

Casket Bearers

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Christian Hollie
Zay Netherland
Christopher Hollie
KeliMontae Taylor
Kvuane Netherland

Floral Bearers

Imani Hollie
Numya Meeks
Nilyah Greene
Neolani Greene
Ke'AjaNae Netherland

Aneuriom Netherland
Anaesheonna Netherland

God Saw You Getting Tired

God saw you getting tired,
When a cure was not to be.
So He wrapped his arms around you,
and whispered, "Come to me."

You didn't deserve what you went
through,
So He gave you rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He only takes the best.
And when I saw you sleeping,
So peaceful and free from pain.
I could not wish you back,
To suffer that again.

Acknowledgements

Thank you sincerely for your kind
expressions of sympathy.
It was deeply appreciated and is
gratefully acknowledged.
May God bless you and keep you.

The Family of Barbara B. Rean



Homegoing Celebration of Barbara "B" Montgomery Rean



Sunrise: November 15, 1942
Sunset: May 8, 2016

Service

Thursday, May 19, 2016, 11:00 a.m.

St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church
2222 SE Madison Street
Topeka, Kansas 66605

Officiant ~ Rev. McCoy Caraway

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Obituary

Barbara Belinda Rean affectionately called “B” was born on November 15, 1942 in Tamo, Arkansas the fifth child of Genolia Thornton and Robert Montgomery. She accepted Christ and was baptized at an early age.

“B” attended Sylvester High School in Moscow, Arkansas. She was adventurous and moved to New York where she worked for a year. In 1972 she moved to Topeka and then in 1975 she relocated to Long Beach, California where she worked for a dry-cleaners for 15 years and best friend Roger who was the owner of the cleaners. She also worked as a Certified Nurse’s Aide (CNA) for 3 to 4 years alongside her mother and niece at night. She also worked for Scott’s Cleaners and a Wig Shop.

“B” had a passion for fashion, she designed , hand crafted and created her own clothes, purses and shoes that she originated from her ideas.

She met her future husband John I. Rean where they worked alongside each other at 3M until they both retired at which time they relocated to Moreno Valley, California. While married B and John traveled extensively from California to Kansas to Arkansas to Texas and to Las Vegas. They were always together. When her mother took ill she moved to Topeka to take care of her and her sister, Elizabeth London until their passing. She later cared for husband until he passed.

She moved to Atlanta, Georgia after being diagnosed with cancer in July 2015 to receive treatment. She passed away on Sunday, May 8, 2016 in Atlanta. She was preceded in death by her parents, Genolia Thornton and Robert Montgomery, husband, John I. Rean, sisters, Emma Taylor and Elizabeth London, brother, James Montgomery, brother-in-law, Bobby Taylor Sr., son-in-law, Jerry L. Harris, great-nephew, Rafiel Wigfall and granddaughter Smith who passed at birth.

She is survived by her children, Evelyn L. Harris of Union City, Georgia, Robert Smith of College Park Georgia and Juermelda Swift of Garland, Texas; sister, Erma Duncan of Topeka, Kansas; sister-in-law, Cassie Turner of Texas; cousin/sister, Susie Tunley of Topeka, Kansas; aunt, Mable shavers of Pine Bluff, Arkansas; grandchildren, Keyonne Green, Union City, Georgia, Chris Hollie, Afghanistan, Tyesha Bryant, Union City, Georiga, Juerkelda Lomax, Garland, Texas; great-grandchildren,

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	Musicians
Opening Words	Rev. McCoy Caraway
Selection	Rev. McCoy Caraway
	<i>“Save a Seat for Me”</i>
Scripture Readings	Clergy
	Old & New Testament
Prayer	Clergy
Selection	Sister Sandra Caraway
	<i>“Jesus is the Light”</i> St. Luke Church Choir
Acknowledgement of Condolences	Church Clerk
Obituary	Read in Silence
Reflections (two minutes please)	Family & Friends
Selection	Rev. McCoy Caraway
	<i>“Don’t You Wait Until Tomorrow”</i>

Eulogy

Evangelist James Kirtdoll
Associate Minister
St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church

Parting View	
Special Tribute	Tycke Williams
	Peaceful Rest Funeral Chapel
Recessional	
Postlude	

Final Resting Place