

When a Loved One Has Gone

**When a loved one has passed on,
It's hard to keep within our hearts a song.
We shed tears and then we grieve,
But our sorrows are not relieved.
Then the time comes we have to "close the book,"
On its pages no more to look.
We must go on with our lives,
Amid our sorrows, sadness and strife.
Our loved ones will be remembered and loved,
Until we meet again in heaven above!**

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Post 515 Legionnaires | St. John Missionary Baptist Church

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Nephews of Naomi McRae Sretchen

FLOWER BEARERS

Unit 515 Auxiliary and Friends

INTERMENT

Douglas City Cemetery
1623 North Gaskin Avenue
Douglas, Georgia 31533

REPAST

Roundtree Center
801 South Gaskin Avenue
Douglas, Georgia 31533

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of the late Naomi McRae Sretchen wishes to express their deepest appreciation and thanks to their many friends for your prayers, presence, and all kind deeds shown during our hour of sorrow. We will always remember and appreciate the tokens of love shown to us. May God bless each of you is our prayer! Special thanks to the staff at Vista Park Health and Rehabilitation.

- The Family

Final Arrangements Entrusted To:



HARRELL'S FUNERAL HOME
400 E. CHERRY STREET ~ DOUGLAS, GEORGIA 31533
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Celebration of Life

For



Sunrise

September 24, 1932

Sunset

March 1, 2022

Naomi McRae Sretchen

Sunday, March 6, 2022

1:00 PM

Douglas City Cemetery

**1623 North Gaskin Avenue
Douglas, GA 31533**

Minister Bridgette Paulk, Presider

Pastor Bobby Harris, Eulogist

Life Reflections

A Time To Be Born: Naomi McRae Scretchen was born on September 24, 1932, in Nashville, Georgia, to the late Willie Mae McRae and Lemeul Kittles.

A Time To Learn: She graduated from Carver High School. She attended nursing school in Dade County, Florida.

A Time To Serve: She was a faithful member of St. John Missionary Baptist Church in Douglas, Georgia. Naomi was an active member of American Legion Post 515 Auxiliary.

A Time To Share: Naomi worked at Jackson Heights Hospital. After returning to Douglas, Georgia, she was employed by Shady Acres Nursing Home. She was always willing to help nurture the sick whenever her services were needed.

A Time To Leave: Naomi was preceded in death by her devoted parents: John Wesley, Willie Mae McElhaney, and Lemeul Kittle; three brothers: Richard Smith Jr., James Wesley McElhaney, and Clarence McElhaney; four sisters: Evelyn Baker, Betty McElhaney, Nadine McElhaney, and Julia Jackson; one nephew: Leonard Wilcox.

A Time To Mourn: Naomi leaves to cherish her memories: four sisters: Maxine (George) Wilkerson, Irma Wilson, Gloria Wilcox, and Lillian Patton; one brother: Larry (Tina) McElhaney; one stepdaughter: Linda Nesbitt; one godson Adrian Wilkerson; special friends: Gloria Adams, Letha Deaton, Bernice Williams, and Ophelia Smith; special cousin and caretaker: Pat Adams; special god-niece: Nardreonna Wilcox and a host nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Precious Memories



Order of Service

Presiding, Minister Bridgette Paulk

Processional.....Ministers and Family

Final Glimpse

Invocation.....Apostle Twanna Bennett

Scripture Readings

Old Testament.....Pastor Rahkeem Paulk

New Testament.....Arlando Wilcox

Solo.....Pastor Bobby Harris

Reflections.....Please Limit 2 Minutes Please

As a Church Member.....Virginia Brown

As a Friend

As a Family Member.....Richard Godbold

Solo.....Elder Kentaiwon Carter-Durham

Words of Comfort.....Pastor Bobby Harris

Acknowledgements.....Harrell's Staff

Committal Service

Recessional