

In Loving
MEMORY OF



Mae Kathryn
CAMPBELL

Sunrise
JULY 29, 1946

Sunset
MAY 4, 2026

Celebration of Life Service

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2026
10:30 am

THE CROSSING COMMUNITY CHURCH
3225 W. Orem Drive | Houston, Texas 77045

REVEREND CLINT HOPKINS
OFFICIATING



OBITUARY

Mae Campbell

MAE KATHRYN CAMPBELL, a beloved daughter, sister, aunt, and friend, was born on July 29, 1946, and departed this life on May 4, 2026, just shy of her 80th birthday.

Mae was the third of seven children born to Cleveland and Charlie Theresa Campbell. From an early age, it was clear that Mae was exceptionally intelligent. She was a voracious reader, kind-hearted, serious, studious, fun, and easygoing. One of Mae's proudest accomplishments, and a source of great pride for her family, was graduating from E.E. Worthing High School in Houston, Texas, as Valedictorian of her class. She went on to earn a full scholarship to Howard University.

In 1964, Mae set off for Howard University in Washington, D.C., where she majored in Chemistry and earned a Bachelor of Science degree. Mae was fortunate to attend Howard during a historic era in the United States, a time that further cultivated her passions for civil rights and social justice. While at Howard, Mae served as Secretary of the American Chemical Society, was a member of the Kappa Sigma Debate Society, and became a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. through the prestigious Alpha Chapter on Howard's campus.


Upon graduating from Howard in 1968, Mae joined IBM, where she built a distinguished and successful 35-year career. She spent much of that time living in Los Angeles, California, where she created a life filled with her many passions, including travel, adventures with friends, yoga, shopping, reading, and collecting beautiful art. Mae was a lifelong learner, intellectually curious, and gifted in her ability to engage others across a wide range of topics, making them feel seen, heard, and remembered.

Although Mae spent many years living in California away from her family in Texas, she always remained closely connected to them. As one of seven siblings, she was affectionately known as "Aunt Squeek" to 17 nieces and nephews, and she had a special way of making each one feel like they were her favorite. With one phone call or visit with Squeek, you could get caught up on the lives of family and friends. No matter where she was in the world, Mae remained present, connected, and deeply invested in the people she loved.

When some of her siblings began experiencing health challenges, and as she desired to be closer to her mother, Charlie T., Mae moved back to Houston. There, she became a source of joy, strength, companionship, and fun. Education continued to be a cornerstone value in Mae's life, and she later started her own tutoring company, making an invaluable impact on many young people in the areas of STEM. Whether you knew her as Mae or Squeek, to be in her presence was to experience unparalleled kindness, faith, grace, wit and wisdom.

Mae was preceded in death by her parents, Cleveland and Charlie Theresa Campbell; her brothers, Donald Campbell, Charles Campbell, and Cleveland "Roy" Campbell; and her sisters, Geraldene McKee and Carolyn Davis.

She leaves to cherish her memory her sister, Betty Alexander; brother-in-law, Kenneth McKee; sister-in-law, Frances Campbell-Hunt; and her nieces and nephews: Teri Alexander, Celeste Alexander, Nicole Alexander, Jodie James, Stefanie Etienne, Tiffany Campbell, Akilah LeBlanc, Lucious McDaniel III, Joseph Davis, Angela McKee-Brown, Bryan McKee, Heather Mattisson, Charles "Casey" Campbell Jr., Jason Campbell, Gabrielle Floyd, Amber Campbell, and Keli Best.



The Service

"Death is nothing else but going home to God, the bond of love will be unbroken for all eternity."

~MOTHER TERESA

SEATING OF GUESTS AND FAMILY

MUSICAL PRELUDE

A selection of music honoring Mae's spirit

"Every Praise" Hezekiah Walker

"Melodies from Heaven" Kirk Franklin

"Man of Your World" - Maverick City

"Goodness of God" CeCe Winans

INVOCATION & SCRIPTURE READING

Reverend Clint Hopkins

THE CROSSING COMMUNITY CHURCH

Heather Mattisson

MOMENT OF REFLECTION & PROGRAM READING

VOCALIST MUSICAL SELECTION

Eric Davis

TRIBUTES & REFLECTIONS

3 MINUTES PER PERSON

Family Designees

VOCALIST MUSICAL SELECTION

Eric Davis

EULOGY | WORDS OF COMFORT

Reverend Clint Hopkins

THE CROSSING COMMUNITY CHURCH

BENEDICTION | CLOSING PRAYER

REPAST ANNOUNCEMENT

RECESSIONAL MUSIC





TREASURED *Memories*



The Clarion

VOLUME SIX MAY, 1964 NUMBER THREE

CANDIDATES FOR DIPLOMAS NAMED

The May graduation class of 1964, consisting of two hundred thirty candidates, is one of the largest to leave Worthing. There are thirteen honor students out of the total number candidates. About sixty-eight per cent of them plan to attend college. The remaining thirty-two per cent are either undecided or plan to enroll in one of the hospital or business colleges. We have found that about one per cent of them plan to enter the field of education, one per cent plan to go into teaching, others doing so-called work. Eight per cent of the college students plan to attend business college and go into fields of I. B. M. and Secretarial training.



Mary Phillips



Paulette White



Mae K. Campbell



Carolyn Davis



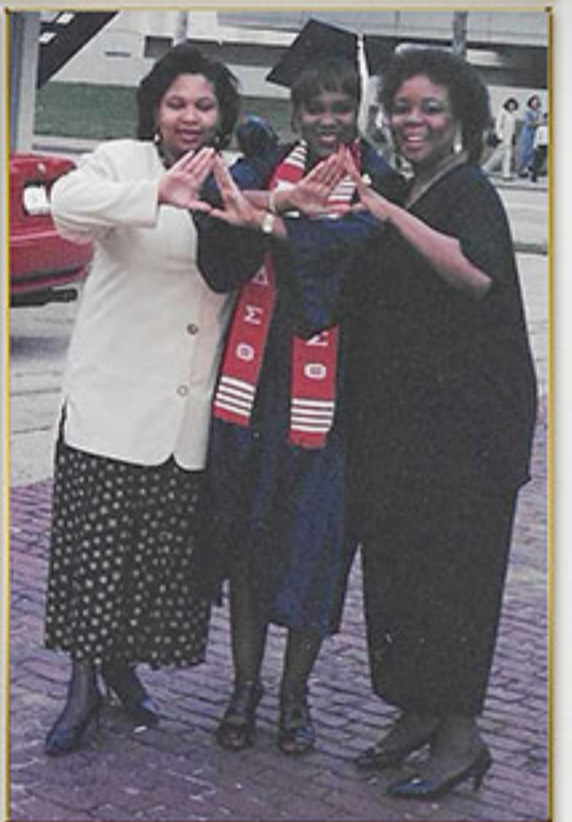
Sarah Baker

Top Graduates To be Honored

The top five May, 1964 graduates have been announced by the registrar, Mrs. Jewel Campbell. They were chosen on the basis of their outstanding scholastic achievements during their

mathematics. Her hobbies are dancing, sewing, and reading. Mary is captain of the Worthing cheerleaders, president of the student Council, and assistant editor of the Clarion.









A Life Well Lived

*God blessed this world through Mae's gentle
presence,*

*Her brilliant mind, her generous heart,
and her unwavering spirit.*

*She walked with purpose, learned with passion,
And loved with quiet strength.*

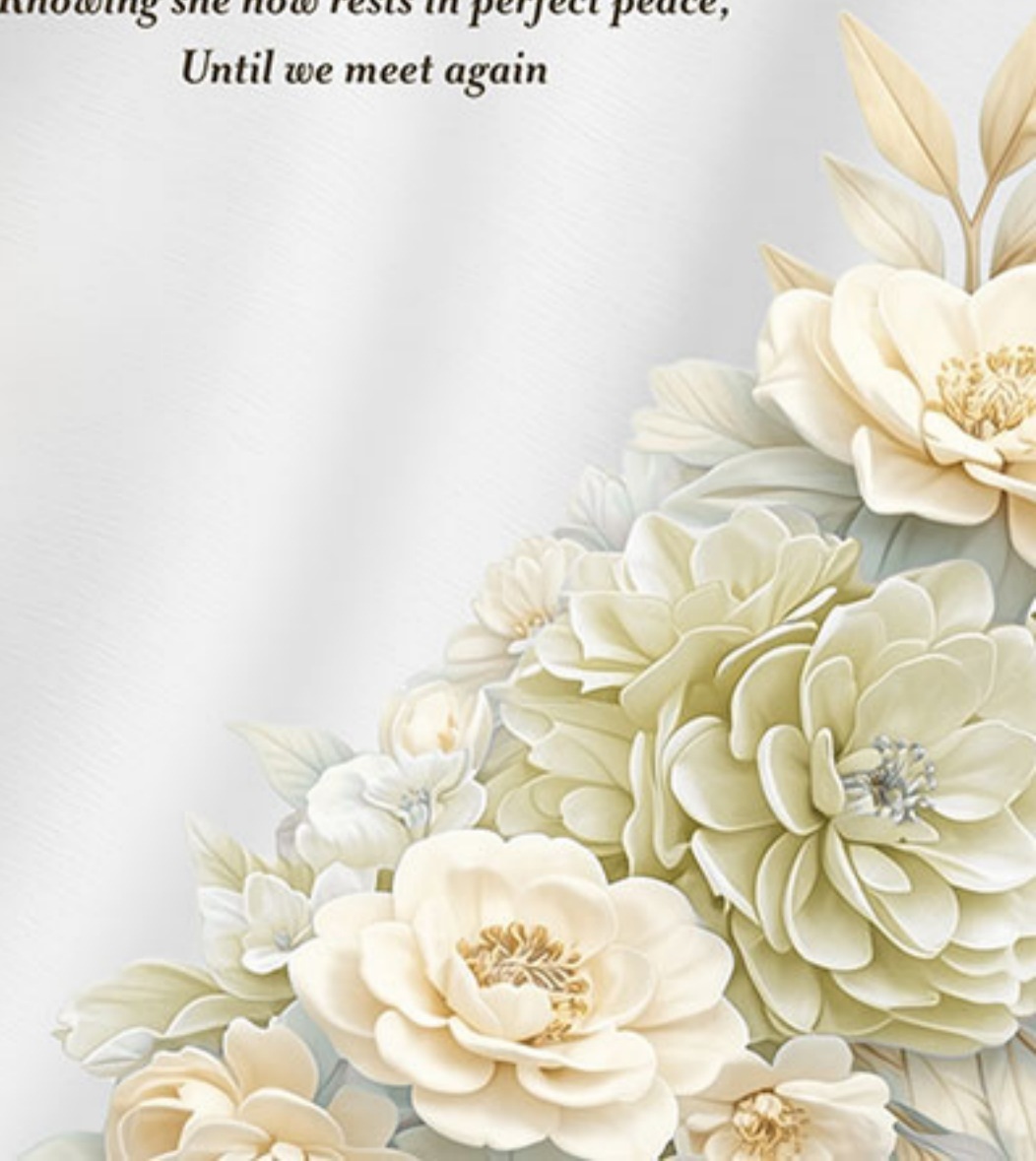
*Through every season, she carried herself with
grace,*

Touching lives in ways both great and small.

*Though her earthly journey has ended,
Her light remains in those she taught,
encouraged, and loved.*

*We do not say goodbye forever,
For faith reminds us that death is not the end.*

*We entrust her to God's eternal care,
Knowing she now rests in perfect peace,
Until we meet again*



A MESSAGE OF *Gratitude*

The family of MAE KATHRYN CAMPBELL would like to express our sincerest gratitude for your presence and support today. Your kindness and love are comfort beyond measure. Mae's life was filled with kindness, compassion, excellence, laughter, friendship, and love. It is truly a blessing that we have felt that same love these last months and Mae felt them for a lifetime. We appreciate the support of this village!

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Women of Power Family at Braeswood Assembly of God

The Crossing Community Church

Italiano's Pearland

Dr. Rebecca Wills

Dr. Stefanie Etienne

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