



Mrs. Ruthie Mae Shelton

October 14, 1954 - January 4, 2017

Ruthie Mae Shelton was born on Thursday, October 14, 1954, to the union of Willie Lee Sr. and Ruth Mae (Wells) Doyle, in Indianola, Mississippi. She was the oldest of her eight siblings: five brothers and three sisters. Ruthie received her formal education in Milwaukee Public School system and graduated from North Division High School. Also, she attended Waukesha County Technical College and received her certificate as a registered dietitian. In 2014, she became a certified Food Protection Manager. Ruthie was wonderfully blessed with two daughters, Judy Lynn and Chanel Renee and one son, Stanley Lamont. She accepted Christ, early in life and was a member of Holy Redeemer Church of God in Christ. Ruthie spent the majority of her employment with Golden Living Center-Colonial Manor, where she was honored for 25 years of service, completing 30 years in all. Later, Ruthie worked at Lake Terrace North, for 4 1/2 years. Ruthie's true and main passions were watching sports, the gameshow, "The Price Is Right" and soap operas. She enjoyed visiting casinos, cleaning, listening to blues music, traveling and spending time with her friends and family. The love for her children and grandchildren was a great motivation for Ruthie. They always looked forward to eating Ruthie's chicken and dressing. Ruthie was an exceptional mother and loved everyone. She never met a stranger, was a true giver and helped anyone in need. Her bright smile was simply contagious. Ruthie was preceded in death by her: parents, Willie Lee Sr. and Ruth Mae (Wells) Doyle; twin sister, Willie Mae Doyle; grandson, Kameron Malik

Rutherford; and granddaughter, Aniah Iman Shelton. She leaves to cherish her memory her: children: Judy Lynn (Frank) Booker (Riverdale, GA), Chanel Renee (Donald) Freeman and Stanley Lamont (Latrece) Shelton Jr.; ten grandchildren: Danario Kilgore Jr., Courtney Kilgore, Qualandria Brookens, Ashanti Shelton, Justin Brookens, London Freeman, and Kennedy Booker; three great-grandchildren: Sa'Riyah Shelton, Xander Boyd and Yakira Barrow; three brothers: LeRoy Doyle, Kirk (Linda) Doyle (Grand Rapids, MI) and Willie Lee Doyle Jr. (Atlanta, GA); two sisters, Joanne (Kenneth) Mapps (Stone Mountain, GA) and Julia Ann (Fenis) Harmon; four honorary sisters: Sharlene Washington, Betty Cross, Janice Evans and Deadre Nash; one aunt, Brenda Wells; two uncles, Charles Wells Jr. and Frank Bredeau; special friend, Duke Wellington; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 13. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel
6630 W. Hampton Ave
Milwaukee, WI

Visitation

JAN 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Jerusalem Baptist Church
2505 W. Cornell St.
Milwaukee, WI

Service

JAN 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to the family of Ruthie Shelton: May God give you strength and comfort at this time of sorry. For earth has no sorry that heaven cannot heal. Barbara Hale*

Barbara H - January 14, 2017 at 06:50 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ruthie Mae Shelton.*



January 12, 2017 at 11:47 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Ruthie Mae Shelton.*



January 11, 2017 at 09:12 AM

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“ *We're so sorry about the loss of your loved one. Our deepest condolences goes out to the family. May "the God of tender mercies" comfort and strengthen you all at this time of sorrow. (2Cor.1:3,4)*

B. Daniels - January 10, 2017 at 09:54 AM

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“ *Rest Well Auntie..*

*Love Always,
Shena*

LASHENA A MCGINNIS - January 09, 2017 at 11:15 AM