

Active Pallbearers

Brother Freddie Green

Brother Rance Pullen

Brother Vincent Smith

Brother Stanley Smith

Brother Vincent Dixon

Brother Quinton Lynch

Honorary Pallbearers

Deacons and Trustees Of New Zion Baptist Church

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to thank all who have expressed or rendered concern. Your prayers, flowers, visits, telephone calls other expressions of love and fellowship have filled our hearts with hope for the future. May God abundantly bless each of you.

Special Thanks To her Care takers, Mrs. Mary Dixon, Betty Raibon, and Merilyn Griffin Johnson. Harbor Hospice staff and Waterton Health Care.

The Hayter Family



Interment

Flewellen Cemetery, Lindale, TX



Services Entrusted To

London's Mortuary

"Providing A Dignified and Comforting Memory"

176 County Road 2503~ Mineola, TX 75773~ (903) 569-5404

CELEBRATING

THE LIFE OF

Martha Faye

Adams-Hayter

Sunrise

November 12, 1944

Sunset

September 22, 2026



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2026 ~ 11: 00 A. M.

New Zion Baptist Church

702 Church St.

Winona, TX 75792

Reverend Dr. S. L. Curry, Jr. Pastor

Life Reflections

Martha Faye Adams was a gift to Smith County, Texas on November 12, 1944 until she entered into eternal rest on September 22, 2026. She was the fourth child to Costroma and Margaree Freeman Adams, she was the gift that kept on giving. Sometimes affectionately known as Mafaye by those who were close and dear to her. She was a very caring public servant, friend, counselor and leader.

Martha attended Bragg Morris High and later completed a Texas License Medical Assistance Course and served in this capacity with UT Health Science Center of Tyler. She retired after fifteen years of service. Martha continued working in the private sector caring for several prominent families in the Smith County Area.

Martha served in several positions at her church. She was a Sunday school teacher, mentor to all that asked, and a very respected Culinary Artist, proud competitor during the birthday fundraising competition. She was a woman whose life reflected her deep love for God and commitment to serve others.

Martha was preceded in death by her parents Costroma and Margaree Adams, three brothers Chris Adams, Larry Adams, Robert Adams. Two sisters Carol Adams, Margaret Adams Dixon.

Left to cherish her memories two sisters, Ruthie Adams Young, and Shirley Adams Dickey. one son, Norris Hayter and his wife Betty Hayter, two grandchildren, Kendrick Hayter, and Karissa Hayter. two cousins she helped raised as her own, Avonda Adams Wright, and Chris Adams (Helen), five great grandchildren, Kyla Hayter, J’me Wright, Kelsi Wright , Blakely Russell, Sierra and Tyler Adams. And a host of nephews, nieces, cousins, friends and church family.

Order of Service

Processional	Ministers, Pallbearers & Family
Musical Selection	New Zion Choir
Scriptures	
Old Testament	Reverend Floyd Thomas
New Testament	Appointee
Prayer of Comfort	Reverend Earl Griffin
Musical Selection	New Zion Choir
Special Remarks	Reverend Rodney Curry College Hill Missionary Baptist Church
Resolutions	New Zion Baptist Church All others to be passed to the family
Eulogy	Reverend Dr. S L Curry, Jr. Pastor
Parting View	London Mortuary





Precious Memories



*Always
IN OUR
Hearts*



I Made It Home

Dear family, I just wanted to let you know I made it home.
The journey wasn't an easy one, but it didn't take too long.
Everything is so pretty here, so white, so fresh and new. I wish
that you could close your eyes so that you could see it too.

Please try not to be sad for me.

Try to understand God is taking care of me....

I'm in the shelter of His hands,

Here there is no sadness, no sorrow, and no pain.

Here there is no crying, and I'll never hurt again.

Here it is so peaceful, when all the angels sing.

I really have to go for now

I've just got to try my wings.

For now, dear family, please let your hearts be still.

Trust in God's love and his will.

I'm at peace, I'm safe, I'm free-

And Heaven is exactly where I'm meant to be.

I MADE IT HOME

Martha Faye Adams-Hayter





*Family
Memories*

