

Celebrating the Life of

Mary Rebecca Lee

Sunrise:

January 1, 1940

Sunset:

June 21, 2025



Friday, July 18, 2025

Viewing: 10:00 a.m. | Service: 11:00 a.m.

From the Heart Church Ministries®

5055 Allentown Road | Suitland, Maryland 20746

Bishop John A. Cherry, II - Pastor

Remembering "Mary Rebecca Lee"

Mary Rebecca Lee was born on January 1, 1940, to the late Charlie O. Addison and the late Mary Elizabeth Addison in Midland, Virginia. She was the fourth of seventeen children, though one of her siblings was stillborn.

At a young age, Mary's family moved to Washington, D.C. After graduating from high school, she attended community college in Southwest D.C., where she graduated. She went on to work for Gillette Research Institute and retired after 30 years of dedicated service.

Mary, a woman of God, joined From the Heart Church Ministries at a New Year's Eve Service in 1986; and was an active member of the church until she was physically no longer able to do so. She faithfully served in the Altar Ministry, Activities Ministry, Health and Recovery Ministry, Adult Choir, Intercessory Prayer Ministry, and the Ministry of Business Services. Additionally, she served as Ministry Head of the Prison Ministry for several years and participated in the Women of God Lifegivers fellowships.

Mary was married to James S. Lee, and the couple had four sons, James, Robert, Gary, and Kelvin. Her children were her pride and joy, and she and James worked hard to ensure they had everything they could possibly provide.

Mary and her siblings would often go to Warrenton, Virginia, to visit their grandparents and have large family gatherings. The family also gathered at their mother's house in Washington, D.C., to enjoy lots of good food, including freshly baked rolls.

Mary loved to cook and never missed an opportunity to provide food and desserts for any and every event. Moreover, she was an avid WashingtonCommanders (formerly Washington Redskins) fan and loved to watch the games with her sons. Sometimes she would cook an entire baby pig for those boys!

Mary will be dearly missed by those who knew and loved her. She leaves to cherish her memory her son, Robert; grandchildren: Shenako Tinsley of Gastonia, NC, Natasha Savoy, and Nakia Riley of Arlington, Virginia, Robert Lee, Jr., Shannon Walker, Robin Abrams, Anndrian Walker, James Lee, Terrance Braxton, Kelvin Lee, Jr.; fourteen great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; sisters, Agnes Renee Addison and Shirley M. Wilson; brother, John E. Addison; daughter-in-law, Brenda Lee; sister-in-law, Jacqueline Addison; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Mary was preceded in death by her parents, Charlie and Mary Addison; her sons: James, Gary, and Kelvin; siblings: Osmond Addison, Eugene Addison, Joe Addison, Olive Ellis, Jeanette Tyler, Charles David Addison, Gertrude Worthen, Clinie Grimes, Spillman Addison, and Margaret Williams.

Order of Service

Invocation

Congregational Hymn "O How I Love Jesus"

Scripture Reading

Old Testament: Psalm 24
New Testament: 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Prayer of Comfort

Selection *Mr. Timothy Mooten*

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Elder Virgil Tyler, Nephew
Mr. Robert Lee, Son

Obituary (Read Silently)

Song of Preparation *Mr. Timothy Mooten*

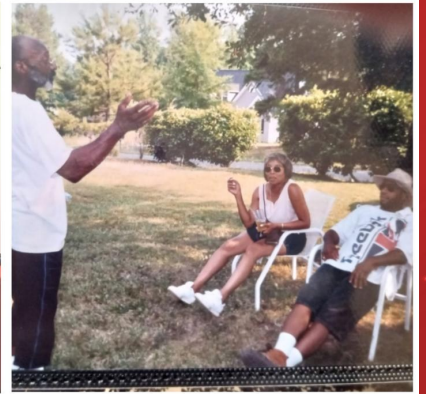
Message of Hope *Bishop John A. Cherry, II*

Call to Christ

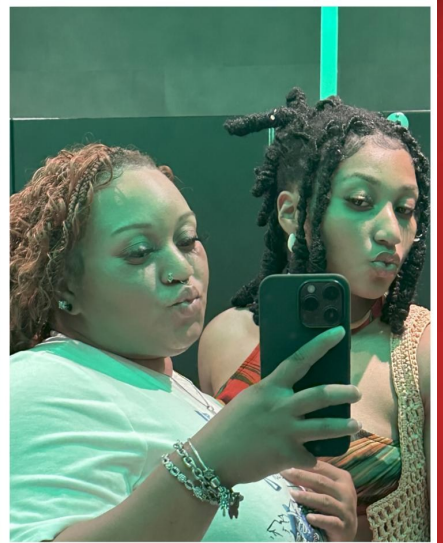
Recessional

Interment
Lincoln Memorial Cemetery
4001 Suitland Road | Suitland, MD 20746









Congregational Hymn

O HOW I LOVE JESUS

*There is a Name I love to hear, I love to sing its worth;
It sounds like music in my ear, The sweetest Name on earth.*

Chorus

*O how I love Jesus, O, how I love Jesus,
O how I love Jesus, Because He first loved me!*

*It tells me of a Savior's love, Who died to set me free;
It tells me of His precious blood, The sinner's perfect plea.*

Chorus

*It tells me what my Father hath In store for every day,
And though I tread a darksome path, Yields sunshine all the way.*

Chorus

*It tells of One who loving heart Can feel my deepest woe,
Who in each sorrow bears a part, That none can bear below.*

Chorus

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgements

*The family of Mary Rebecca Lee acknowledges with deep appreciation every act of kindness and expression of love shown to us during our time of bereavement. May God richly bless you.
We love you all.*

Services Rendered by:

*Hodges-Edwards Funeral Home
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