

## Order of Service

Processional..... Clergy & Family  
*Soft Music*

Crowning Ceremony..... Golden Gate

Old Testament..... Tyler Harris

New Testament..... Tyler Harris

Prayer ..... Anita Johnson

Selection..... Mt. Tabor Choir

Poem ..... Azaliah Johnson

Acknowledgements & Condolences .....

Life Reflection..... Read In Silence

Expressions of Love..... Family & Friends  
(2) Minutes ~ Limit (6)

Special Remarks..... Pastor Rashid Johnson

Selection..... Anthony Sherman

Words of Comfort..... Pastor Earnest Greelee

Benediction .....

Recessional .....

### ~ Interment ~

**XII Gates Memorial Gardens**  
9500 Bannister Road, Kansas City, Missouri 64134

## ~ Acknowledgement ~

**J** We the family wish to extend our sincerest appreciation to our many friends and family for all acts of kindness shown during our moments of sorrow. The Lord has been good to us and we thank you for being there with us. May God forever bless and keep each of you.

### Pallbearers

<b>Jamar Johnson</b>	<b>David Brown</b>
<b>Christopher Johnson</b>	<b>Ehis Obiomon</b>
<b>Daryl Johnson</b>	<b>Johnny Sherman</b>

### Honorary Pallbearers

<b>HD Willingham</b>	<b>Markese Winters</b>
<b>Teron Winters</b>	<b>Orlando Cummings</b>
<b>Fredrick Smith</b>	<b>Henry Emory</b>

**Her Journey's Just Begun**  
Don't think of her as gone away  
Her journey's just begun  
Life holds so many facets  
This Earth is only one  
Just think of her as resting  
From the sorrow and the tears  
In a place of warmth and comfort  
Where there are no days and years  
Think how she must be wishing  
That we could know today  
How nothing but our sadness  
Can really pass away  
And think of her as living  
In the hearts of those she touched  
For nothing loved is ever lost  
And she was loved so much



We Entrusted Our Loved One To The Golden Care Of:

### Golden Gate Funeral Chapel

2800 East 18th Street,  
Kansas City, MO 64127  
(816) 255-3676

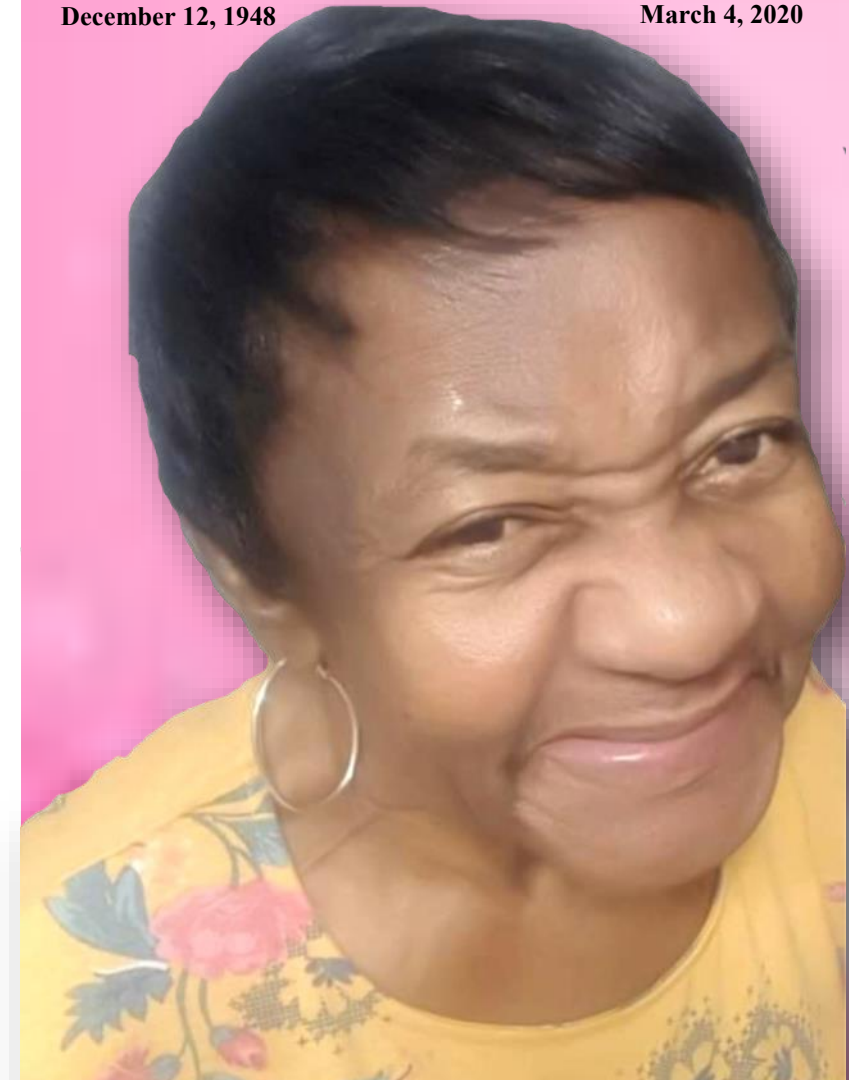
"Exchanging Your Grief for a Golden Experience"

CELEBRATING THE HOME GOING

OF  
**Geneva Johnson**

Sunrise  
December 12, 1948

Sunset  
March 4, 2020



Services Held At:

### Mt. Tabor Missionary Baptist Church

4126 Indiana Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64130  
Saturday, March 14, 2020 • 10:30 a.m.

**Rev. Earnest Greelee, Officiating**

*~ Life Reflections ~*

*Geneva Johnson was born December 12th, 1948 to the union of Mary J. and Mancie Emory in Hermandale, Missouri, located in the south east part of Missouri.*

*Geneva was raised in Steel, Missouri and attended St. Paul and Holland School, right down the road from Hermandale. She was the fourth oldest of thirteen children, the second oldest girl. So her chores were to stay home and babysit her younger sisters and brothers, cook, clean and watch soap operas instead of working in the fields, picking and chopping cotton.*

*Geneva accepted God as her Savior at an early age and had the privilege of being baptized in a big ditch that looked like a river.*

*Her family moved to Kansas City in 1965 where she began working at several jobs; The Hilton, Glenwood Minor, and Wolf Brothers Cleaners. After she started in the work force, she would pay her little sister to watch her soap operas to keep her updated.*

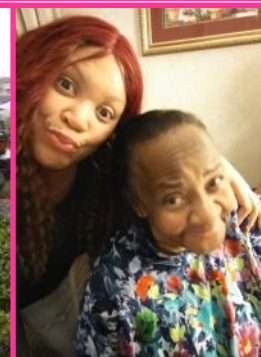
*Geneva met and married, Roosevelt Johnson. After the death of her husband, she later met and bonded with Saul Ricks, who also preceded her death. Geneva raised three beautiful daughters, and assisted with her grandkids.*

*Geneva enjoyed road trips, cooking and spending time with her children, family and friends. She loved listening to her blues, dancing and having fun. She also enjoyed listening to gospel. She was such a joy to be around, telling stories and making people laugh, sometimes with only her facial expressions.*

*She departed this life on Wednesday, March 4, 2020. Her husband, parents, one son, three brothers, Robert, Michael and Jimmy Emory all preceded her in death.*

*She leaves to cherish her memory, three daughters, Patricia Johnson, Delores Johnson, and Angela Johnson; five sisters, Corine Smith, Brenda Willingham (HD), Mary Cummings, Johnnie Pearl Rogers, and Anita Johnson (Rashid); four brothers, Carnell Emory (Jean), Norvell Emory, Mancie Emory, and Marvin Roberson (Debra); one aunt; longtime friend, Freddie Smith and a host of grandkids, nephews, nieces, cousins, other relatives and friends.*

**GRANDMOTHER**



**GENEVA**



**MOTHER**



**SISTER**



**AUNT**