08:20 AM

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“ My Aunt Emma was real people. She was the same everyday. There was never a dull moment taking or being with her. Auntie I miss you but I know God know best. You will forever be in my heart.
Niece Pearlean

Pearlean Davis - September 12, 2020 at 12:52 AM

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“ We know this must be a very difficult and demanding time for your family. May you draw comfort God as he help you to cope with the loss of a wonderful person. Truly sorry for your loss. Thinking of you all.

Evans family - September 10, 2020 at 05:19 AM

LM

thanks for the support

leasia melton - October 21, 2020 at 06:27 PM

MS

“ My dear Family, my Love, Sympathy and my prayers are with y'all. I believe that if God brought you to it, he will see us through it. John Earl, Chanel and John Jr. 🙏💙💙. grand children's, relatives and friends.

margaret Richardson- sister-inlaw - September 03, 2020 at 06:45 PM

LM

thanks for the support

leasia melton - October 21, 2020 at 06:28 PM