

Interment

Evergreen Burial Park
1401 Woodland Ave
Columbus, OH 43219

Repast

Deb's Event Center
5508 E. Livingston Avenue
Columbus, OH 43232

Pallbearers

Anthony Howze ~ Juan Stewart
Robert Conley ~ Howard Marsh Jr.
Rashad Brown ~ Jamil Capers

A Word Of Thanks

Special thanks to everyone who loved Sis. Reather Marsh and contributed to her life in a positive way. We thank the medical staff, home healthcare staff, all loved ones, friends, Clergy, and her entire Christian family for your support to her and our family during our time of need. We thank you for every act of love and kindness you have shown towards us to comfort our hearts. Special thanks to our employers for their support and accommodations as we cared for our beloved mother.

We realize that our NEW JOURNEY begins after everyone has gone home. We humbly request that you please continue to hold us up in prayer.

May God Bless Each Of You
And may your kindness be returned to you multiplied!

Marlan Gary Funeral Home
1 Funeral Home | 5 Locations

Ministry Of Comfort Entrusted To:

North Chapel
2500 Cleveland Ave.,
Columbus, OH 43211
614-267-8310

East Chapel
5456 Livingston Ave.,
Columbus, OH 43232
614-604-8774

Mansfield Chapel
753 McPherson St.,
Mansfield, OH 44903
419-524-6999

Springfield Chapel
823 South Yellow Springs St.,
Springfield, Ohio 45506
937-325-1447

Cincinnati Chapel
674 Forest Ave,
Cincinnati Oh 45229
513-221-4812

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Homegoing Celebration for Reather Marsh

June 13, 1944 – October 28, 2026

Friday, November 13, 2026| 11:00am
Unity Temple Ministries
Church of God in Christ
161 N. Hamilton Road, Whitehall, Ohio 43213

Officiating Minister: Pastor Charles Easton Sr.
Eulogizing Minister: Bishop David L. Herron



OBITUARY

Sister Reather Marsh was born to Jepta and Reather Cody on June 13, 1944, in Columbus, Ohio. She entered eternal rest on October 28, 2026. Her life was a testimony of steadfast faith, unconditional love, and service to God and His people.

A devoted mother and beloved matriarch, Sis. Marsh lovingly raised her three sons, Keith, Mujaddid (formerly Stacey), and Howard, in the church. She championed their education, celebrated their accomplishments, and taught them to walk in faith. After more than 30 years of dedicated service to the State of Ohio Workers' Compensation, she retired with a legacy of diligence and integrity.

A faithful member of Greater Liberty Temple Church of God in Christ, she worshiped under its late founder, Rev. W. C. Cupe, who also pastored her mother, the late Rev. Reather Cody, and later under Dr. Robert L. James, Bishop David L. Herron, Sr., and Pastor Ira Daniels. In her later years she also attended Mt. Zion COGIC under Superintendent Nehemiah Howard.

Blessed with a powerful singing voice, Sis. Marsh lifted praises in the choir. She served through the Hospitality and Dorcas Guilds, the Women's Symposium, Sunday School, and community outreach. She cooked for church gatherings and those experiencing homelessness, helped distribute clothing, visited the sick and nursing home residents, volunteered at the hospital, and encouraged others with heartfelt cards. Her beloved five-flavor pound cake and macaroni and cheese were gifts of love shared generously. She delighted in family gatherings, laughter, and bringing her grandchildren to church.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Reather Cody; father, Jepta Cody; brother, John Cody; son, Keith Marsh; and grandchildren, Charles Marsh, Brandon Marsh, and Keith Marsh Jr.

Cherishing her memory are her sons, Mujaddid (Jasmine) Muhammad and Howard Marsh; and the daughters she never had, but who showed up like a super-daughter all the time, Niece, Delores Moore; Sisters, Annette Conley and Beverly Moore; grandchildren, Shaniqua, Jamila, Jamil, Amari, Kanika, Jonathan, Mario, Nya, Malcolm, Destiny, Kyshawn, Bree, Brooklyn, Howard Jr., Jamya, Winter, and a host of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and friends too many to mention.

A true soldier in the army of the Lord, Sis. Marsh let her light shine through kindness, hospitality, and unwavering devotion. Though her voice is now silent on earth, the melody of her love and faith will echo through generations.

"Well done, thou good and faithful servant." — Matthew 25:21

Order of Service

Processional
Bishop David L. Herron, OCE Jurisdictional Prelate

Invocation
Dr. Robert L. James, Pastor – New Mt. Sinai COGIC

Scriptures
Old Testament: Psalm 121:1-8 — Clergy
New Testament: Revelation 21:4-6 — Clergy

Selection/Mime
Ebony Vines & Rashad Brown (Niece & Nephew)

Family Reflections/Expressions & Tributes
Mujaddid Muhammad (Son)
Howard Marsh, Jr. (Grandson)
Poem – Francine Conley (Niece)
Tribute – Mother Beverly Moore (Sister)

Group Tribute
Teresa Cardwell, Marcia Moore, Darselle Peaks,
Delores Moore, Alice Joiner, Diedra Moore, Steven Moore
and Allan Moore (Nieces and Nephews)

Clergy Remarks (1–2 Minutes, Please)

Host Pastor: Supt. & OCE Jurisdictional Admin. Asst. Jerry Revis
Unity Temple Ministries COGIC
Host Co-Pastor: OCE Jurisdictional Supervisor Danielle Revish
Unity Temple Ministries COGIC
Supt. Nehemiah Howard, Pastor
Mt. Zion Church of God in Christ
Pastor Ira Daniels – Greater Liberty Temple
Dr. Robert L. James, Pastor – New Mt. Sinai COGIC
Other Clergy

Selection: "God Is"
Rashad Brown, Ebony Vines, Sharon Howze
& Star Owens (Niece, Great Nieces & Nephew)

Cards & Acknowledgements
Missy Nadine Holmes

Reading of Obituary
First Lady Patricia Daniels

Selection
Evangelist Denise Williams & Company

Eulogy
Bishop David L. Herron

Final Viewing & Recession
Bishop David L. Herron