



Phylliss E. CROCKETT

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II Timothy 4:7-8 "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day- and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing."

IN APPRECIATION

With grateful hearts, we extend our deepest appreciation to our family, friends, and loved ones for your prayers, comforting words, thoughtful gestures, nourishing meals, and unwavering love during this time. Your kindness and support have meant more to us than words can express.

We would especially like to extend our heartfelt thanks to the compassionate and generous staff of the Research Stroke Unit, Novus Care, and The Kansas City Hospice House for the dedicated and loving care they provided to our loved one.

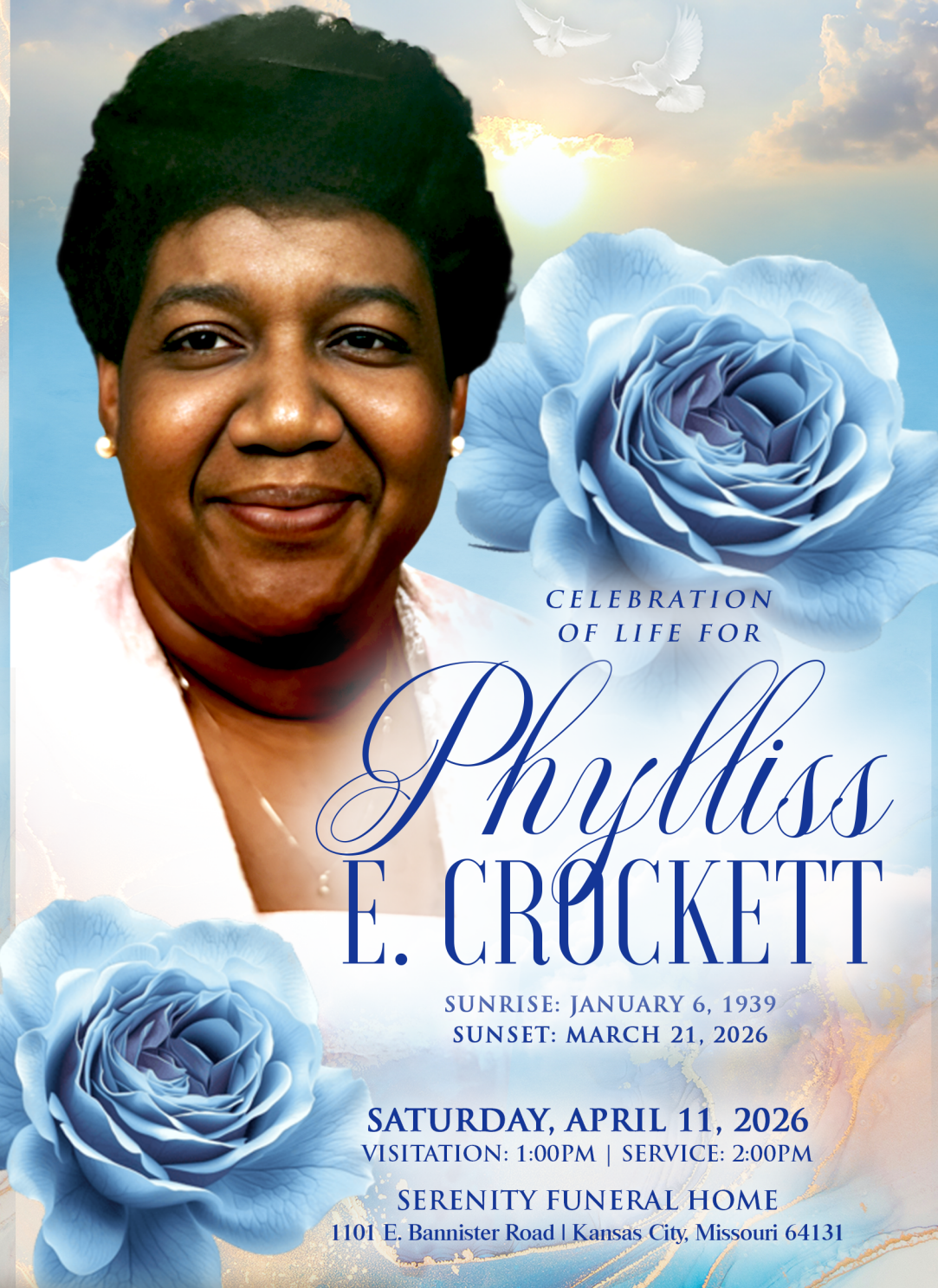
Your support, tenderness, and professionalism will forever leave a comforting imprint on our hearts. Please continue to keep us in your prayers, as we continue to pray for each of you. May God bless you abundantly.

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CELEBRATION
OF LIFE FOR

Phylliss E. CROCKETT

SUNRISE: JANUARY 6, 1939
SUNSET: MARCH 21, 2026

SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 2026
VISITATION: 1:00PM | SERVICE: 2:00PM

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PHYLLISS E. CROCKETT

*"The Lord replied, "My child, I would never leave you. During your times of trial, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."
~ Footprints in the Sand*

Mrs. Phylliss E. Crockett was born on January 6, 1939, in Kansas City, Missouri to Edwin and Aretha Warren. She was the oldest of 5 children and the only girl of this union.

In 1960, Phylliss married Henry Charles Crockett and to this union, 8 children were born.

Phylliss was preceded in death by her parents, Edwin and Aretha Warren Richards, and stepfather, Cleveland Richards; brothers, David Sunny Warren and Burton Robert Warren; her husband, Henry Charles Crockett; and their 5 children: Charles, Michael, Tracie, Wendell, and Leesa.

Phylliss attended Lincoln High School in Kansas City, Missouri, where she proudly graduated in 1956. Inspired by the passion she inherited from her mother, she began working in the cafeteria at Central High School in the early 1970s, a role that reflected her caring nature and love for serving others. Later in the 1970s, she answered a higher calling to care for others by beginning her nursing career as a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). She worked in the Pediatrics Unit at Menorah Medical Center and Lakeside Medical. Her compassion touched the lives of countless children and families. She continued this meaningful work until her retirement in the late 1990s.

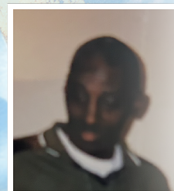
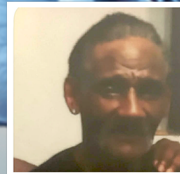
In 1989, Phylliss became a faithful member of St. Augustine Catholic Church in Kansas City, Missouri. Her faith in the Lord was unwavering and deeply personal. Even when unable to attend in person, she remained spiritually connected, faithfully participating in online services with Concord Fortress of Hope of Kansas City, Missouri.

Phylliss had a joyful love for shopping and found great delight in browsing and purchasing items through HSN, QVC, and Poshmark, as well as visiting her favorite store, T.J. Maxx at Ward Parkway. These moments brought her happiness and were often shared with laughter and stories.

Above all else, Phylliss's greatest joy was her family. Her love knew no limits, and she proudly held many cherished titles—Mom, G-Phil, GG, Triple-G, Grandma, Matriarch of the Chestnut Mommy's and Chief—each name a reflection of the deep bonds she shared with those she loved. Her presence brought comfort, wisdom, and warmth.

In June 2025, Phylliss's health began to decline. On March 21, 2026, surrounded by her loving family, Phylliss E. Crockett peacefully departed this earthly life and was welcomed into the gates of Heaven. Though her physical presence is gone, her legacy of love, faith, and compassion will live on forever in the hearts of those who knew her.

She leaves to forever cherish her precious memories, words, and legacy her children, Toni Collins (Tyrone), Tina McGowan (Todd Love), and Rachel Crockett all of Kansas City, Missouri, 20 grandchildren, 55 great-grandchildren, 9 great-great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, and 3 sisters-in-law: Benita Bly, Betty Warren, and Judy Warren. Also, her special friends Mary K. Ross, Brenda Gordon, Roxy Burnside, and neighbor, Olivia Moffitt, and her best friend and sister-in-law, Mable Smith who preceded her in death.



Order of Service

Processional

Scripture Rev. LaDonna Cartwright

Prayer Rev. LaDonna Cartwright

Praise Dance

"Take Me To The King" Julie Reed

Acknowledgments & Condolences

Deborah Love-Johnson

Remarks Christopher Collins

Words of Reflection

To Be Read in Silence

Musical Selection

"Walk Around Heaven" Catherine Roberts

Words of Comfort & Last Rights Pastor

Ronald Lindsay

Benediction Pastor Ronald Lindsay

(P)- Popular, Principled, Pragmatic, and Polished... Our Grandmother was Poised, Productive, and Stylish; She didn't have to say a word, her presence spoke of it for her loud and already established.

Sometimes with a look or just nod and smile; That's how you knew she had unspeakable power... Her voice was soft spoken but her character stood out very uniquely proud.

(H)- Honest and Humbled she never faltered or crumbled; Whenever under pressure you couldn't even fathom the battles she'd struggled.

She kept it altogether holding her composure quite well; She didn't even tell a soul but God... Not even us she wouldn't tell.

(Y)- Young-at-Heart that's why it's hard to say goodbye to Our Matriarch; The legacy she built piece by piece, Praying that it stays together functioning as a whole part. But her strong loving heart grew weary and tired; It started fading out, drifting away to her final home where she can finally retire.

(L)- Luminous personality that lit up any room; A Loving Lady who lived her BEST Life, now she can spread her wings and bloom. She will Truly be missed; Along with all those delightful tasty dishes she whipped.

Made from a Grandma's Love; Every one of them signed with Grandma's Kiss, who's now in heaven watching us from above.

(L)- Liberated she felt as free as a bird; Come and go as she pleased, she did whatever moved her soul. With no restraints, restrictions, nor boundaries; Our Grandma is one in a million, top of line placing first place in the county.

(I)- Independent as she was, a person who always did her own thing; G-Phil is the name and survival of the finest in this so called "Life" is the game.

Grandma was equipped with discernment, wisdom, and knowledge that naturally came; That's how she remained to stay sane and acknowledged as "The Chief", she worked hard to earn a name and claim her fame.

(S)- Straightforward and Supportive, forever spreading her unconditional Love to others... Everybody in town knew her as a Mother. Her other name, Gigi; Oh how the Great Grands would surround her with Love and smother her.

(S)- Seasoned with Sage; Her melatonin was popping for her age. If you knew Our Grandmother, then you knew what she really was about; She didn't play about her children or grandchildren without a doubt, you messed around and found out.

Granddaughter Desiree Crockett "DtheDiva" 3/2026