



Acknowledgements

As we mourn the loss of our dear mother, our hearts are heavy with many emotions. Sorrow is missing her, joy is knowing her suffering has ended, gratitude for time we were blessed to have her in our lives and hope in knowing we will one day see her again. We will miss her smile and laughter, the holidays, birthdays and all the special moments spent with her.

To our extended family and friends, we love you dearly and appreciate you for all your love, support and kind heartfelt expressions of sympathy and for the comfort they bring. Please continue to keep our family in your prayers in the days to come. Special thanks to Woodlands Rehabilitation Health Care staff and Willis and Sons Funeral Home.

With All Our Love, **The Hodge Family**

Active Pallbearers

Lewis Davis, Sr.
Kiente' Williams

Darrell McDuffie
Calvin Hodge
John Gordon, Jr.

Lee Downs
Patrick Wilson

Honorary Pallbearers

Louis Gaskew, Sr.
Erick Harris

R.L. Perkins
George Hunter

Preston Hodge
Alfred Pollard

Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

Final Resting Place

Spring Ridge Church Cemetery
7993 Old Port Gibson Road
Edwards, Mississippi 39066

Repast

Ratliff Chapel Missionary Baptist Church
Fellowship Hall

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Celebrating The Life Of Mrs. Robbie L. Hodge



Sunrise: January 30, 1942 Sunset: August 19, 2025

Saturday, August 30, 2025

11:00 a.m.

Ratliff Chapel M.B. Church

3656 MS-22

Edwards, MS 39066

**Pastor James Roby, Officiating
Evangelist Maxine Roby, Program Guide**





A Celebration of Life and Love

Evangelist Maxine Roby, Program Guide



Processional ~~~~~ Clergy and Family

Scripture Reading of Old Testament ~~~~~ Elder Eugene Hodge

Scripture Reading of New Testament ~~~~~ Pastor Brian Davis
Spring Ridge Missionary Baptist Church, Edwards, Mississippi

Prayer ~~~~~ Pastor Edmond Gibbs
New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Vicksburg, Mississippi
Pleasant Valley Missionary Baptist Church, Hollandale, Mississippi

Solo ~~~~~ Pastor Trollars Moore
Historic Jackson Street Baptist Church, Vicksburg, Mississippi

Words of Encouragement ~~~~~ Minister Brad Davis
Faith Center, Jackson, Mississippi

Expressions ~~~~~ Anyone Desiring ~~~~~ Three Minutes Please

Solo ~~~~~ Jamartae Hunter

Obituary ~~~~~ Read Silently ~~~~~ Soft Music

Acknowledgements ~~~~~ Evangelist Maxine Roby

Solo ~~~~~ Glennetta Hollins

Eulogy ~~~~~ Pastor James Roby, Jr.
St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Utica, Mississippi

Directors of Willis and Sons Funeral Home in Charge

Recessional



Precious Memories





A Life Well Lived

Robbie Lee Hodge

January 30-1942 – August 19, 2025

*"Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil:
for thou art with me; thy rod and staff comfort me.
Psalm 23:4*



Mrs. Robbie Lee Jordan Hodge was born on January 30, 1942 in Vicksburg, Mississippi to the late Henry and Annie Smith Jordan. At an early age Robbie confessed Christ as her Lord and Savior and joined Spring Ridge Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Pastor E. W. Cornelius, where she later became a devoted and dedicated mother of the church until her health started to decline.

Robbie, in her earlier years attended Spring Ridge Elementary School and furthered her education at Utica Junior College in Utica, Mississippi.

Robbie was affectionately known as "Rob", "Robbie Lee" and even "Robbie Mae". She was a dedicated worker until she retired from the Holiday Inn as an Executive Housekeeper with 32 years of service.

Robbie spent her spare time reading and attending church events along with quality time with family and friends. A lady of few words, but her smile would light up any room.

On Tuesday, August 19, 2025, Robbie departed her life at the Woodlands Rehabilitation and Healthcare Center in Clinton, Mississippi.

Robbie was married to the late John Hodge, Sr., who preceded her in death. She was also preceded in death by: one son, Andrew (Carl) Hodge, Sr.; one grandson, Andrew (AJ) Hodge, Jr.; three brothers and seven sisters.

Robbie leaves her memories to: two daughters, Linda Moffett (Rodger – son in love) of Crystal Springs, Mississippi and Debra Hodge-Jackson of Edwards, Mississippi; one son, John (Kimberly) Hodge, Jr. of Memphis, Tennessee; grandchildren. Keithston, Roderick, Freddie, Rashad, Andrea, Monica, Errin, Jemelle, Tyrek and a special granddaughter Roslind; twenty-three grandchildren; three great-grand children; two sisters, Gloria Walls and Hannah Jessup of Indianapolis, Indiana; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends along with the extended families of the Perkins and Hunter families.

“In Loving Memory Of my Beautiful Mother”

God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around you and He whispered, “Come to Me.”
With tearful eyes we watched you, and saw you fade away.
Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating, hard-working hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us, He chose to take the best.
It’s lonesome here without you, we miss you more each day.
Life doesn’t seem the same since you have gone away.
When days are sad and lonely and everything goes wrong,
We seem to hear you whisper, “Cheer Up and Carry On.”
Each time we see your picture you seem to smile and say,
“Don’t cry, I’m in God’s hands, we’ll meet again someday!”

Love, **Linda**

“A Mother’s Love”

A Mother’s love is truly everlasting and unconditional, an unbreakable bond that guides us through every twist and turn of life. Life doesn’t come with a manual, but it came with you: a loving mother whose sacrifices were endless and selfless, always putting family first.

You were my unwavering compass, my guiding light when I felt lost or uncertain about which path to take. Through every challenge and every joy, you stood by me not just as my mother, but as my friend. Your compassion, wisdom and gentle strength always resulted in perfect advice for every situation, shaping me into the person I am today.

Your love and nurturing created a foundation of stability and courage that prepared me to face the world’s challenges with confidence. The legacy of your devotion to family is a treasure that will live in my heart forever.

Thank you for being an extraordinary mother.

Love, Baby **John**



“My Mother”

My mother is a woman like no other.
She gave me life, nurtured me, taught me,
dressed me, fought for me, held me, shouted at me, kissed me,
but most importantly, she loved me unconditionally.
There are not enough words to describe just how important
my Mother is to me and what a powerful influence she continues to be.

Mother, I Love You, **Debra**



“If Flowers Grow In Heaven”

If flowers grow in heaven,
Lord, then pick a bunch for me.
Then place them in grandmother’s arms
and tell her they’re from me.
Tell her that I love and miss her and when she turns to smile,
place a kiss upon her cheek and hold her for a while.
Because remembering her is easy, I do it every day,
but there’s an ache within my heart that will never go away.

Love, **Roslind**

“Her Journey’s Just Begun”

Don’t think of her as gone away – her journey has just begun.
Life hold many facets, the earth is only one.
Just think of her as resting from the sorrows and the tears;
In a place of warmth and comfort, where there are no days and years.
Think how she must be wishing that we could know today,
How nothing but our sadness can really pass away.
And think of her as living in the hearts of those she touched,
For nothing loved is ever lost – and she was loved so much.

Love, **Roger**

“In Our Hearts”

We thought of you today., but that is nothing new.
We thought about you yesterday and days before that too.
We think of you in silence, we often speak your name.
Now all we have are memories and your picture in a frame.
You memory is a keepsake with which we’ll never part.
God has you in His keeping, we have you in our heart.

Grand and Great-grand children