

Acknowledgement

We the family wish to extend our sincerest appreciation to our many friends 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.

The Family of Ms. Rose Mary Ferguson

Remember Me

Written By: Ang B. Freely

As the days continue and memory reminds us that I am no longer here, know that I am with you

When sorrow greets you in the morning and your tears become like ocean blues, know that I am with you

It will take time to adjust, this is a lifelong healing and I pray grief greets you in small waves that you can handle. But even in those low moments, I am with you

You may not be able to physically feel me, but I will always greet you with a song, a memory, a scent, or a feeling to let you know, I am with you

For now this is not goodbye, but see you later, but always remember I am with you



We Entrusted Our Loved One To The Golden Care Of:

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2800 East 18th Street, Kansas City, MO 64127

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A Service Designed...With You In Mind.

Celebrating THE BEAUTIFUL LIFE OF

Rose Mary Ferguson

Sunrise: September 4, 1954- April 24, 2023 :Sunset

Golden Gate Funeral & Cremation Services

2800 East 18th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64127

Saturday, May 6, 2023 ~ 3:00 p.m.

Reverend Pauline Lauderdale, Officiating

Reflections of Her Life

The journey begins on September 4, 1954 when Robert Holbert and Lillie Holbert gave birth to their first born, Rose Mary Holbert in Johnson County, Texas.

Affectionally known as Mary, she spent most of her childhood, teenage, and young adult life in Texas. She graduated from O.D. Wyatt in 1973 and worked several jobs during that time. Mary was always full of jokes, laughter, and a good time. It truly wasn't a party until she got there.

During this time, with the help of a dear friend, she introduced Rose to a very handsome airman, who just so happened to be her neighbor. His name was Greg Ferguson. Her and Greg had so much in common. From sharing stories of being the oldest, good food, music, and sharing in each other's company. On March 18, 1983, the two became one and said I Do, and within their union was blessed with a beautiful baby girl years later who was coined the nickname Lil Rose.

Rose loved God, people, animals, anything that brought her joy. She knew God in her youth and accepted him and developed a deeper relationship with God in her adult years. Those that would seek guidance from her wisdom were often blessed with phrases like "only what you do for Christ will last, I love you and there's nothing you can do about it, and I ain't no punk Christian!" just to name a few. Rose was not a stranger to the perils that life offered, but she never allowed that to be her testimony. She would always smile in the midst and made it a point to be a blessing to someone else.

On April 24, 2023 Rose took her last and final breath in this world and began anew in eternity. She was fully healed, restored, and free of all pain. She was home. Preceding her in death is her mother Lillie Patterson.

Her legacy is lived on by her husband of 43 years, Gregory, their one and only child Angela, her father Robert, siblings Robert (Denise) Cynthia, Devan, Calvin, Demetrius (LaShandra), Eric, Anthony (Stephanie), Brandon, and Chelsea, and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Rose was truly loved, and her life's work was a reflection of that.

~ Order of Service ~

Prelude

Soft Music

Crowning Ceremony

Golden Gate

Prayer

Cecilia Clark

**Scripture
Psalm 116**

**C.W. Holbert Sr.
The Man of God the Apostle of Faith**

Selection

**James Cleveland
"Can't No Body Do Me Like Jesus"**

**Acknowledgements &
Condolences**

Dr. Natasha Winston-Gibson

Life Reflections

Video Presentation

Remarks

**Family & Friends
Two (2) Minutes Please**

Personal Tribute

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**Words of Comfort
Bishop R. A. Holbert Jr., D.D, D.Min
Presiding Bishop Sozo Ministries International**

Prayer of Committal

Benediction

Mary Thompson

Recessional

