

*Homegoing Services*  
*Celebrating the Life of*

Mother

*Nina Mae*

GARRETT  
LITTLES



SUNRISE  
MARCH 9, 1935  
SUNSET  
MARCH 7, 2025

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 2025 | 1:00 P.M.

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TEMPLE CHURCH OF CHRIST (HOLINESS) U.S.A.  
234 SAINT CHARLES STREET | HAZLEHURST, MS 39083  
ELDER CHRISTOPHER BULLIN, PASTOR AND OFFICIANT





# 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 his appearing." II Timothy 4:7, 8*

Mrs. Nina Mae Garrett Littles was born March 9, 1935, in Hazlehurst, Copiah County, Mississippi, to Mr. Morris, Sr. and Mrs. Dora Durr Garrett. She was one of seven children born to this union.

She accepted Christ as her personal Savior and joined Temple Church of Christ (Holiness) U.S.A. under the leadership of the late Rev. Woodson. Her family was one of the founding members of Temple Church. She faithfully attended Temple Church, serving as a Sunday School teacher, Deaconess, Bible Study attendee, choir member, and wherever needed, under the leadership of various pastors. She was reared and nurtured in the admonition of the Lord in a Christian home by her parents, their teachings remained with her throughout her life. She was a faithful member of Temple Church where she attended regularly until her health no longer allowed her to do so. She never forgot the teachings of her parents about the Lord and His goodness, His grace and His mercy. These teachings, she instilled in her children and grandchildren.

She received her formal education in the Hazlehurst Schools. She was united in Holy Matrimony on April 13, 1950, to Mr. Arthur Lee Littles. Three children were born from this union, one daughter and two sons.

Mother Littles was a servant of the Lord. She loved to serve and help others. She became the care giver for so many family members and friends, even moving them in her home to better take care of their needs. She never hesitated to lend a helping hand to others. For many years, she was an employee with the Hazlehurst City School District Food Service Department. Continuing her servant's heart, she prepared meals and served the students and staff willingly. Each serving of food was given with love and care. She worked tirelessly to provide the necessities of life for her family.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Lee Littles, Sr.; two sons, Arthur Lee Littles, Jr. and Ray Charles Littles, Sr.; parents, Mr. Morris, Sr. and Mrs. Dora Garrett; siblings, Morris Garrett, Jr., George Garrett, Dorothy Garrett, Lige Garrett, Sr., and Ethel Lee Mitchell.

"Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted" (Matthew 5:4). Mother Nina Mae Garrett Littles transitioned on Friday, March 7, 2025, at 7:48 A.M., at her home, in the arms of her granddaughter, Jacqueline. She leaves a legacy of love and memories to enrich us all. We mourn, but not as those who have no hope; we mourn because we shall miss her loving ways, her servant heart, and her sweet, sweet gentle spirit.

She leaves to cherish her love, legacy, and precious memories: her daughter, Marilyn Reed of Brookhaven, MS; her very devoted care giver and dedicated granddaughter, Jacqueline Littles-Jones of Hazlehurst, MS; eight grandchildren; fourteen great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild; one sister, Lena Richardson of Memphis, TN; a supportive nephew, Maurice Mitchell of Hazlehurst, MS; one daughter-in-law, Rolenda Littles of Hazlehurst, MS; nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and the Temple Church Family.

Mother Nina Mae Littles, a Christian soldier, servant of the Lord, prayer warrior, Bible scholar, doer of God's Word, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, great-great grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin and friend would truly say, "May the works I've done speak for me. When I'm resting in my grave, There is nothing more to be said; **"May the works I've done, Let it speak for me."**





# ORDER OF SERVICE



Program Guide.....Sister Ruby Davis

Prelude

Processional of Clergy and Family

Selection.....Temple Church Praise Team

Scripture.....Elder Eddie Stanley Virgil

Prayer.....Elder Christopher King

Selection.....Pastor Brandon Catchings

Expressions.....Miss Moyolyn Brown, Great-granddaughter  
Anyone

Acknowledgements.....Sister Ruby Davis

Solo.....Sister Rosa Louise Walker

Eulogy.....Elder Christopher Bullin

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Recessional

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

*"The light of friendship, like the light of prosperity, shines brightest when all is dark."*

The family of Mother Nine Mae Littles would like to express much love, appreciation and thanks to each of you for your prayers, words of consolation, visits, cards, floral tributes, telephone calls, encouragement and all deeds of love and kindness expressed during this most difficult time. Keep us in your prayers as we embark upon a journey of healing in our great loss. Special thanks to Elder and Sister Christopher Bullin and the Temple Church Family. May God forever bless you.

~ The Jones and Littles Family ~





## HONORARY PALLBEARERS

AARON JOHN LITTLES  
RAY CHARLES LITTLES, JR.

ARTHUR LEE LITTLES III  
DR. THADDUES PETERS

MARK STREATER

## ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

ANTHONY MALONE  
CARL LEE MITCHELL  
MAURICE MITCHELL

ALVIN MITCHELL  
JAMES MITCHELL  
DARIAN MURRAY

## FLOWER BEARERS

FRIENDS OF THE FAMILY



## REPAST

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