Celebration of Life

Mrs. Johnie Celeste McCollum



Sunrise
November 29, 1929

Sunset
March 16, 2026

"To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven. A time to be born, and a time to die..."
Ecclesiastes 3:1-2a

Saturday, March 28, 2026 | 11:00 a.m.

St. Peter Missionary Baptist Church
248 Haw Pond Church Road, Magee, Mississippi 39111

Reverend Douglas King Pastor
Reverend Troy Durr, Sr., Officiant

The Order of Service

Processional ..... *Clergy & Family*

Mistress of Ceremonies ..... *Sister Gloria Hobbs*

Scripture Reading

Old Testament ..... *Pulpit*

New Testament ..... *Pulpit*

Prayer ..... *Pastor Willie B. Hobbs, Jr.*

Song ..... *Choir*

As a Mission Member ..... *Sister Velma Magee*

Words of Encouragement ..... *Pastor Douglas King*

Song ..... *Tony Malloy*

Obituary ..... *Read Silently*

Acknowledgments ..... *Sister Gloria Hobbs*

Song ..... *Choir*

Eulogy ..... *Reverend Troy Durr, Sr.*

Recessional ..... *Funeral Directors of J&M in Charge*



"And ye now therefore have sorrow: but I will see you again, and your heart shall rejoice, and your joy no man taketh from you."

John 16:22

The Obituary

"Tis the Old Ship of Zion get on board."

Sister Johnie Celeste Womack McCollum *was born November 29, 1929, in Mendenhall, Mississippi. She entered into her heavenly eternal rest on Monday, March 16, 2026.*

She was the lovely daughter of the late Nurance and Emma Jane Womack.

Sister Johnie lived in Chicago, Illinois, for numerous years. Upon retiring, she moved back to her hometown of Magee, Mississippi. She loved working in her yard, planting flowers, and growing her small garden. She joined the St. Peter M.B. Church and began serving with the mission. She was a faithful member until her health began failing.

She was united in marriage to AC McCollum. To this union, seven children were born; two of whom preceded her in death, Keith McCollum and Ronnie McCollum.

Cherishing her loving memories are five children, Ricky McCollum of Mendenhall, Mississippi, Patricia Whitfield of Magee, Mississippi, Tineca McClenney of Newport News, Virginia, Marve McCollum and Lashon McCollum, both of Chicago, Illinois; one brother, Billy Ray (Joyce) Womack of Columbia. Mississippi; 17 grandchildren; 32 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

Are All The Children In?

by Florence Jones Hadley

I think oft times as the night draws
nigh. of an old house on a hill,
Of a yard all wide and blossom-starred,
Where the children played at will.
And when the deep night at last
came down,
Hushing the merry din,
My Mother would look all around
and ask, "Are all the children in?"

Tis many and many a year since then,
And the old house on the hill,
No longer echoes childish feet,
And the yard is still, so still.

But I see it all as the shadows creep,
And though many the years have
been, since then, I can hear my
mother ask, "Are all the children in?"

I wonder if, when those shadows fall,
On the last short earthly day,
When we say goodbye to the world
outside, all tired of our childish play.
When we meet the Lover of boys and
girls, who died to save them from sin,
Will we hear Him ask, as Mother did,
"Are all the children in?"

Acknowledgments

The family of Sister Johnie McCollum would to like to thank everyone of you for your prayers, calls, visits, and other expressions of love shown toward us during the passing of our loved one.

Honorary Pallbearers

Ricky McCollum
Tristan McCollum
Montrell McCollum
Jerry Sims
Kenyon McCollum
Ravaughn McCollum

Active Pallbearers

Corey Sims
Maurice Magee
Robert D. Magee
Phillip Magee
Tony Malloy
Ronney Magee

Flower Bearers

Family & Friends

Interment

St. Peter Church Cemetery
248 Haw Pond Church Road
Magee, Mississippi 39111

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