

## *Life Reflections*

Mother Celeste Ann Williams was born on December 17, 1956, to Alfonso Brown and the late Betty Lou Brown. She was an extraordinary child and was raised by Rosa Harris, Madie Hines, Norman Carmichael and Johnnie Mae Porter.

She began her Christian journey at the Broxton Church of God in Christ where she served faithfully as an Usher under the leadership of Superintendent Arthur Robinson, Jr. Under the leading of the Holy Spirit, she joined New Hope Covenant Christian Fellowship Center in 2001 under the leadership of Apostle Sid and Elect Lady Daisy Whitfield. At New Hope Covenant, Mother Celeste Williams built a legacy. She was President of the Pastor Aide Committee, Chairperson of the Mo Love Committee, and Chairperson of the Kitchen Committee. She was called by the Spirit of God an Evangelist of the Gospel. She continued her faithful service to the Lord and joined the Mother Board as a Junior Mother.

Mother Celeste Ann Williams married Earnest Williams on January 21, 1991. She worked as a Nutritionist for the Coffee County Board of Education and served as President for Coffee County for the Georgia School Nutrition Association. She owned and operated Let's Cook Catering Service. She entered into eternal peace on Monday, August 17, 2020.

Mother Celeste Ann Williams was an encourager and had a loving, giving spirit and will be remembered by so many for her many kind words, her giving heart and the seasoning of love she sprinkled in every meal she cooked.

She is preceded in death by her mother Betty Lou Brown, her brother Alvin Brown, brother-in-law Jackie Williams and her son Terrez Ellis.

She was blessed with a loving family and leaves to cherish her memories: a devoted husband Earnest "Pete" Williams; one daughter: Wendy (Michael) Hamilton; one son: Early (Jordan) McCray III; six grandchildren: Makeycia Tyson, Zacchaeus (Alexus) Tyson, Antavion Stegall, Tresean Smith, Zaedin Anderson, Early McCray IV and one greatgrandchild: Carsen Smith; one brother: Eric Ellis and two sisters: Sharon and Valerie Brown; five brothers-in-law: Shep, Jr., Robert, Charlie, Joe and Early Williams; six sisters-in-law: Lilla Clemmons, Roxy Grady, Caroline Williams, Bonnie Williams, Evelyn Armour, and Dorothy Williams; and host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends.