

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

*In the midst of our sorrow, our cup truly overflows as we sincerely acknowledge the love and concern you have so freely bestowed upon us. We are extremely appreciative for your prayers, comforting words and the many expressions of sympathy that has been shown to us.*

*The Pitchford & Waters Family*

**ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

*Anthony Pitchford | Michael Waters*

*Telly Waters | August Waters*

*Louferrigno Waters | Ronricko Washington*



**FLOWER BEARERS**

*Family & Friends*

**INTERMENT**

*Green Lawn Cemetery*

*Lexington, MS 39095*

**REPAST**

*Country Barn*

*Thornton, MS 39169*

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**Homegoing Celebration for**



**Lillie G. Waters**

*Sunrise: April 16, 1952 - Sunset: February 6, 2023*

*Saturday, February 18, 2023 | 11:00 a.m.*

*Good Samaritan Ecumenical Church*

*715 East Main Street ♦ Tchula, MS 39169*

*Bishop E.L. Young, Officiating*

*Sis. Melissa Erving, Mistress of Ceremony*

~ Life Reflections ~

# Lillie P. Waters

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose  
under the heaven: - Ecclesiastes 3:1



Lillie Pitchford Waters was born April 16, 1952, to the late Willie Henry Pitchford and Annie B. Pitchford.

Lillie confessed Christ at an early age and joined Quofaloma Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of former Rev. A.A. Buckner and Bishop E.L. Young. She was a member of the choir.

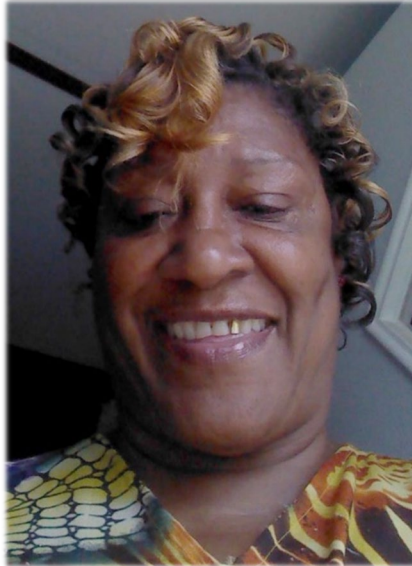
Lillie attended school at Tchula Attendance Center for a short period of time.

She worked as several businesses over the years, to include Belmont Sportswear and Fresh Water Farm. She later decided to open her own business as a cook until her health began to fail.

Lillie was married to Mr. Lou D. Waters for years. To this union, ten (10) children were born. One of her children, Willie Waters, preceded her in death.

She was also preceded in death by her parents and two siblings: Annie Lee Pitchford and L.V. Pitchford.

Lillie leaves to forever cherish her memories; her loving children: Anthony (Gladys) Pitchford, Michael (Kimberly) Waters of Tchula, MS, Melissa (Willie) Erving of Belzoni, MS, Telly Waters of Waterloo, IA, Zuleika (David) Flowers of Waterloo, IA, August (Lisa) Waters of Waterloo, IA, Nekita (Terrance) Mayze of Tchula, MS, Loufferigno Waters of Belzoni, MS, Zamarai Waters of Tchula, MS, Delinda Washington of Tchula, MS and Ronricko Washington of Tchula, MS; her companion: Tracy Wilson of Tchula, MS; siblings: Senora Hunter, Ida Pitchford, Gloria Jean Gallion, Edward C. Pitchford, Elbert Ray Pitchford, Harry Pitchford; fifty-three (53) grandchildren; sixty-one (61) great grandchildren; special friends: Betty Wren and L.V. Washington; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



~ Order of Service ~

**PRELUDE**  
Soft Music

**PROCESSIONAL**  
Clergy and Family

**SCRIPTURE READING**  
Old & New Testament  
Rev. Dietrick Harmon

**PRAYER**  
Rev. Herman Waters

**MUSICAL SELECTIONS (2)**  
Quotaloma M.B. Church Choir  
and Surrounding Churches

**OBITUARY READING**  
Sis. Melissa Erving

**EXPRESSIONS**  
(Two Minutes)  
Family & Friends

**WORDS OF COMFORT**  
Rev. Harry Hunter

**RESOLUTION**  
Sis. Areatha Anderson

**SOLO**  
Bro. Joey Head

**EULOGY**  
Bishop E.L. Young

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**RECESSIONAL**  
Clergy, Family and Friends

A golden heart stopped beating, hardworking hands at rest,  
It broke our hearts to see you go, God only takes the best.  
They say that memories are golden, well maybe that is true,  
But we never wanted memories, we only wanted you.  
Your life was love and labour, your love for your family true,  
You did your best for all of us, we will always remember you.  
We sat beside your bedside, our hearts were crushed and sore,  
We did our duty to the end, 'til we could do no more.  
In tears we watched you sinking, we watched you fade away,  
And though our hearts were breaking, we knew you could not stay.  
Our lips cannot speak how we loved you,  
our heart cannot tell what to say,  
But God only knows how much we miss you,  
we will remember you every day!  
**With Love ~ Your Children**

**My Star in Heaven**  
I'm sending a dove to Heaven, with a parcel on its wings.  
Be careful when you open it, it's full of beautiful things.  
Inside are a million kisses, wrapped up in a million hugs,  
to say how much I miss you, and to send you all my love.  
I hold you close within my heart, and there you will remain,  
to walk with me throughout my life, until we meet again.  
**With Love ~ Tracy**

**In Our hearts**  
We thought of you with love today, but that is nothing new.  
We thought about you yesterday and days before that too.  
We think of you in silence, we often speak your name.  
All we have are memories and your picture in a frame.  
Your memory is our keepsake, with which we'll never part.  
God has you in his keeping we have you in our heart.  
**With Love ~ Your Siblings**

**Grandma's Gone to Heaven**  
One quiet day the angels came, and took grandma far away, but in  
the stillness of the night I could almost hear her say;  
"Dear grandchild I will miss you; you mean so much to me. But  
Jesus called me to his side, in heaven I will be.  
"A place of God's great beauty, no tears or earthly cares.  
Just peace and joy forever, and love beyond compare.  
"So remember all the good times, don't think about the sad. And  
treasure all the special moments  
through the years we've had.  
"And if you trust in Jesus, I promise this and more, you will get a  
great big hug someday on heaven's golden shore!"  
**Love Always ~ Your Grands**