

THE
HOMEGOING
CELEBRATION
FOR

Mrs.

Mary Dean
Weatherton Perkins



Sunrise December 26, 1957

Sunset September 9, 2023

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2023
2:00 P.M.

ELGIN FUNERAL HOME

712 N. Ave C • Elgin, Texas 78621

Reverend Tommie Garner
Officiating

-REMEMBERING-

Mary Dean Weatherton Perkins

Mrs. Mary Dean Weatherton Perkins was born on December 26, 1957, in Odessa, Texas to the late Leroy and Frankie Haynes. She was the sixth child of twelve. She departed this life on September 9, 2023, after a short, but courageous battle with cancer.

Mary accepted Jesus Christ as her Savior at an early age and was a devoted Christian.

She attended public schools in Seagraves, Texas where sometime after graduating, she relocated to Gary, Texas before moving to Austin, Texas. She was a devoted and selfless health professional as she worked for Brackenridge Hospital for over 20 years and was a private caregiver for children and adults with special needs for 15 years before retiring in 2022.

There are many words to describe Mary, but the words that quickly come to mind are affectionate, compassionate, charismatic, faithful, and fashionable. She was always willing to lend a listening ear and helped however she could.

Mary was preceded in death by her father, Leroy Haynes; mother, Frankie Haynes; maternal grandfather, Henry Griffin; maternal grandmother, Cora B. Griffin; paternal grandfather, John Haynes; paternal grandmother, Martha Haynes; and brother, Milton Leon Haynes.

Mary leaves to cherish her precious memory, a wonderful & loving husband, Darrell Perkins of (Waco, Tx), two loving daughters: Latonia Mashae Weatherton Nelson (Earl) of Waco, Tx; Tyronzia Shabbria Weatherton Dixon (Tyrone) of Austin, Tx. Eight grandchildren: Rashawna Mashae Trappio (Sieirra), Nijoi Tyre Silas (Isabella Leverett), Nazayah Monie Turner, Kyren Curtis Leach, Javon Earl Nelson, Jacory Dewayne Nelson, Syncear Nicole Gaddis, Lejynd August Dixon, 6 great grandchildren: Zola Cartwright, Easton Silas, Ny'Annah Sha'Kaya Silas, Zakii Turner, Kah'Leesi Maryanna Silas, Saniya Hines; ten siblings: Leroy Haynes (Carolyn) of Hutto, Tx; Joyce Ross of Round Rock, Tx; Martha Thompson (Joe Taylor) of Lubbock, Tx; Cora McQuitor (Carl) of Taylor, Tx; Edna McFarlin (Lester) of Round Rock, Tx; Alveria Cleveland of Round Rock, Tx; John Haynes (Amy) of Round Rock, Tx; Lisa Freeman (Michael) of Round Rock, Tx; Tonya Synagogue (Joseph) of Austin, Tx; Tony Haynes of Austin, Tx; 5 godchildren whom she loved and adored dearly: Kwinicia Robinson; Nigel Milligan; Russell Ross; Anadaisha Thompson; LaRon Haynes; a special, devoted, and dear friend; Lester (Lesley) Blakely of Mesquite, Tx, and a host of nieces, nephews, and family.

And God shall wipe all tears from their eyes and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be anymore pain; for the former things are passed away.



The Celebration of Life

Processional..... Clergy and Family

Scriptures:

Old Testament Minister

New Testament Minister

Prayer Minister

Selection

Solo Tommie Garner

Reflection/Expressions Friends and Family.... Please limit to
under 2 minutes

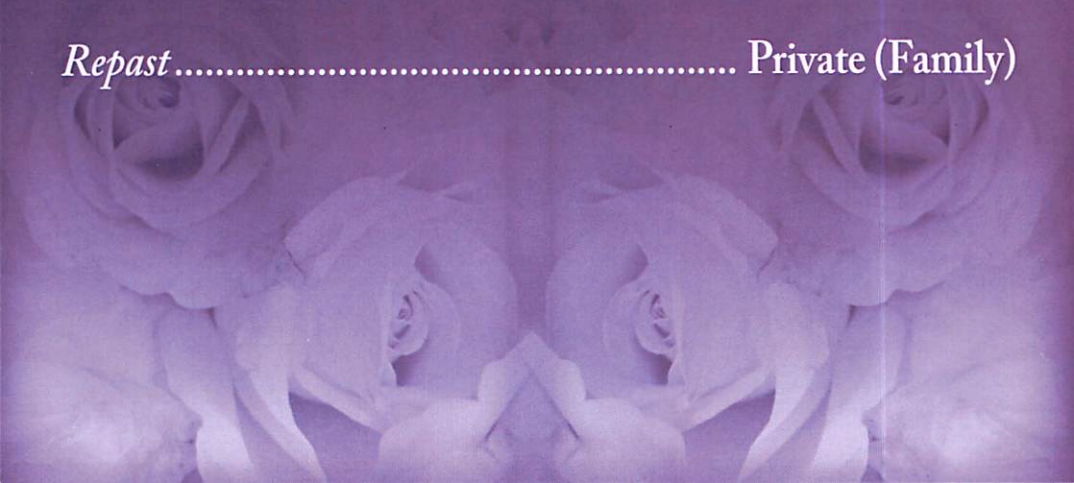
Obituary Silently Read

Song "Lord Do It For Me" By: Zacardi Cortez

Eulogy..... Rev. Tommie Garner

Recessional Clergy, Pallbearers, Family,
and Funeral Directors

Repast Private (Family)



Shared Moments in Time





Travis



Active Pallbearers

Rashawna Trappio

Earl Nelson

LaRon Haynes

Terry Haynes

Nijoi Silas

Michael Cleveland

Anadaisha Thompson

Corey Hargers

Honorary Pallbearers

Kyren Leach

Ja'narius (Jay) Hargers

Tori Haynes

Trayvon Toliver

Laphaedra (Phae) Freeman

Damarian Ross

Kevin Toliver

Sha'Mon Toliver

Jayden Thomas

Acknowledgment

Words cannot express how our family feels about the demonstration of love and comforting expressions of kindness shown to us during this difficult time in need. From the prayers, cards of sympathy, flowers, or any act of kindness extended to us during this time of sorrow, we the family would like to express our deepest sincere appreciation.

A special thank you to the wonderful staff at Providence Hospice of Waco, Texas for their kind and compassionate care of Mary while she was in her final weeks, and the Oncology staff at Baylor Scott and White, Waco, Texas.

The family of Mary Dean Weatherton Perkins

Final Resting Place

TAYLOR CITY CEMETERY

East 4th Street • Taylor, Texas 76574

