

Acknowledgements

The family of Annie B. Green-Thomas acknowledges, with grateful hearts and sincere appreciation, all acts of kindness and sympathy shown during our time of bereavement. Your deep concerns and expressions of love and sympathy will always be embedded in the hearts of those who loved her. We pray God's richest blessings upon each of you.

Honorary Pallbearers

Deacon James Green
Deacon Prentiss Vaughan
Deacon Lee Jackson
Bro. Douglas McCree

Active Pallbearers

Bro. Jeremy Green
Bro. Percy Mitchell, Jr.
Bro. Demarcus Mitchell
Bro. George Marshall
Bro. Gemari Marshall
Bro. Keishan Wright

Flower Bearers

Grandchildren & Nieces

Interment

Crozier Cemetery
1845 Paradise Road
Bentonia, MS 39040

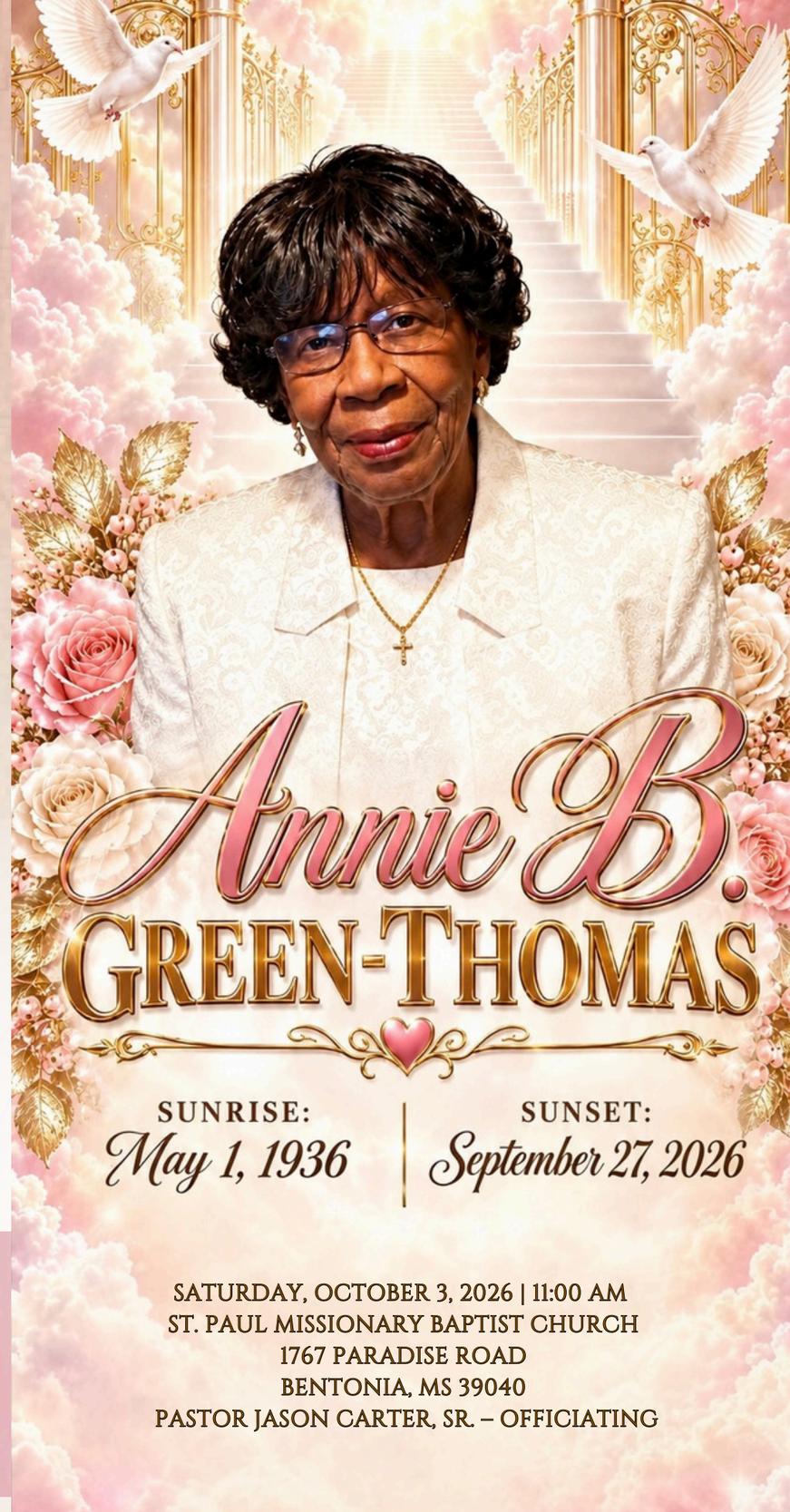
Repast

The McCullum Residence
661 Green Road
Yazoo City, MS 39194

Professional Services Entrusted To:

SHAFFER-COLLINS FUNERAL HOME
247 WEST SIXTH STREET
YAZOO CITY, MISSISSIPPI 39194
OFFICE: 662-746-3985

"OUR FAMILY SERVING YOUR COMMUNITY"



Annie B. Green-Thomas

SUNRISE: May 1, 1936

SUNSET: September 27, 2026

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2026 | 11:00 AM
ST. PAUL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1767 PARADISE ROAD
BENTONIA, MS 39040
PASTOR JASON CARTER, SR. – OFFICIATING

Life Legacy

Annie B. Green Thomas

"We are confident, yes, well pleased rather to be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord." 2 Corinthians 5:8 NKJV

Annie B. Green-Thomas was born May 1, 1936, to the late John W. Green and Alberta Gray-Green, in Yazoo County, Mississippi. She departed this life on Sunday, September 27, 2026.

Annie was preceded in death by her mother and father; twelve siblings: R.B, Freddie, Ola, Erman, Levester, Rachel, Robert, Ernest, Bettye, John, Granvil, and Mildred; one daughter, Georgia B. Thomas; one son, Johnnye E. Marshall; and her husband, George Thomas.

Annie graduated from Linwood High School, Vaughan, MS. After graduation, she moved to Jackson, MS, where she met and married George Thomas. To this union two children were born. Annie later returned home to care for her ailing mother. She was a loving and caring person who took on the role of mother and grandmother to so many.

She accepted Christ at an early age and united with St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. Nathan Frazier. She was a member of the choir and served as the Choir President for many years. She and her sister, Mildred, loved singing together during her early years. Annie was truly a dedicated member until her health began to decline.

Annie leaves to cherish her legacy: two daughters, Loretta Green and Jacqueline (Percy) Mitchell; one son, George (Angela) Marshall; 11 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren, 4 great-great grandchildren; a niece, Tammye Green, who assisted her as if she was one of her very own children; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

THE WHISPERING WIND

I know you may have shed a tear
When I first took my leave
But just know that I am happy here
No need for you to grieve

The beauty that's surrounding me
Would take your breath away
There are wonders that I can't describe
The air's like a sweet bouquet

Don't worry 'bout the things unsaid
There's nothing to forgive
Don't lay your heart upon the past
Just let our memories live

And though your earthly eyes can't see
I'm resting in God's care
Whenever you feel the whispering wind
My spirit lingers there

I'm always just a thought away
My love will never part
I'll be with you for eternity
Forever in your heart

Order of Service

PROGRAM GUIDE , SIS DEBRA MITCHELL

Processional
Clergy & Family

Musical Selection
Choir

Old Testament Reading
Bro. Paul Granderson, Sr.

New Testament Reading
Bro. Percy Mitchell, Sr.

Prayer of Comfort
Deacon James Green

Musical Selection
Choir

Words of Comfort
Pastor Isaiah Jackson

Poem
Sis. Loris Watkins

Expressions
(2 minutes please)

Special Selection
Bro. Cayden McCullum

Tributes/Acknowledgements/Resolution
Sis. Debra Mitchell

Life Legacy
(Read Silently) – Soft Music

Solo
Bro. Randy Avery

Eulogy
Pastor Jason Carter, Sr.

Shaffer-Collins Funeral Home
Directors in Charge

Recessional

Love Lives On

For ninety blessed years, you walked on this earth,
Teaching us family, faith, love, and worth.
You showed us that strength isn't always loud,
Sometimes it kneels humbly, with its head gently bowed.
You prayed for your children, called each one by name,
Through every joy, sorrow, heartache, and pain.
You stood by our side, gave support when we'd fall,
And somehow, dear Mama, you made room for us all.
You loved your family with a heart strong and true,
And so much of who we are, came directly from you.
You encouraged our dreams, helped carry our load,
And reminded us always to stay on God's road.
You taught us to love, and you taught us to care,
To trust in the Lord and to meet Him in prayer.
To give when we could and help those in need,
For love is not merely a word, but rather, a deed.
We'll miss you at holidays, gatherings, and meals,
In those quiet little moments when your absence feels real.
There will always be something that simply won't be
Quite the same without Mama there with the family.
There are times we will wish we could pick up the phone,
Just to hear your sweet voice or say, "Mama, I'm home."
We'll miss your laughter, your wisdom, your ways,
And cherish your memory for all our days.
Though our hearts ache deeply and tears freely fall,
We thank God for giving us you most of all.
What a blessing, what an honor, what beautiful grace
To have known your love and your warm embrace.
And though we must leave here without you today,
Your love walks beside us each step of the way.
You live in your children, your family, your seed,
In every kind gesture and every good deed.
For death may bring parting, for this much is true:
A mother's love lives on—
And Mama, so will you.

Love Always,
Loretta, Jackie, and George

From Your Grand Children

Grandma, your love was a gift that helped shape our lives in more ways than we could ever fully express. You gave us memories we will treasure forever, prayers that covered us, wisdom that guided us, and a love that always made us feel safe, supported, and deeply cared for.

You were a source of strength in our family and a beautiful example of faith, love, and devotion. We will miss your presence at family gatherings, your voice, your laughter, your stories, and all the little things that made simply being around you feel like home.

Although our hearts are heavy because we can no longer see you, hug you, or sit beside you, we are so grateful for every moment God allowed us to share with you. We will carry your lessons, your prayers, your strength, and your love with us throughout our lives.

Your legacy did not end when you left this earth. It lives on in your children, your grandchildren, your great-grandchildren, and in every generation that will come after us.

Grandma, you will always be a part of who we are. We will love you, honor you, remember you, and carry you in our hearts until the day we meet again.

With Love,
Your Grandchildren

From your Great & Great Great Grandchildren

Great-Grandma, your love was a blessing that we'll cherish wherever we go,
And through every generation, may the seeds of your love continue to grow.
God blessed our family with your love for ninety beautiful years,
Although you're now with Him, your memories are forever near.

Love,

Your great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren