



## Mother Lewis

March 3, 1931 - September 23, 2010

Lewis, Mother Marie Lena - Age 79, answered the Lord's call and entered into His gates with thanksgiving on Thursday, September 23, 2010 at her residence. Family hour 10:30AM Wednesday, September 29, 2010 at Deliverance Church of God In Christ, 3311 Mildred St., with the Homegoing Celebration at 11AM. Pastor Thomas A. Callaway, officiating, Pastor Zack Smith, Sr., Host Pastor. Mother Lewis will then be taken to Craft Funeral Home, 210 M.L. King Dr., McComb, MS, 39648, (601) 684-5971. Interment Knoxo Cemetery, Tylertown, Mississippi. Family and friends will assemble at the church 10:30AM Wednesday. Mother Lewis will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 1PM-8PM Tuesday. Mother Marie Lena Lewis was born March 3, 1931 in Tylertown, Mississippi, the daughter of Otis and Luverta Lenoir. She was a faithful member of New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ, laboring diligently with her brother and Pastor, Bishop H.M. Badon. She was a faithful warrior and soldier of the Lord, serving in various auxiliaries including the President of Prayer and Bible Band, Sunshine Band, YWCC, Purity Class, President of the Youth Department, Chairman of the Women's Department and as District Missionary. Mother Lewis loved spending time with her children and grandchildren. She especially loved being a foster parent, nurturing children for over 35 years. Mother Marie Lena Lewis leaves in God's care: 2 loving daughters, Mardessie Holmes, Donett (John) Smith, and a host of other children to numerous to mention; 11 grandchildren, Damika, Brandon,

Imari, John Jr., Aleah, Jared, Ra'hlena, Darry'l, Naatyca, R'reyonna and Courtney; 4 sisters, and 3 brothers; a host of other relatives and dear friends. Mother Lewis was preceded in death by her son, Lendon C. Lewis, Jr.; and parents.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mother Lewis*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Mother Lewis will be missed by never forgotten. I remember when we had a women's day, and she gave us a word that has stuck with me and has helped me grow as a virtuous woman in God. I love you Mother Lewis. You have fulfilled your purpose for God and He has called you back home. This is joyous, but yet sad because you no longer suffer or hurt. You are now free and with OUR heavenly Father. Family, please know that God is with you and He will ALWAYS be there.  
Love the Sapp and Brown Family.*

**Bernice (Annette) Brown Sapp** - September 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mardessie (Madessha). I am praying with you my sister. It is said in the word of God: When you passest through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers they will not overflow you; when you walkest through the fire, you shalt not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon you. So my sister put on the garment of praies for the spirit of heaviness and allow the oil of joy for your mourning to flow in your life. Our God is still a Good God. Love U. I included my number = I cannot find yours.*

**Charlene Causey** - September 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ To the family, I was sorry to hear of the passing of Mother. A dear friend to the Summerville family. We love you mother but God love you best. He knows all things, he never make mistakes. The family have our prayers and sympathy. may God continue to keep you and bless you is my prayers. from the Deacon Raymond Summerville and family

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**Raymond Summerville** - September 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ My prayers are with you during this time of transition.

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**Jeffrey LaValley** - September 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ A true warrior has GONE HOME TO GLORY. We do not sorrow as those which have no hope but we rejoice with you because we know that Mother Lewis has gone on to be with the Lord and if we continue to do those things that God has called us to do, we will see her again one day. May you find peace within your heart in knowing that God does not make mistakes. He had her here for a short time, but be blessed with all the accomplishments that God had her do on this earth, She obeyed & did what God wanted her to do. He then said, "WELL DONE MY GOOD & FAITHFUL SERVANT", now come on home with me & finish your work in heaven. Such a beautiful special person that has helped many, many children prosper in this life. Death is such a sad thing for us all but God knows best. Sending our love & prayers to you Lewis and Badon family God be with you be in your time of sorrow. My prayers are with you & your family.

*Psalm 100:1-5*

*Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands.*

*Serve the Lord with gladness:*

*come before his presence with singing.*

*Know ye that the Lord he is God*

*it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.*

*Enter into his gates with thanks-*

*Giving, and into his courts with praise:*

*be thankful unto him, and bless his name.*

*For the Lord is good; his mercy is*

*Everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations.*

*Elder Freddie Sapp wife Bernice (Annette)Brown Sapp and Family*

*Be blessed.*

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**Sapp Family** - September 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I just heard today that Ms Marie had past on. I am deeply saddened. She has always supported me as long as I have known her. All through my teen age years through today. Her spirit always overwhelmed me and her thoughtfulness inspired me..She will be sadly missed.*  
*Cookie..*

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**Carld "Cookie" Rosborough** - September 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM