## **LOVE CAN NEVER DIE**

February 2G, 1988

One must go and one be left The lonely road tread There comes a day when all must face The path that lies ahead Knowing that the best is over With a loved one gone There seems no point in going on But time is kind, the passing years Their balm of healing bring And like a bird at winter's end The heart begins to sing We come at last to realize Death breaks the earthly tie But love survives when grief has passed FOR LOVE CAN NEVER DIE

## DON'T CRY FOR ME

Don't cry for me I am free God called me home; heaven's where I'll be Don't cry for me, don't shed a tear It was the Master's plan, the month the day the year. Don't cry for me and please don't grieve, Heaven sent its angels down and so I must leave. But before I go there's some things I must say, Much love to all my guys from around the way. Whom I truly love and will forever miss Just remember the good times, as you try to move on, And take care of my seeds, and don't ask God why It was just meant to be So hold down and maintain, but don't cry for me! Forever in our hearts Mary's Family Pall Bearers Nephews

Floral Bearers Nieces

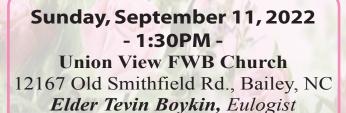
- Acknowledgements -The family of MARY BAKER

acknowledges with deep appreciation and grateful hearts all acts of sympathy extended to us during our hours of bereavement. Thank you for your kindness and thoughtfulness. Your prayers, visits, kind words and deeds have been a source of comfort and strength as we prepare to say our final farewell. Thank you for your loyalty and support. May the Lord continue to bless each of you and keep you forever in His love.. - THE BAKER FAMILY -

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IN LOVING

## - Order of Service -

Ms. Diane Artis, Presider

| Processional | Ministers & Family |
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Musical Selection......Union View Choir

Prayer of Comfort.....Evangelist Linda Braswell

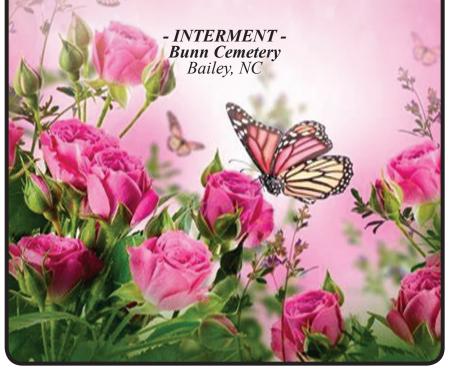
Solo......Min. Charles Tabron

- Reflections -Dwight Bullock, Brother Mother Diane Joyner, Mothers Deacon James Battle, Church

| Acknowledgements/Obituary | Sis. Brenda A. Perry   |
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| Solo                      | Deacon Georgie Bullock |
| Eulogy                    | Elder Tevin Boykin     |

**Funeral Director's Brief** 

Final Viewing/Recessional



## - Obituary -MARY BAKER

daughter of Willie Bullock and Mavis Matthew Bullock, was born February 26, 1933 in Wilson, North Carolina. Her earthly pilgrimage peacefully ended on Tuesday, September 6, 2022 as she was called to her eternal rest. Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Tom Baker; three brothers, Willie Bullock, Alton Bullock, and James Wallace Bullock. Mary spent her formative years in Wilson where she received her education from the Wilson County Public School System. A dedicated and resourceful worker, she was employed by James R. Miller Tobacco Company and was a domestic worker.

Loving kind and devoted, Mary enjoyed life and the many pleasures she received from her family, friends, church family and her work. A loving mother, sister and grandmother who delighted in the special times she shared with each one. She spent time establishing and developing a loving and nurturing home environment. To know Mary was to love her. Her welcoming smile was an invitation to come into her presence. Her love was genuine. She was always willing to assist anyone in a time of need. An excellent cook, she enjoyed cooking and trying new recipes. The outdoors was one of her favorite places to be as she communed with nature and its beauty. She loved planting and nurturing her flowers, and she loved to fish. Mary believed in the love of God and carried that spirit with her in her daily life. She united with the fellowship and ministries of Union View OFWB Church where she worshipped and served on the Mothers Ministry, the Usher Board, and the Food Committee. Mary was loved and will be dearly missed but always remembered with joy and adoration.

Precious memories are forever cherished by her daughter, Juanita Battle of Rocky Mount, NC; her step daughter, Debbie Wooten (James) of Durham, NC; two brothers, Georgie Bullock (Sophia), and Larry Bullock (Ann) of Bailey, NC; grandchildren, Tyrone Battle (Betsy) of Bailey, NC, James Battle (Ericka) of Cheltenham, MD, Tonita Battle of Rocky Mount, NC, Chelsea Wooten, and Justin Wooten of Durham, NC; eight great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; sisters-in-law, Delores Bullock of Wilson, NC and Dale Brooks (Roy) of Hillsborough, NC; three brothersin-law, Willard Baker (Ester) of Wilson, NC, Randy Baker and Al Baker, both of Ohio; god daughters, Cynthia Coppage, Tarie Matthews, Shirley Alston, and Ann Graham; godsons, Donnie Washington, Harold Jones, and Montelle Williams; two special friends, Maxine High, Lois Tabron, and Sadie Lee Hocutt; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.



