



Mrs. Martha Belle Broadnax

July 31, 1923 - January 21, 2018

Mother Martha Belle Broadnax (Punch) was born July 31, 1923 in Greeleyville, SC to proud parents, Reverend Jesse W. Easley and Allie B. Bradshaw.

Martha received her formal education at Benedict College in Columbia, SC and performed graduate work at North Carolina Central University in Durham, where she received instruction under the famous historian, the late John Hope Franklin.

Martha accepted Christ as her Savior at 12 years of age and was united with Trinity Baptist Church in Greeleyville, SC.

Martha Belle Easley married the love of her life, Atty. John R. Broadnax, on April 6, 1947 in Greeleyville, SC. Their union was blessed with 5 children.

Martha was employed as a schoolteacher in Greeleyville, SC for 4 years. She was a giver, especially of herself, her love, and her time. She enjoyed her family and could always be found watching and encouraging their interests and pursuits in art, tennis, speed skating, gymnastics, golf, and chess. Her penmanship was beautiful and she loved to write letters to family, friends, and loved ones.

Martha is preceded in death by her son, John R. Broadnax, III.

She is survived by her loving husband, Atty. John R. Broadnax of 71 years; four children; Vicki Broadnax, Keith Broadnax, Charles (Carol) Broadnax, and Dwain (Terri) Broadnax; 14 grandchildren,

1 great grandchild; sister's-in-law Elizabeth Young of Jacksonville, FL, Dorothy Dyches of Charleston, SC, brother-in-law, William O. Broadnax and loving family members, Molly Zillig of Whitefish Bay, WI and Maggie Mueller of Madison, WI. Further survived by many nieces, nephews, and other relatives and dear friends.

Cemetery Details

Wisconsin Memorial Park

13235 W. Capitol Dr.
Brookfield, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Metropolitan Baptist Church
1345 W. Burleigh Street
Milwaukee, WI

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Martha Belle Broadnax.



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