

Mother With a Heart of Gold

We lost a mother with a heart of gold.
How much we miss her can never be told.
She shared our troubles and helped us along.
If we follow her footsteps,
We will never go wrong.

We miss you from your fireside chair,
Your loving smile and gentle air,
Your vacant place no one can fill,
We miss you, Mother, and we always will.

She was a mother so very rare,
Content in her home and always there.
On Earth she toiled; in heaven she rests.
God bless you, Mother,
You were one of the best.

Each time we look at your picture,
You seem to smile and say,
“Don’t be sad, but courage take,
And love each other for my own sake.”



Flower Ladies

Nieces

Pallbearers

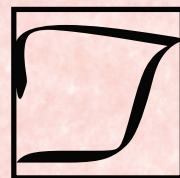
Nephews

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mother Thelma Rosser Ford, extend our sincere appreciation for your prayers, calls, visits, well wishes, condolences and flowers showered on us during the passing and celebration of life for our loved one. Your acts of kindness will never be forgotten. Our prayer is that God will richly bless each of you and keep you in divine care.

The Family

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A CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR



Mother Thelma ROSSER FORD

Sunrise
July 19, 1942

Sunset
November 23, 2022

Wednesday, November 30, 2022
1:00 PM

ZION HILL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
2950 Primrose Road
Greenville, Georgia 30222

Reverend Dr. E.L. Jimerson, Pastor and Eulogist

Obituary

“I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love is appearing.”
 2 Timothy 4:7-8

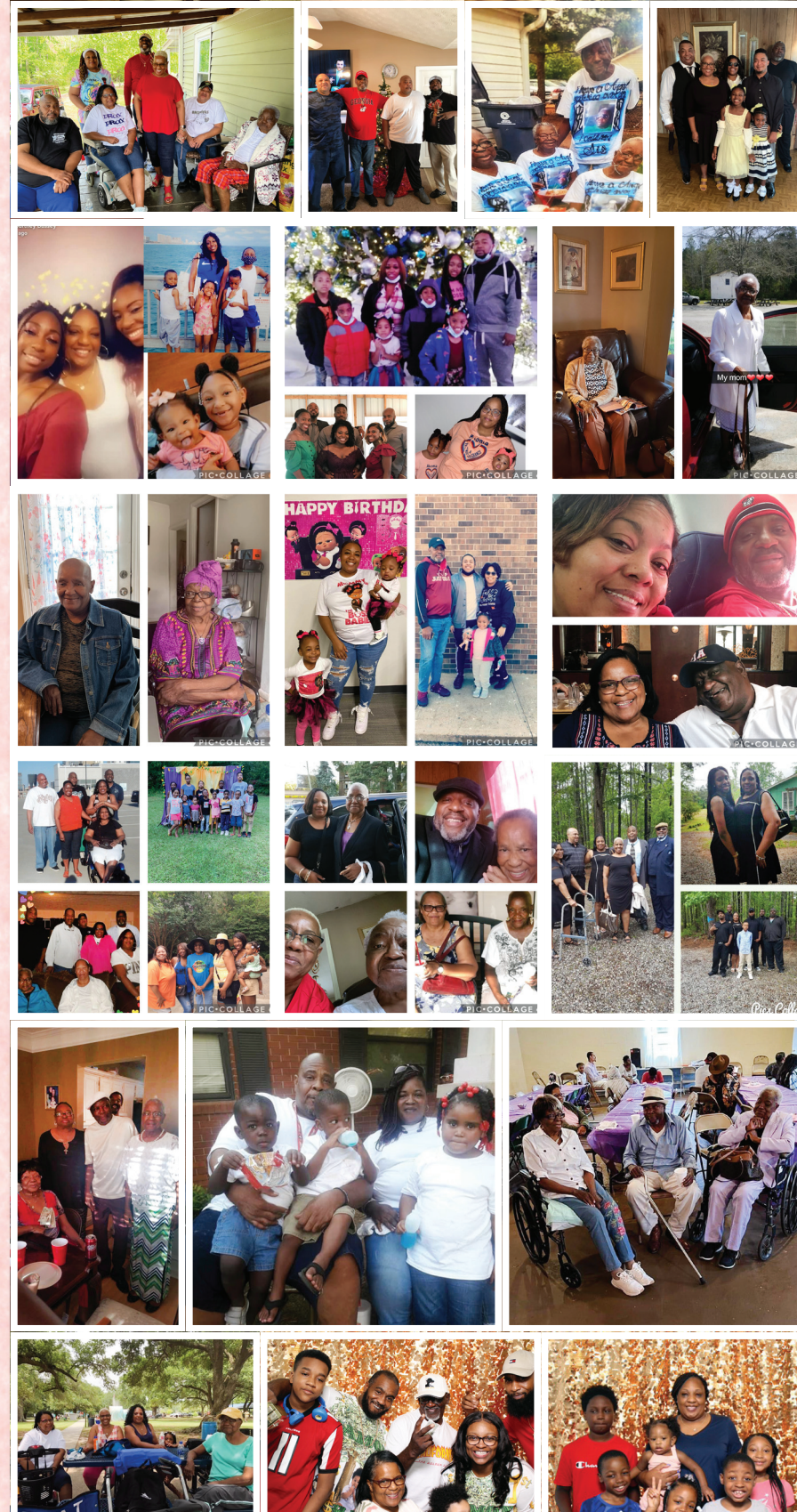
THELMA ROSSER FORD was born on July 19, 1942, in Lone Oak, Georgia, to the late Johnny and Estella Rosser. Thelma attended the Meriwether County school system. At an early age, she joined the Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church, where she served faithfully in the senior choir and mother’s board; she was very active and supportive to her church until her health began to decline. She spent many years working in the textile industry at Uniroyal, Shaw, and Inflation, from which she retired after many years of dedicated service. After retirement, she continued helping and assisting others in the capacity of being a sitter for the elderly. Thelma had a passion for t-shirts. It did not matter the auxiliary, the occasion, or the cost; it was always understood that she would get a t-shirt and would wear it well.

Thelma was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Elmon Ford on October 10, 1959. They were married for 56 years at the time of his passing. They became the proud parents of six beautiful children.

Thelma answered the master’s call and departed this life on Wednesday, November 23, 2022. In addition to her parents, Johnny and Estella Rosser, she was preceded in death by her husband, Elmon; her siblings, Gracie, Pearl, Annella, and Johnnie Mae; mother-in-law, Mattie; son-in-law, Thomas “Bubba”; and great-grandchild, Nevaeh.

Thelma leaves to cherish her memories: loving children, Sandra, Carol (Richard), Michael, Kenneth (Sharon), Jeffery (Tisa), and Jennifer; siblings, Ola Mae and Robert Lewis “Baby Brother”; grandchildren, Chevosky, Carlos, Demetrius, Deontae, Danielle, Migel, Kamvyon, LaParish, Jeffery, Corey, Mario, Johnika, Kiarra, Eljah, Courtney, and Jasmine; 34 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives. Special thanks to her niece, Rachel McGruder, for always being there and assisting as a caregiver.

Precious Memories



Order of Service

Processional

Music/Choir

Selection.....Choir

Scripture Readings

Old TestamentReverend Emmett Clark

New Testament Reverend Jamie Wheelous

Hymn Reverend Dwight Hardaway

Prayer.....Deacon Chris Owens

Reflections *Three Minutes, Please*

Mother Mary Colton

Others

SoloSister Putula Hardaway

Eulogy Reverend Dr. E.L. Jimerson

Acknowledgements..... Sister Latonya Fuller

Recessional..... *Music Choir*

INTERMENT
 Zion Hill Cemetery