



*Memories of  
a Beloved Seamstress*

By Fae Mann

*The day that I peacefully went to sleep.  
Your tired eyes did for me weep.*

*You probably thought about my sleepless nights,  
Sitting at my sewing machine gripping fabric tight.*

*Making new seams and mending old ones, too,  
For that is what seasoned seamstresses do.*

*Now, I was not one to sew a crooked stitch.  
I strove for perfection as singers do with their pitch.*

*I might have been making a dress or skirt,  
Or I could have been mending a jacket or shirt.*

*I made any and all kinds of clothing necessities.  
I even made plenty of household accessories.*

*While your broken hearts I simply cannot mend.  
The memories we made should my death transcend.*

*Let those memories be the seams I would sew.  
Hold on tight to them, and never let them go.*

FLOWER ATTENDANTS

Cousins and Friends

PALLBEARERS

Cousins and Friends

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

*We, the family of the late Hattie Belle "Hattie B"  
McCray Jordan, gratefully acknowledge with sincere  
appreciation the many expressions of sympathy and acts  
of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement.  
Your sympathetic expressions and encouragement are  
a source of great comfort. It is our prayer that God  
will continue to sustain and shower His  
many blessings upon each of you.*

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO



C.O. HOLLOWAY MORTUARY

*"The Hallmark of Service"*  
www.cohollowaymortuary.com  
CORDARAL O. HOLLOWAY, C.F.S.P.  
1057 Johnson St. SE  
Dawson, Georgia 39842  
229-995-5910

CELEBRATING THE LIFE  
OF

*"Hattie B"*



MRS.

*Hattie Belle*  
**MCCRAY JORDAN**

AUGUST 7, 1950 - JANUARY 31, 2023

Sunday, February 5, 2023  
3:00 PM

Cedar Hill Cemetery  
500 Stonewall Street  
Dawson, Georgia 39842

Reverend Willard O. Weston, Sr., Officiating

*"For God so loved the world, that he gave his  
only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him  
should not perish, but have everlasting life." - John 3:16*

# HER LIFE

MRS. HATTIE BELLE "HATTIE B" McCRAY JORDAN was born on August 7, 1950, in Graves Station, Terrell County, Georgia. Welcoming her into the world were her parents, Daniel and Beulah McCray.

At an early age, Hattie B accepted Christ as her savior and joined Rose Hill Missionary Baptist Church. She served faithfully as an usher and a member of the kitchen committee until her health failed.

Hattie B was educated in the public schools of Terrell County, Georgia. She was a graduate of George Washington Carver High School in Dawson, Georgia.

For years, Hattie B worked for Almark Mills; everyone knew her to be quite the seamstress. She was a good provider, and she was equally a supplier of fun. Hattie B was the life of any gathering. Through her humor, she would talk plenty of trash, but she told it like it was. Her matter-of-fact manner did not separate her from others. People were drawn to her. She loved them, and they loved her. Yet, her love for her children and family was like the blood that ran through her veins, and everyone knew it.

On Tuesday, January 31, 2023, Hattie B transitioned to her heavenly home. She was preceded in death by her parents; five siblings, Robert McCray, Willie James McCray, Willie C. McCray, Carrie Kimbrough, and Leila Mae Baldwin; a nephew reared as a brother, Johnny Baldwin; and a very special friend, Gloria Moreland.

She leaves to cherish her memories a devoted and loving family: husband, James K. Jordan; two children, Clementine (Gregory) Lewis and Antarquita McCray; stepson, Spencer (Tonya) Jordan; five grandchildren, Montavious Lewis, Prinston McCray, Ja'Tori McCray, Ja'Keria Lewis, and Jamarious Lewis; three great-grandchildren, LeCedric McCray, Oni' Jae Lewis, and Ja'Tori McCray, Jr.; siblings, Rev. Eddie (Annie) McCray, Charlie (Gladys) McCray, and Lucille Moon; a niece she reared as her own, Sylvia (Kenneth) Powell; a special niece, Mary (Floyd) Carter; three special cousins, Annie Greene, Costella Jackson, and Rosie Countryman; sisters-in-law, Joyce (Reverend Charlie) Marcus, Maxine Jordan, Mary Jordan, and Eunice Jordan; brother-in-law, Walter Jordan; special friends, Clarethia (Johnny) Hammond, Barbara Brown, Patricia Perry, Debra Childress, and Alice Mills. She also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, in-laws, cousins, and friends.

We would like to extend a very special thank-you to DCI of Dawson, Georgia; Gold Star Transportation (Connie Turner, Jr. Adrienne Luster, and Chip); the staff at Phoebe; Dr. Dyer; the staff at Dawson Medical Center; the staff at Dawson Pharmacy; and her caregivers, Madelyn Thomas and Vicki Tolbert, for all of their hard work, patience, and dedication.

# PRECIOUS MEMORIES



# ORDER OF CELEBRATION

PROCESSIONAL

MUSICAL SELECTION

Floyd Carter

PRAYER

Reverend Eddie McCray

SCRIPTURES

Old Testament

Reverend Terri Parker

New Testament

Evangelist Cynthia Oxford

SONG

Floyd Carter

EXPRESSIONS

*Two Minutes, Please*

*Two Speakers Only*

SONG

Floyd Carter

EULOGY

Reverend Willard O. Weston, Sr.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

C.O. Holloway Staff

COMMITAL RITUAL