



Pallbearers

Marcel Carter | Mark Carter | Isaiah Green
Edwin Jones | Malik Jones | Ricky Jones

Honorary Pallbearers

Tommy Green | Anthony McCullem | Matthew McCullem
Alphonso Ross | Joe Ross | KeAndre Scales

Flower Bearers

Friends of the Family

Interment

Chapel Hill Memorial Garden
4444 West Grand River Avenue
Lansing Michigan 48906

Acknowledgment

The Family of Evangelist Alberta McCullem expresses their sincere appreciation for all acts of kindness that we have witnessed during the homegoing of our loved one. May God continue to bless everyone who have traveled near and far to be with us today.



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Celebrating the Legacy of

Evangelist
Alberta McCullem

Sunrise: March 11, 1932 - Sunset: August 23, 2025



Saturday, September 6, 2025, 10:00 a.m.

Reachout Christian Center Church
5628 Wise Road
Lansing, Michigan 48911

Prophet Idris Woods, Officiant
Bishop Richard Ricardo Brown, Eulogist



Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Processional
Family

Scripture Reading
Psalms 23
Prophet Idris Woods

Prayer
Prophetess Denise Lewis

Musical Selection
Minister of Music William Crenshaw

Acknowledgements of Cards,
Condolences & Obituary
Sister Gloria Ford

Expressions of Love
(2 Minutes Please)
Family & Friends

Musical Selection
Minister of Musical William Crenshaw

Eulogy
Bishop Richard Ricardo Brown
JKAI International, Dallas, Texas

Committal

Benediction

Recessional

God Saw the Road

God saw the road was getting rough,
The hill was hard to climb.
He gently closed those loving eyes
And whispered, "Peace Be Thine."

The weary hours, the days of pain,
The sleepless nights have passed.
The ever-patient worn-out frame
Has found sweet rest at last.

God saw that you were weary
So He did what He knows best.
He came and stood beside you,
And whispered, "Come and rest."

You bid no one a last farewell,
Not even a goodbye.
You were gone before we knew it,
And only God knows why.

Celebrating Alberta

Evangelist Alberta Iola Jones transitioned from her Earthly Labor to her Heavenly Reward on Saturday, August 23, 2025, in Lansing, Michigan. Age 93 years. She was born on Friday, March 11, 1932, in Jonestown, Mississippi, to Andrew Freeman and Daisy Mae Smith. She was the second of sixteen children born.

Alberta gave her life to Christ at an early age and attended Jonestown High School. She was later united in marriage to Robert McCullem, and to this union five children were born. Alberta spent 11 years in Wichita, Kansas, before returning to Lansing, Michigan, where she lived most of her 93 years of life. She was a faithful member of Morning Star Church of God in Christ and Holy Ghost Temple Church, serving under the leadership of the late Elder Poch and Pastor Willie Dillard.

Throughout her life, Alberta worked at Yankee Corn as a cook and later devoted herself to being a caregiver for her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister, and friend. Alberta enjoyed fishing, watching soap operas, reading her Bible and most importantly, seeking God both day and night. She opened her home for prayer meetings (My Father's House of Pray), Bible studies, and tarrying services, leaving a spiritual impact on her community. Many came to know Christ through her witness and devotion. To many, Alberta was a spiritual mother—our Sarah—who nurtured and guided others with love and faith. -Michelle Harvell.

We will miss her midnight, early morning calls, but the greatest void will be her presence. She was our lifeline and prayer warrior until the end slipping away quietly in the comfort of our Lord and Savior.

She leaves to cherish her memory her children, Robert McCullem and Minnie P. McCullem; daughter-in-law, Carla Sams McCullem; ten grandchildren, Antoinette (Edwin) Jones, Anthony McCullem, Renecia (Don) McCullem-Singleton, Charina McCullem-Billenwillms, Brittney Sellers, QaSheena McCullem, Matthew McCullem, Alphonso McCullem, Joe Ross, and Tommy Green; eight great-grandchildren; seven great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Ethel Young of Wichita, Kansas; one brother, Ricky (Ann) Neal of Jonestown, Mississippi; one sister-in-law, Paulette Mullens of Clarksdale, Mississippi; special daughters- and sons-in-love, Mentra Taylor, Evelyn Woods, Diane Harvell, Clara Pulliam, Loriane Adams, Judy McCullem, Sharon McCullem, Maggie McCullem, James McCullem and L.C. Richardson; many nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends who will miss her dearly including special friends Jeff and Patty Clark.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert McCullem; children, Samuel McCullem, Andrew F. McCullem, and Mary Ann McCullem; her parents; 14 siblings, brothers, Andrew C. Freeman, Preston Mullens, John Henry Mullens, Willie B. Mullens, Clarence Mullens, Lucison Mullens, and William Mullens; sisters, Roberta Jones, Geneva Mullens, Daisy Mullens, Flora Gray, Martha Tucker, and Odessa McLeod.



The LORD is my *Shepherd;*
I shall not want.

He maketh me to
lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters,
He restoreth my
soul.

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness
for His name's sake. Yea though I walk through the
valley of the shadow of death.

I will fear no evil:
for Thou art with me;
Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies

Thou anointest my head with oil; My cup runneth over
Surely goodness & mercy shall follow me

all the days of my life;

And I will dwell in the house
of the LORD *forever.*
- Psalm 23