



Ms. Lillie Florence Maxwell

September 11, 1937 - December 4, 2022

Lillie Florence Maxwell was born on September 11, 1937, in Carthage, Mississippi, to Jannie and Edward Gee. She was 1 of 12 children to bless that union.

She received her formal education in Conway, Mississippi. The family moved to Milwaukee, Wisconsin when Lillie was a young woman. She would later move to Chicago, Illinois and make that her permanent home.

Lille married Mr. Charles Maxwell and they were married until Charles passed away.

She was loving, with a kind spirit and a generous heart. She was known to tip heavily and give freely. She enjoyed traveling, especially with her friends to the casino, having a good meal and self care, which included manicures and pedicures on a regular basis.

Lille loved the Lord and was faithful at her church. She belonged to the Mission Circle and was an active member of St John Baptist Church, even as her health begin to fail.

On December 4, 2022, Lillie Florence Maxwell, closed her eyes and rested from her labors. She was preceded in death by her parents, 7 sisters, 3

brothers, and her God daughter and niece Regina Peterson.

Lillie Florence leaves to cherish her memories her loving family, sister Margaret Perry; best friend Faye Butler; and a host of family and friends too numerous to mention.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 14. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Service

DEC 14. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Lillie Florence Maxwell*

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“ Lillian Florence Maxwell, aka Aunt Lil was born September 11, 1937, in her 89 years, she lived a wonderful life. She was a God-Fearing woman.

Aunt Lil had a big heart. She shared with me some things about my Uncle Max and things he did for me when I was a baby, and understanding my life. She always had time to talk, and a good ear for listening. God blessed her with many gifts, a bright smile, her infectious laugh and love of family. She loved to go with me to the Casino, my Church Group who would have monthly bus trips to the neighboring Casinos, we would Gamble, enjoy the Buffet, Gamble some more, always sharing that” Won or Loss” story on the way home.

I would always try to connect with her, we are both September babies, and I would try to call her once a week, but every year I would call her on the day before or the day after her birthday, because that date, September 11th was cast in such a negative light after the World Trade Center Attacks, she did not want to celebrate it.

The last time I saw Aunt Lil, it was pre-COVID, she was at my home for a BBQ, and she insisted that she bring something, and I told her bring whatever you want. She brought Sweet Potatoes, and they were GOOD. Over the past two years, her health began to fail, and she was in and out of the hospital for various reasons. I also fell ill, and she would call me to lift my spirits. The Pandemic made it difficult for us to visit, I would call her and it would go to her voicemail, and I would have to wait until she returned my call to assure me that she was okay until... she didn't.

Now, I know that Aunt Lil, is at rest and united again with Uncle Max. She lived an extraordinary life, she was a God-Fearing Woman and she is at Peace in Heaven. I love you, Aunt Lil, God Bless you, may you Rest in Power.

Your Niece, Deb

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