

## *Acknowledgement*

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.*

*Perhaps you sent a floral, if so, we saw it there.*

*Perhaps you spoke the kindest word as a friend could say.*

*Perhaps you were not there at all, and just thought of us that day.*

*Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you very much.*

*The Family of Ms. Rose Marie Washington.*

*God bless  
My mother,  
Who sees my needs  
And reaches out a hand,  
Who lifts me up,  
Who prays for me  
And helps me understand,  
Who shares my problems,  
Come what may,  
Who's always there  
from day to day.  
God bless my mother,  
Who overlooks  
The many faults in me,  
Who loves me for myself  
And for the things that I can be,  
Whose tender heart  
And thoughtful ways  
Add so much pleasure  
To my days.....  
God bless my  
Mother.*

### *Honorary Pallbearers*

*Donnie Robinson*

*Grace Washington Arrington*

*Kieonne Arrington*

*James Washington*

*Eric Holmes, Jr.*

*Marc Hill II*

*Charles Hill*

*Nathan Robinson*

*Keevin Washington*

*LeTroy Washington*

*Thomas Washington, Jr.*

## *In Loving Memory of*



*Mother Rosie Marie Washington*

**Sunrise: September 14, 1935 - Sunset: April 22, 2023**

**Golden Gate Funeral & Cremation Services**

**2800 East 18th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64127**

**Tuesday, May 2, 2023 ~**

**Rev. Brian Dial, Jr., Officiating**



We Entrusted Our Loved One To The Golden Care Of:

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## Reflections of Her Life

**Rose Marie (Burton) Washington was born on September 14, 1935, the only child of Fermon Burton and Grace (Dangerfield) Burton in Kansas City, Missouri.**

**“Rose Marie” as everyone called her, was raised on the westside of Kansas City, Missouri, off 14th Street. Her stepbrothers were Harold Burton, James Redmond, Jesse Redmond and step-sisters, Rose Lee, all deceased, and Beverly.**

**Rose accepted Christ and was baptized at an early age. She was a member of St. Therese Little Flower Parish.**

**Rose was educated in the Kansas City, Missouri and Detroit, Michigan school districts. She also attended college.**

**Rose was very active and participated in various Community Service groups, organizations and affiliations such as, “The Dior’s (1961 – 1965) a social club with neighborhood family and friends, ‘The Order of Eastern Star, Prince Hall Affiliation F. & A. M.’, Celestial Chapter #102, O.E.S. under the Jurisdiction of Harmony Grand Chapter, O.E.S. of Missouri, Queen Martha Court No. 33 O. O. C., Under the jurisdiction of The Most Royal Grand Court O.O.C. of Mo., R. W. Foster Chapter No. 36 O.E.S. under the Jurisdiction of Harmony Grand Chapter, O.E.S. Missouri located at Kansas City Missouri, and the Grandparents program of the KCKPS district.**

**Rose worked for various private and government agencies, and she retired from the Department of Justice/DEA.**

**Rose was married to Daniel Washington. They were blessed with eight loving children: Thomas F. Washington, Sr.; Clarkston L. Burton; Grace D. (Washington) Arrington; Charles E. Washington (Charlotte); Pearl M. Washington,, Georgia L. Washington; Kris D. Washington; and Myles T. Washington.**

**Rose transitioned to life eternal on Saturday, April 22, 2023, in her home surrounded by her loving family and friends. She was preceded in death by both parents, her grandparents, two sons, Thomas F. Washington, Sr., and Myles T. Washington, along with three grandchildren, Kacey Gratts, Daniel L. Washington, and Willie I. Washington III.**

**Rose Marie leaves to cherish her memory her six surviving children; a stepson; stepdaughters; nineteen grandchildren; forty-six great-grandchildren; ten great-great-grandchildren; her long-life friend, Sandy Jones, and a host of nieces, nephews, and other family members and friends.**

## ~ Order of Service ~

**Prelude**

**Soft Music**

**Crowning Ceremony**

**Golden Gate**

**Prayer**

**Rev. Brian Dial, Jr.  
Associate Minister, Metropolitan M.B.C.**

**Scripture**

**Clergy**

**Selection**

**Brenda Kirkwood  
“I Won’t Complain”**

**Acknowledgements & Condolences**

**Life Reflections**

**Video Presentation**

**Remarks**

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

**Selection**

**Brenda Kirkwood  
“Thank You” Ashanti**

**Words of Comfort**

**Rev. Brian Dial, Jr.**

**Benediction**

**Recessional**

**“Til’ We Meet Again”**

