



Mrs. Carrie Lee Johnson (Kye)

March 10, 1912 - October 26, 2014

Carrie Lee Johnson (Kye) went on to be with the Lord on Wednesday, October 26, 2014. She was born on March 10, 1912 in Macon (Noxubee County) Mississippi. She was a powerful, independent woman that in the midst of racism and economic challenges raised a son as well as many other close friends and family members.

She also owned and ran her own plantation, which included livestock, dozens of acres of cotton and bean crops. She was known to be able to shoot a snake in the grass without even stepping off the porch! In the late 1980's, she moved to Kalamazoo, Michigan to be near her son, daughter-in-law and grandchildren.

Carrie had a close relationship with the Lord and He blessed her with a strong, healthy body for 102 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Willie Johnson; her son, J.D. Jones; and grandchildren, Barry Dale and Bruce DeWayne Jones.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her beloved daughter-in-law, Laura Bell Jones; her first cousin and dear friend, Pauline Pippin; granddaughter-in-law, Yvonne Jones; granddaughters, Carrie Lee Jones, Angelina Marie Shaw and her husband Trennier Shaw; 9 great grandchildren, Sonequa Tyanne

Parks; DeeDee Portrum, Nyesha Renyce Sims; Stephany Renae Williams; Blake Jacob Jones, Maurisha Walker-Shaw; Anthony Hudson-Shaw, Nevaeh Hudson-Shaw and Latrell Hudson-Shaw; 6 great-great grandchildren; several cousins; her close friend Ms. Kattie Johnson and her entire Friendship Baptist Church family.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

1015 Gull Road
Kalamazoo, MI 49048

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 3. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Friendship Baptist Church
320 W. Paterson Street
Kalamazoo, MI

A Service in Loving Memory

NOV 3. 12:00 PM (ET)

Friendship Baptist Church
320 W Paterson
Kalamazoo, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Carrie Lee Johnson (Kye)*

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ *Mrs. Carrie Lee Johnson (Kye)*

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM