



Louise Hunter

April 1, 1930 - July 27, 2013

Louise Hunter "Big Mama" was born April 1, 1930 in Sawyerville, Alabama to the union of Ernest and Sally Chavers. She was one of thirteen children that blessed this union.

After completing her formal education at Hale County High School, Louise moved to East Chicago Heights (now Ford Heights), Illinois with her oldest daughter, Evelyn Chavers.

Louise met and married Emanuel Ford Sr. and to this union four children were born. She remained faithful to him until death did them part.

Louise later married Clarence Hunter and to that union one son was born.

Louise believed in God at a young age and was always present in the Lord's House. She was a Mother of the Church at Cole Temple at the time of her passing.

She worked tirelessly at St. James Hospital in Central Supply, retiring after 30 years of service.

She was a capable wife and mother, watching over the goings on of her household and children, grandchildren and the neighborhood children. Big

Mama was always available for babysitting. The kitchen was her life, she loved to cook, even as her sickness progressed she still could be found daily in the heart of her home.

On July 27, 2013, at 12:47 p.m., Louise Hunter heard her Lord say, "Well done my good and faithful servant", closed her eyes and took her rest. She was preceded in death by her son, Emanuel Ford, her parents and ten siblings.

Louise leaves to cherish her memories and continue her legacy, five children, Evelyn Blakemore, Shelvia Cornish (Charles), Gwender Sawyer (Willie), Clint and Taran; two sisters, Amanda Evans (John) and Rubie Warr; 10 grandchildren; 30 great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends too numerous to mention.

Cemetery Details

Mount Glenwood Memory Gardens

18301 South Glenwood-Thornton Road
Glenwood, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 2. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

McCullough Funeral & Cremation Services (FH)
1621 East Lincoln Highway
Ford Heights, IL 60411
(708) 758-2880
info@mcculloughfuneralservices.com

Visitation

AUG 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Christian Valley Missionary Baptist Church
1101 Ellis Avenue
Ford Heights, IL

Service

AUG 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Louise Hunter

October 04, 2023 at 06:11 PM



“ Revelation 21:5 And the one seated on the throne said: Look! I am making all things new.
University Park, Illinois



Gail McGrew - August 20, 2013 at 11:47 AM