

Homegoing Celebration

for

Our Beloved



*Mother Mildred Elizabeth
Stanton-Evans*

Sunrise: July 12, 1939 – Sunset: May 26, 2023

Saturday, June 3, 2023

Wake: 10:00 A.M. – Celebration: 10:30 A.M.

in the Sanctuary of the
Christian Unity Temple C. C. Church

3900 Groveland Ave.
Baltimore, MD 21215

+Bis. George E. M. Stanton, D.Min. – Officiating (Son)
Pastor – Christ Spiritual Temple Baptist Church, Inc.

- Life Reflections -

Mother Mildred Elizabeth Stanton-Evans, daughter of the late Lolita Stanton Mitchell and William McAllister (stepfather – Irvin Mitchell), was born on July 12, 1939 in Baltimore, MD. She was reared by her maternal great aunts, Wilhelmina Funn and Catherine Matthews. God called her home to be with Him on May 26, 2023.

She attended the Baltimore City Public Schools and was a graduate of Frederick Douglass High Evening School.

Mother Evans, as she was affectionately called, was the proud parent of three (3) sons: Lloyd Christopher, +Bis. George Edward McCargo and the late Rev. Dr. Douglas Martinez Stanton. She married the late Deac. James D. Evans, Sr. in April 1983 and they were happily wedded for seven (7) years until his death in May 1990.

She received Christ at an early age and attended the Gillis Memorial C. C. Church with the late Rev. Laura Stevenson and her family and neighborhood children. She would also attend her family's church, Ebenezer A. M. E. in South Baltimore. Mildred loved going to church and found joy in Ushering. After marrying her husband, she joined his church, Emmanuel C. C. under the leadership of the late Rev. Dr. Sidney Daniels. After the death of her husband, she visited different churches with her sons and later joined the First Charity Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. P. A. Kearney. Often she would travel with her son Lloyd and the United House of Prayer Band to different states. When her son George reorganized his paternal grandparents church, Christ Spiritual Temple Baptist Church, Inc., she joined, became the first Usher, a Trustee and Mother of the Church.

Mother Evans loved children and because of her love for them, she began her career. She volunteered at her sons' schools until the late Ms. Dorothy Bennett, principal of Rosemont Elementary School - #063 offered her a job as a part-time Cafeteria Aide. She accepted the position and rose through the ranks and became a Teacher's Assistant (para-professional). She was a part of the Rosemont Elementary family until Rosemont went into partnership with Coppin State University and she was transferred to Calvin Rodwell Elementary School - #256. There she found a new family and worked under three (3) principals: Mr. Michael Cheatam, Mrs. Sandra Spratley Adams and Mrs. Cynthia Winkler, who she had not only a work relationship with, but a friendship. She retired from Calvin Rodwell and went back to work for the After School Program run by the Child First Authority and her now adopted daughter, Mrs. Sonya Goodwyn-Askew. After a few years she went back into retirement, but stayed in touch with her co-workers, students and their parents. Someone was always either stopping by the house, calling her on the phone or mailing her a card just to say that they were thinking about her.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her sons, Lloyd C. Stanton and +Bis. George E. M. Stanton, D.Min.; grandson, Noel; stepdaughter, Diane Fleming and family; devoted sisters-in-law, Arlene Pledger, Corrine Lee, Josephine Ervin and Claradine Butler; adopted children, Sonya Goodwyn-Askew and Michael Lee; godchildren, Mildred Kane and Jalen Pritchett; extended family, The Richardson Family, The Thompson-Jones-Thomas-Fletcher Family, The Santiful Family, The Freshley Family and a host of other relatives and friends.

- Order of Service -

Processional & Visitation with Family and Friends

Hymn

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Reading of the Holy Record

Old Testament – Psalm 90 – Rev. Kenneth Johnson, M.Div.
New Testament – 1 Corinthians 15:50-58 – Rev. Dr. Shirley C. Baker

Invocation

Eld. Don A. Levroney

Ministry of Music

Dr. Roland C. "Joe" Smith

Words of Comfort/Reflections (*Two Minutes Please*)

Rev. Dr. Charles E. Coger

Rev. Charles H. Stevenson

++Apos./+Bis. Alverta V. Montgomery, Ph.D.

Deac. Vincent E. Jackson

Mrs. Cynthia Winkler

Ministry of Music

++Apos. M. JoAnne Farley, D.D.

Acknowledgements & Life Reflections

Rev. Brandi N. Foyles-Fletcher

Tributes (*Two Minutes Please*)

Sons, Adopted Children & Godchildren

Ministry of Music

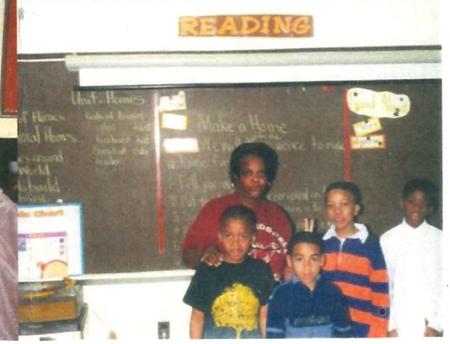
+Bis. Ernest Santiful, Jr.

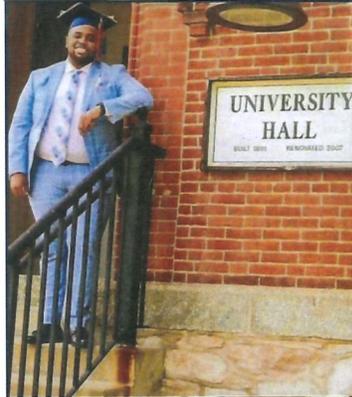
Eulogy

+Bis. George E. M. Stanton, D.Min. (Son)

Pastor – Christ Spiritual Temple Baptist Church, Inc.

Benediction & Recessional





God Saw You Getting Tired

*God saw that she was getting tired,
A cure was not to be.
So He put His arms around her
And whispered, "Come with Me."
With tearful eyes, we watched her suffer.
And saw her fade away.
Although we loved her dearly,
We could not make her stay.
A golden heart stopped beating.
Hard working hands to rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes "the best".*

- The Family

- Pall Bearers -

Family & Friends

- Interment -

Maryland National Memorial Park
13300 Baltimore Ave.
(US Route 1 -Washington Blvd.)
Laurel, MD

- Acknowledgement -

The family of the late **Mother Mildred Elizabeth Stanton-Evans** gratefully acknowledges the many kind and beautiful expressions of sympathy and love shown during our hour of bereavement.

- Professional Services Entrusted To -

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