

Active Pallbearers

Deacon Edwin Taylor Brother Kenneth Paulk
Brother Benny Dennis Brother Connie Mack Taylor
Brother Marcus Dennis Reverend James Dexter Taylor

Honorary Pallbearers

Deacons and Brethren of Hightower Memorial Temple

Honorary Escorts

Mothers of Hightower Memorial Temple

Floral Bearers

Hightower Memorial Temple Ushers
Friends of the Family

Interment

Douglas City Cemetery
1623 North Gaskin Avenue
Douglas, Georgia 31533

Repast

HLB Fellowship Hall
Hightower Memorial Temple Campus
915 Coffee Avenue
Douglas, Georgia 31533

Acknowledgements

The family of the late Mother Sarah Leona Taylor wishes to acknowledge with sincere thanks to the many friends for the many kind acts afforded us during the illness and subsequently the passing of our loved one. We are comforted by the memories we have. We are also comforted by the wonderful expressions of love many of you have extended to us in this time of need. We cannot adequately express how deeply touched we are by your kindnesses. Your prayers, phone calls, cards, floral arrangements, and encouraging words were a source of strength during this time. Your expressions of love exhibited the love you had for Mother Taylor. It also represented your love for Christ. Our prayer is that God continues to bless each of you abundantly and may He return in full measure the love, comfort and care you bestowed upon us. Thanks to our Precious Bishop and First Lady Scott and the members of Hightower Memorial Temple.

Final Arrangements Entrusted To:



HARRELL'S FUNERAL HOME
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CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR

MOTHER *Sarah Leona Taylor*



SUNRISE: JANUARY 24, 1929 - SUNSET: JULY 13, 2023

SATURDAY, JULY 22, 2023 HIGHTOWER MEMORIAL TEMPLE

11:00 A.M.
Bishop Randolph Scott, Pastor & Officiating
Bishop Lorenzo Moore, Presiding Prelate

303 College Park Drive
Douglas, Georgia
31533

Life Reflections

I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: 2 Timothy 4:7
"To God be the Glory for the Life and Legacy of Mother Sarah Leona Taylor. She was born on Thursday, January 24, 1929 to the parentage of the late James and Carrie Givens in Duval County, Jacksonville, Florida. She was the second child of seven (4) children.

"Nunnie" as she was affectionately known by many, matriculated through the public schools of Coffee County. Her education was very important to her. She was a serious youngster growing up, attending school until it was required of her to leave school to help support and sustain the family. Obedience and love for the Lord was taught to them in their home.

"Sis. Nunnie" became a very industrious and thrifty person who worked through – out her life. She was a businesswoman who assisted her husband in his business; taking down appointments and collecting payments. She was an excellent cook who baked delicious pies and cakes for the neighborhood and always shared with the children. She was one of the most valued employees at Lemars where she was gainfully employed. She was such a caring and responsible person, so much so that later in life, she became the caretaker for her sister, Lois and her mother until their demise.

She was married to Mr. Earnest Taylor, Sr. a very industrious man who was an electrician. From this marriage, four children were born.

She accepted Christ as her personal Savior at an early age. She grew up in a devout Christian home. During her formative years as a Christian, she became a member of New Bethel House of God Saints in Christ, Inc. during its infancy with Bishop Nick Hightower, Sr. was Pastor and continued as a member of Hightower Memorial Temple under the pastorage of the late Bishop J. L. Litman and the late Elder Frank Bussey, Sr. She was always very supportive of her Pastor, no matter whomever it was. Sis. Nunnie served on the Usher Board of HMT for many, many years. She was an avid participant in the building of the House of the Lord. In her younger years, she would go out selling items and asking for donations. "Sis Nunnie's" long life afforded her the opportunity to become one of the Church Mothers.

Order of Service

Mother Leola Johnson, Presiding

HOGSIC Diocese Mother of Georgia

Opening Sentences/Processional.....	Ministers, Family & Friends
Final Glimpse	
Inovcation.....	Minister Maurice Wilcox
Selection.....	Hightower Memorial Tempe Praise Team
Scriptures	
Old Testament.....	Minister Susie Ates
New Testament.....	Minister Rosa Tobler
Solo.....	Minister Darlene Jackson
Reflections.....	Please Limit to 2 Minutes
As a Friend.....	Mother Gloria Adams
As a Friend.....	Mother Mary Wilkerson
Sermonic Selection.....	Sister Trina Goolsby
Eulogy.....	Bishop Randolph Scott
Acknowledgements.....	Harrell's Staff
Committal Service	
Benediction	

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.
I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the end of the day.
If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah, yes, these things too I will miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My Life's been full, I savoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one' touch.
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.

Life Reflections

After an extended illness, she took her flight into Glory on Thursday, July 13, 2023.

She is healed ... In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing..... Revelation 22:2

She was preceded in death by her parents, Mr. James Givens, and Mrs. Carrie Givens; three siblings Lois Dennis, Hayward Robinson, and Hazel Givens and granddaughter, Chrishunda Taylor.

She leaves to cherish her memory: one daughter, Sarah Lou Taylor – Paulk, Douglas, GA; three sons, Earnest Taylor, Jr.(Christine), twins, Wayne Taylor(Ruth), and Waymond Taylor all of Douglas, GA; Grandchildren, Ciscely Paulk- Moore (Mark), Katrina Pope, Tracey Taylor, Todd Paulk (India), Nakkia Johnson (Nathaniel) Briana Taylor, Andrew Taylor, Jason Taylor, Raven Denning; Great Grandchildren, Jamecia Moore, Damesha Paulk, Trazyana Taylor, Mark Moore, Jr., Qudarious Hawkins, Daizhon Taylor, Todd Paulk, Jr. Javon Williams (Gredaisha), Christopher Wilson, Xavier Wilson, Tyler Paulk, King Taylor, Ian Denning; great, great grandchildren, Khyzie Hawkins, Ahmaria Hawkins, Kaysen Hawkins,Tristan Paulk, Jadarious Williams and Jaloni Williams and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, Bishop Randolph and First Lady Tina Scott, the Hightower Memorial Temple Church Family and Friends

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