

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE
DOROTHY (PENNY) ROSETTA GOODWIN



Sunrise: August 10, 1949

Sunset: May 13, 2023

Wake: Thursday, May 25, 2023, 10:30 am

Celebration: Thursday, May 25, 2023, 11 am

Shiloh Christian Community Church
825 Yale Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21229
Pastor Jimmy C. Baldwin, Sr.

JOURNEY OF LIFE

On August 10, 1949, Theldra and Samuel Boyd welcomed Dorothy (Penny) Rosetta (Boyd) Goodwin into their circle of love. Penny departed this life, suddenly, on Saturday, May 13, 2023.

Penny loved the Lord and gave her life to Christ decades ago. She was a faithful member of Shiloh Christian Community Church. Penny was totally dedicated to service at Shiloh. She served tirelessly for the past 35 years as a member of the Data Team. She was serious about carrying out her responsibilities on the Data Team. She also served in various other roles as a need arose. She especially loved her "Tuesday Senior" activities and her "Table 7 group". She told me that her Table 7 group had special colors for their Table 😊

Penny was born, raised, educated, and built multiple careers in Baltimore, Maryland. She had a long and storied career with multiple employers. She spent several years in the insurance industry, veterinary medicine, and banking services. Penny worked at USF&G and Falls Road Animal Hospital (bonus for her pets) for many years. She retired from Walmart in 2016 and she also retired from M&T Bank in 2019. Penny cherished her friendship with John, her former boss from M&T. She often spoke fondly of John and his family.

One of Penny's favorite past times was taking care of her pets. She had the best trained cats and dogs on the planet. Over the years, she had three beloved dogs Ace, Lady, and Jazmin. She had one cat, Snickers (affectionately known as Snickerdoodle). Penny also loved to cook. Her weekly texts showing the dinner she cooked certainly made your mouth water. She had a heart of gold, loved fearlessly, and would extend a helping hand to anyone in need. Of course, she had no problem expressing her disagreement either!

What Penny loved most in her natural life: Her Mother Theldra and Nephew Vernon. She would let anyone within earshot know that she loved Theldra and Vernon with the very essence of who she was! Her life force diminished greatly at their transition to the spirit realm!

Penny was preceded in death by her sister Theldra (Kitty) E Boyd, niece Tamaria A. Campbell, her mother Theldra Boyd, nephew Vernon E. Hudson Jr.; sisters: Elaine A. Wilson and Rose E. Miles; brothers: Samuel Boyd Jr., Robert L. Boyd, Morris E. Boyd, and Herman D. Boyd, father: Samuel B. Boyd.

She leaves to honor her life: Sisters in Love, Donna Brown and Jackie Allen; Sister: Laverne McCoy; Brother: Michael J. Boyd; Brother-in-Law: Alvin McCoy; Uncle: Theodore Smith; God-daughters: Damira Massey and Kadiatu-Kay Kebe; and a host of nieces/nephews; cousins, other relatives, and friends.

Order of Service

Processional

Officiant/Worship Leader

Reverend Karen Allen-Curtis

Opening Hymn

May the Work I've Done Speak for Me

Scripture

Old Testament: Psalm 91:15-16

New Testament: 1 Corinthians 15:50-58

Prayer of Comfort

Musical Selection

MIT Tabitha Brooks

Remarks/Reflections (two minutes please)

Acknowledgements/Resolution

Pastor Cynthia Hudson

Obituary

Alvin McCoy

Musical Selection

MIT Tabitha Brooks

Eulogy

Reverend Sandra Scott

Benediction

Passport – Stamped Approved for Travel

Dear Family and Friends! Please be advised that I have moved. I received a call the other day from God and He informed me that my tasks here on earth were finished and that my new home was complete. After a thorough inspection and consultation, Jesus Christ handed me my passport. I wish that I could've given you more notice. On May 13, 2023, Jesus told me that it was ok for me to move to my new home. I've been building it over the years through service to God's people, the study of God's Word, and many fervent prayers. My new home is located on an exclusive estate area behind the Pearly Gates. The streets are paved with gold and every day is Sunday. I've been walking and talking with Jesus and my heart is no longer aching! I have peace, joy, happiness and sweet serenity! Although I'm not the extravagant type, I have a new designer white robe and my very own wings.

P.S. I don't have my cell phone and you can no longer reach me on social media, but please remember my smile and hear the voice of God comforting you.

Acknowledgements

We praise God for the life of Dorothy (Penny) Rosetta Goodwin. We also praise Him for the many family members and friends who shared in our moment of grief. God bless you one and all, for your love, concern and prayers during our time of bereavement.

Interment

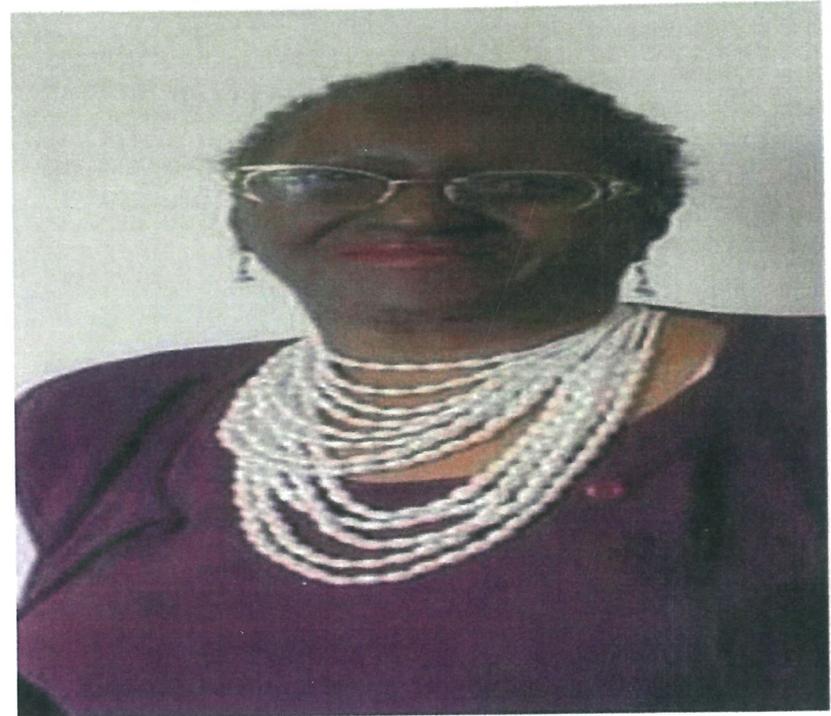
Thursday, May 25, 2023
Cedar Hill Cemetery
5829 Ritchie Highway, Baltimore, MD 21225

Professional Services Entrusted to:

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