



Mrs. Lillian Lewis

August 30, 1937 - July 19, 2020

In Loving Memory Of;

A Time To Be Born

Lillian Lewis was the “love child” born to the late Ephesian and Mary McCullers. She was the oldest of five children born to this union. Her siblings Ephesian (Jr.), Mary Ann, Eugene and Richard all preceded her in death.

A Time To Be Reborn

Lillian attended church with her aunt Lela and her grandfather Charles (Gramps) growing up. She later joined and was baptized by Rev. Charles E. Morton at Metropolitan Baptist Church where her father served as a deacon. In 1982, she became a member of Unity Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. Dr. Valmon D. Stotts after her brother EuGene invited her to come hear their dynamic choir. Lillian loved good gospel music. Some of her favorite gospel artist were Rev. James Cleveland, Tramaine and Walter Hawkins, and Daryl Coley just to name a few. In February 2020, Lillian joined Galilee Missionary Baptist Church.

A Time To Love

In July 1958, Lillian married the late Nathaniel Colvin. To this union three children were born, Nathaniel (Mark), La Donna, and Daryl who received his wings after only living a few short days.

On August 31, 1968, Lillian experienced love again when she married the late Edward Leon Lewis.

A Time for Every Purpose Under The Heaven

Lillian attended Detroit Public Schools and graduated Magna Cum Lade from Northern High School. She received a scholarship and attended Western University. She was later employed with the United States Postal Service holding positions starting as a clerk and being promoted to several levels of Management. She retired after 25 years of service.

Lillian was known for her cooking and hosted many dinners for family, friends and co-workers. She was also a very good seamstress known for making clothes, draperies, and reupholstering. She crocheted baby blankets, booties and afghans for family and loved ones until her health started failing. She was quite creative. She loved to travel, the Northern cities in Michigan were some of her favorite places to visit along with her annual trips to various Cider Mills and Frankenmuth.

Lillian was always there to help others and after making a promise to her cousin Kloteel before her passing, she raised her two children Kenyatta and Arthur Bowlson III.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens

17840 Middlebelt Road
Livonia, MI 48152

Previous Events

Family Hour

Friday, Jul. **24**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Galilee Baptist Church
5251 Outer Dr E
Detroit, MI 48234-3404
(313) 372-1270

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Lillian Lewis*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Dearest LaDonna and family of our precious Lillian,
Our hearts and prayers are with you. Cherish your memories, as our
Lord gives you comfort and peace.
In love and friendship, from the Postal Women's Committee.*

POSTAL WOMEN'S COMMITTEE - July 24, 2020 at 10:21 AM



“ *Dearest LaDonna and family of our precious Lillian, Our hearts and
prayers are with you. Cherish your memories, as our Lord gives you
comfort and peace. In love and friendship from the Postal Women's
Committee.*

POSTAL WOMEN'S COMMITTEE - July 24, 2020 at 09:12 AM



“ *John 10:28-29: "I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish;
no one will snatch them out of my hand. 29 My Father, who has
given them to me, is greater than all[a]; no one can snatch them out
of my Father's hand". (NIV) What a wonderful promise and comfort
our loving God made to all His children. Stand strong in the Lord,
He will be there for you (family). He is faithful and His word is true.
In time you will smile again and recall all the memorable moments
you shared with Ms. Lillian. We will continue to hold you up in
prayer. Love always, Denise and Ashley Clark*

Denise Clark - July 23, 2020 at 03:58 PM

MF

“ Praying for you and your family during this time. May God continue to bless you and cover you amen. Amen. Amen

Mary farrow and family - July 22, 2020 at 10:40 PM

GP

“ To Sis. LaDonna Colvin and Family,

On behalf of the Galilee Hour of Power, we extend our heartfelt sympathy and prayers regarding the transition of your mother, Mrs. Lillian Lewis. May you find comfort and peace in your memories. "Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me, even if he dies, will live" (John 11:25.) Sis. Tina Bryant, Dean; Deacon Robert Carter, Superintendent; Rev. Tellis Chapman, Pastor

Galilee Hour of Power - July 22, 2020 at 09:15 PM

SB

“ My prayers to the Lewis, Colvin & McCullers family. May God give you peace that surpasses all understanding. Stephanie Brown

Stephanie Brown - July 22, 2020 at 01:16 AM

CW

La Donna, I'm so sorry to hear about your dear Mom. I always enjoyed listening to you talk about the adventures you two shared. Your Mom was extremely blessed to have you for a daughter as you were to have her for a Mom. Deepest sympathy and hugs to you during this very difficult time.

Chris Wight - July 23, 2020 at 10:00 AM