

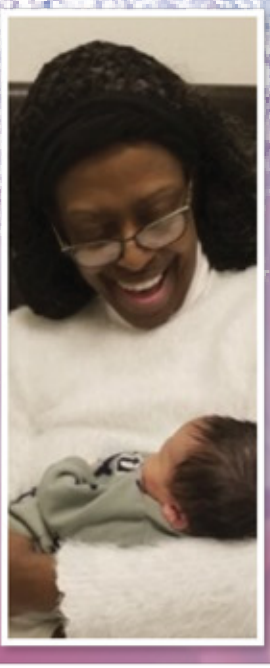
MOTHER
Demetria Cooper
MARTIN

November 6, 1956 – September 20, 2026

Saturday, October 24, 2026
Wake 10:00 a.m.
Funeral 11:00 a.m.

Greater Evergreen Missionary Baptist Church
1915 Lexington Street
Las Vegas, NV 89106











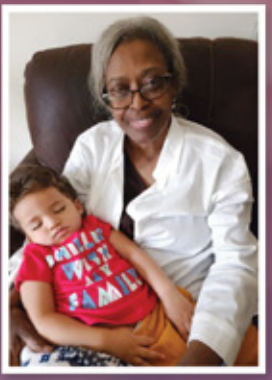


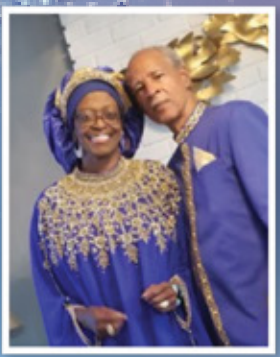
















REMEMBERING
THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF
MOTHER
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Demetria Cooper Martin was born November 6, 1956 in Herlong, California to Connie Mae Banks Cooper and Jim Chatman Cooper, both of whom preceded her in death. She was the 3rd of 5 children.

Demetria attended Herlong Primary, Elementary and High Schools, Lassen Community College, University of Nevada Reno, University of Nevada Las Vegas and University of Phoenix.

During her High School and Community College years, Demetria excelled academically; earning an Associate of Arts (AA) Degree from Lassen Community College and a Bachelor of Arts (BA) Degree in Business Management from the University of Phoenix. Her favorite subjects were Math and History.

Demetria's vibrant spirit, compassionate heart and magnetic personality were evident from an early age. Whether at home, in the neighborhood or among family and friends, she had a remarkable gift for bringing joy wherever she went. She never hesitated to encourage the overlooked, champion for the unfortunate or find ways to make others feel welcome and valued.

Demetria was baptized at an early age as both parents were actively involved in the church. She was first converted at First Baptist Church in Herlong, California pastored by Reverend David McBride.

Demetria began her employment career at the movie theater in Herlong while attending high school. After marriage, Demetria began a 20-year career in banking. After working for several banks in Reno and Las Vegas, she began working for New Ventures Capital Corporation. Following New Ventures, she began a career in Commercial Real Estate, working for three different companies and honing her skills, eventually opening her own Real State Business (Diamond Crown).

Demetria began dating Grenell Martin in April 1972 and they were married in Herlong, CA on November 6, 1976. To this union, one child was born, Oshaunessy Rose Martin. They resided in Reno for 13 years. In the wake of Bank mergers, they elected to relocate to Las Vegas as Grenell was transferred there.

Demetria was a dedicated person, opinionated and a perfectionist. She would give 100% in everything they did. When Demetria and Grenell were married, they stated in their vows for better or for worse, until death do they part. God called her home after 49 years and 10 months of marriage.

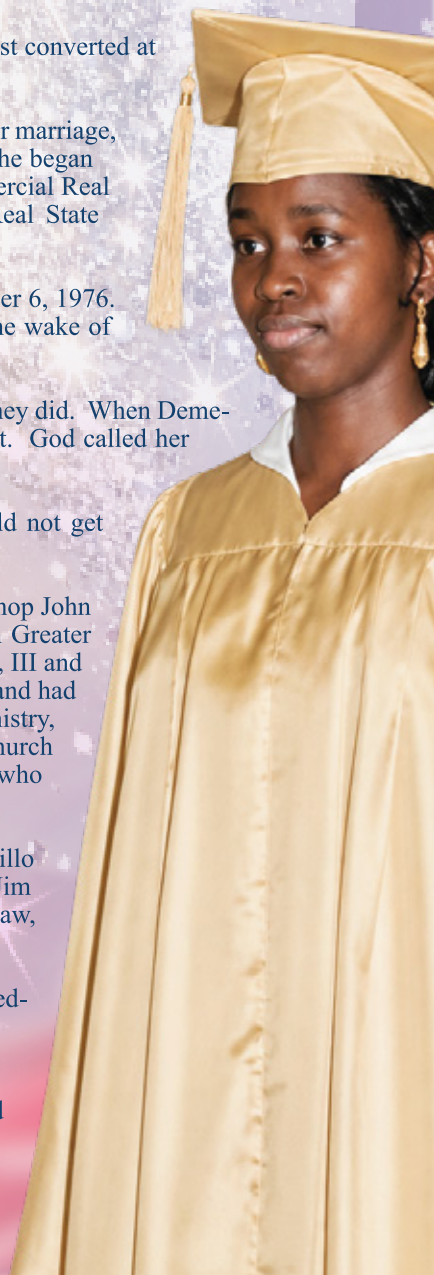
One of Demetria's favorite past times was being with her grandchildren Dallen and Xyler. She could not get enough of visiting them and watching them grow.

Demetria and Grenell were members of Mount Zion Full Gospel Fellowship under the leadership of Bishop John Wayne Arnold and first lady Carlis Arnold shortly after moving to Las Vegas. They later united with Greater Evergreen Missionary Baptist Church in Las Vegas, Nevada under the leadership of Dr. Welton T. Smith, III and first lady Debra R. Smith where she was a faithful member for more than 25 years. She loved the Lord and had a lifelong walk of faith that shaped every area of her life. She was chairwoman of the Trustee Ministry, vice-chair of the Mother's Board and trustee advisor to the Prayer Band. She loved her church and church family. She was a mighty prayer warrior and had a beautiful singing voice. She was also an author who published a Christian book (Airtemed).

Demetria leaves to cherish her memory her husband, Grenell Martin; daughter, Oshaunessy Rose Murillo Martin; son-in law, Jesus Murillo Juarez; 2 grandchildren, Dallen and Xyler Murillo-Martin; 3 brothers, Jim C. Cooper (wife Joyce) of Kansas City, MO, Avery Cooper and Greg Cooper of Las Vegas; father-in-law, Curtis Martin Jr.; brothers-in-law, Curtis Martin, III (wife Pamela) and Dwight Martin (wife Rina).

One brother, Joseph E. Cooper; mother-in-law, Rosie M. Martin and brother-in-law, Ronald Martin preceded her in death.

She also leaves behind several uncles, aunts, cousins, nieces and nephews along with extended family members, church members and dear friends; all of whom were enriched by her faith, generosity and enduring love.


















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MUSICAL SELECTION
GEMBC Mass Choir

SCRIPTURE READINGS
Old Testament - Reverend Orie McLemore
New Testament - Bishop J. Wayne Arnold

PRAYER OF COMFORT
Reverend Reginald Mosley

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GEMBC Mass Choir

Obituary Reading & Acknowledgements
Maxine Robinson

EXPRESSIONS
(Two Minutes, Please)
Bishop Arnold
Mother Jerrian Munerlyn-Greene
Family & Friends

VIDEO TRIBUTE
Giddens Memorial Chapel

MUSICAL SELECTION
Sister Natasha Branch

EULOGY
Pastor Welton T. Smith, III

PARTING VIEW

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INTERMENT
Palm Eastern Cemetery
7600 S Eastern Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89120

REPAST
GEMBC Fellowship Hall

























HONORING
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When tomorrow starts without me
And I'm not here to see
If the sun should rise and find your eyes
Are filled with tears for me
I wish so much you wouldn't cry
The way you did today
While thinking of the many things
We didn't get to say
I know how much you love me
As much as I love you
And each time you think of me
I know you'll miss me too
But when tomorrow starts without me
Please try to understand
That an angel came and called my name
And took me by the hand
And said my place was ready
In Heaven far above
And that I'd have to leave behind
All those I dearly love
But when I walked through Heaven's gate
I felt so much at home
When God looked down and smiled at me
From His great golden throne
He said this is eternity
And all I promised you
Today your life on earth is past
But here it starts anew
I promise no tomorrow
For today will always last
And since each day's the same way
There's no longing for the past
So when tomorrow starts without me
Don't think we're far apart
For every time you think of me
I'm right here in your heart



Active Pallbearers

Lutalo Cooper
Dana Cooper
Tony Jones
Rodney Williams
Willie Johnson
Fred Brooks

Honorary Pallbearers

Greg Abron
Rodney Estes
Johnny Smith

Acknowledgements

The family of Mother Demetria Martin would like to express our appreciation and gratitude for your comforting words and all genuine acts of kindness shown during this difficult time. May God continue to bless and keep you all...
-The Family

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. 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 thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

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