



Ms. Venita D. Thompson

July 4, 1931 - June 7, 2021

Obituary

Venita D. Thompson, 89, of Kansas City, Missouri departed this life on Monday, June 7, 2021, at the home. Ms. Venita was born July 4, 1931, to the union of Clifton and Georgia Sills. She was the youngest of five children. She was preceded in death by both parents, four sisters, Mae Jewel Parker (James), Dolonia Payne (Charles), Wanda Kemp (Hosea), Mrs. Brown, two brothers, Carl Sills and Patrick Patterson, three daughters, Sherry A. Jenkins (Esley), Carletta Thompson, Georgia Jackson (LeRoy), son-in-law, William and two great-great grandchildren, James and Demetrius, Jr.

Ms. Venita was educated in the Kansas City School District.

Ms. Venita was married twice, to Robert L. Thompson and Herman Smith, both of whom preceded her in death.

Ms. Venita accepted Christ at an early age and was a life-long member of Grace Spiritual Temple, under the leadership of Bishop Charles N. Slayton. As Senior Mother of the Mother's Board, she sat on the front row in her white uniform.

Ms. Venita was employed for many years at the Swift Packing House, she then began working at General Diaper Service and then went on to work for

the Kansas City School District from which she retired. After retirement, she worked for a Janitorial Service and in her senior years she worked as a Home Health Companion.

Ms. Venita was affectionately known as “GRANDMA’ and I mean Everyone’s grandma, family and friends.

Ms. Venita leaves to cherish her memory, three children, Wayne Thompson (Rosemary), LaWanda Thompson and Lisa Smith (William); twenty-eight grandchildren; thirty-seven great grandchildren; fifty-two great-great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews and loving friends.

Funeral service will be held Saturday, June 19, 2021, 11:00am at Watkins Heritage Chapel. Interment Blue Ridge Lawn Cemetery. Visitation will be from 9am-11am at the chapel. Service conducted by Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapel. Condolences may be shared on our website. This facility requires social distancing and face coverings indoors.

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to the family or plant a tree
in memory of Ms. Venita D. Thompson, please visit our floral store.

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“ A Memorial Tree was planted for Ms. Venita D. Thompson
We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ the staff at Lawrence A. Jones
& Sons Funeral Chapels
Join in honoring their life - plant a memorial tree

A Memorial Tree was planted for Ms. Venita D. Thompson - May 25, 2023 at
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“ Sweet and warm remembrance pedestal arrangement was
purchased for the family of Ms. Venita D. Thompson by Donna
Aquilina Ron Rj Amelyia Porsha Cassidy Kellan Eddie and Tonisha
Locke. Send FlowersWe are so sorry for you loss. We all had great
memories of your Mom. She was our grandmother's best friend and
we always made sure to visit her when we were at our Gramma
Daisy's. She will be missed.Donna Aquilina Ron Rj Amelyia Porsha
Cassidy Kellan Eddie and Tonisha Locke

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Locke** - May 25, 2023 at 01:14 PM

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“ A Memorial tree was ordered in memory of Ms. Venita D. Thompson
by Damion Thompson. Plant a TreeTo my grandma that is in
heaven ...You are the root to my tree your great grand son Damion
ThompsonDamion Thompson

Damion Thompson - May 25, 2023 at 01:14 PM

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“ *In loving memory of "Grandma", my condolences to Janell Trice and her family. I pray you'll find strength in this hour. Do know the Music Ministry of Macedonia Baptist Church Loves you very much!*

Timothy Robinson - June 19, 2021 at 07:55 PM