



## Marion Banks

March 12, 1933 - January 2, 2013

Marion Johnson, the youngest daughter of five daughters, was born to the union of Richard and Dora Johnson on March 12, 1933 in Chicago, Illinois. Being raised in this loving and nurturing family, gave Marion her foundation to nurture her children.

Marion lived her entire life in Chicago, IL where she began and completed her education. Marion accepted Christ at an early age.

Marion met and fell in love with Oscar Banks Sr., whom she married on August 8, 1953. To this union, three fine sons were born: Oscar Jr., Richard and Gregory Banks. She loved and cherished her sons and the children born to her sons.

After successfully raising her sons, Marion pursued her passion of traveling and opened her own business, Love Travel Agency. Her business allowed her to travel all over, where she experienced different cultures around the world. She finished her career at Allpoints Travel, where she later retired.

Marion's smile and gentle nature were contagious. She had an elegance and flair about her that made all who came into contact with her leave feeling loved and so very special.

It is said that the middle child is the meat of the sandwich and it was Ricky, the middle child, who nurtured and cared for his mom for the last years of her life. They were able to gain that special bond that can only be between a mother and her son. Ricky was able to give back to his mom what she had given him all her life, sharing hugs and kisses daily.

On Wednesday, January 2, 2013, Marion departed this life at home at 3:30 a.m. She was preceded in death by her parents: Richard and Dora Johnson; two sons: Oscar Banks and Gregory Banks; and three sisters: Evelyn Johnson Freeman, Alta Mae Johnson and Dorothy Johnson Archie.

Marion leaves to cherish her precious memories, her son: Richard Banks; eight grandchildren: Shannon Carter, Oscar III and Tyisha Banks, Olympia Dawson, Julian and Kelvin Banks, Giavonna Cephass and Richard Davis; one sister: Ruby Johnson-Austin, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, great grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Lincoln Cemetery

12300 South Kedzie  
Alsip, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

McCullough Funeral & Cremation Services  
851 East 75th Street  
Chicago, IL 60619  
(773) 488-8900  
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## Visitation

JAN 12. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (CT)

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## Service

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JAN 12. 12:30 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Marion Banks*

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“ *To the Johnson family, please accept sincere condolences at this time of grief. 2 Corinthians 1:3,4 speaks of the Almighty God as the One who comfort us in all our tribulation may that comfort help you to endure.*

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