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*Acknowledgments*

"I am truly thankful that God has chosen to cause our paths to cross in such a way that you are a part of my life's journey. You were needed for my growth and development. Because of you, I am a bit closer to being conformed to HIS image. I love you." ~Hazel

From the Family

We greatly appreciate anything you may have done to console the family during this time. The cards, flowers, kind words, acts of affection, monetary gifts of love, visits, and/or phone calls have blessed us eternally. We are blessed to know God and have His comforting Holy Spirit dwell within us. We are so extremely comforted that He has sent wonderful friends like you.

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*Celebration  
of Life*

Hazel Hughes



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Sunrise  
November 6, 1948

Sunset  
April 10, 2015

Thursday, April 23, 2015  
12:30 p.m.

Lakewood Church  
3700 Southwest Freeway, Houston, Texas 77027

Mrs. Dodie Osteen, Officiating - Lakewood Church  
Pastor Derrell Foster - New Light Christian Center Church

*Processional*  
Clergy and Family

*Praise and Worship*

Mrs. Dodie Osteen, Officiating

*Prayer*  
Pastor Glen King  
The Shepherd's House

*Scripture Reading*  
Vera Diane Munfus

*Resolutions*

*Acknowledgments*  
La Keisha M. Hughes

*Video Presentation*

Musical Selection

*Tribute*  
(2 minute limit please)

*Obituary*  
(Read Silently)

Musical Selection

*Eulogy*  
Pastor Derrell Foster  
New Light Christian Center Church

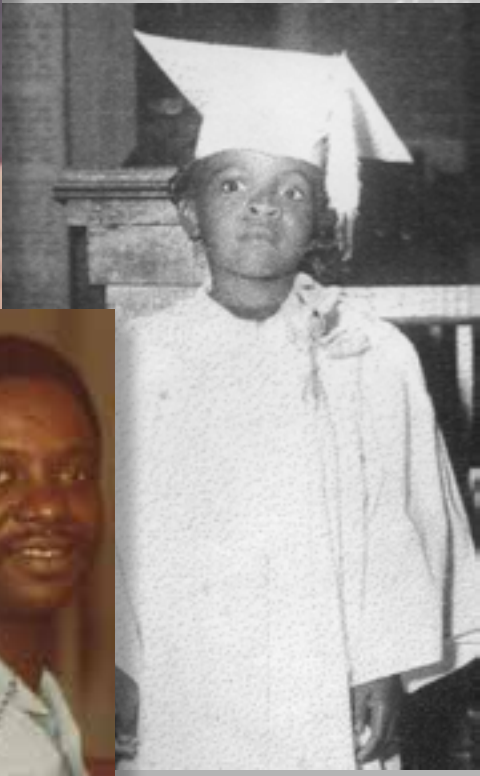
*Recessional*  
Clergy and Family







*We Love You...*



*A Loving Mother, A Wonderful Friend, A Woman of God*





# Obituary

God exhaled and Hazel Willor Faye Yarbrough Hughes was born on November 6, 1948 in New Orleans, Louisiana to Mack Yarbrough (Deceased) and Hilda Mae Conerly Yarbrough (Deceased). She was reared in Bogalusa, Louisiana along with her siblings.

Hazel graduated from Central Memorial High in Bogalusa, Louisiana. She obtained a BA degree in Mathematics and Masters of Education degree in Educational Administration from Texas Southern University. She also attended various schools of ministry.

Hazel was united in marriage to Marvin Hughes for 13 years and was blessed with two children, La Keisha and Harry. She became a foster parent and cared for and parented over 25 children in her home.

Hazel worked at Light Christian Institute of Ministry as Dean of Christian Education (1997-2005). She was also employed with the Houston Independent School District as an educator in Mathematics for over 20 years (1977-1997).

Hazel was as a member of Lakewood Church for approximately 25 years where she remained as a member as long as her health permitted. She served as a Prayer Counselor in the late 70's through the 80's. She'd often utilized the church's Lending Library to study the late Pastor John Osteen's sermons. She also enjoyed the teaching messages of Pastor Joel Osteen. Hazel also served as a member of New Light Christian Center Church for approximately 15 years



under the teaching ministry of Bishop I.V. Hilliard and Pastor Bridget Hilliard.

In 2005, Hazel was ordained as an Evangelist by Pastor Ronald Crawford and was shortly thereafter installed as a Bishop by Apostle Ronald Terry. Hazel Hughes Ministries (HHM) was born. HHM hosted seminars in different churches to help bring deliverance to believers. Hazel went on to found Agape Fellowship and Deliverance Center of Houston, Whole Life Success School of Ministry, Agape School of Supernatural Ministries and partnered with the Shepherd School of Ministry with Pastors Glen and Janet King. Hazel has authored numerous books, CD's, manuals, curriculums and additional bible aids materials. Her legacy will be preserved for the edification of the Body of Christ.

Hazel was called to eternal rest on April 10, 2015 peacefully in her daughter's home in Pearland, Texas. Those left to love and cherish her precious memories are her two children, La Keisha Hughes (Pearland, TX) and Harry Hughes and his wife Shelvie (Houston, TX); 4 grandchildren: Harry, Bryant, Brandon, and Daniel Hughes; four siblings, Willis Yarbrough (Bogalusa, LA), Eveline Yarbrough Dillon (Bogalusa, LA), Gloria Kirsh (Bogalusa, LA), and Flozell Yarbrough (Houston, TX); one uncle, Thad Conerly Jr. (Jayess, MS); one aunt, Hazel Yarbrough (Gulfport, MS) and a host of family and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, Mack and Hilda Yarbrough; and two sisters, Almetia Brown, and Marjorie Yarbrough.

# Tribute to Mom

Dear mother,

I would like to say you are the best mother a son could have. You taught me so much about life that I am able to show and teach my children how to live and love Christ. I enjoyed all the times that we have breakfast, brunch, lunch and dinner. As I was growing up, I always saw you as a tough woman and raising kids and not just me and my sister but other kids that I was happy to call my sisters and brothers. I would like to say thank you for all that you have done in raising me. I will never forget you and I know that you will always be praying for me up there in heaven.

Love always,

Your only begotten Son in whom you are well pleased. Harry



Dear Mama,

You are the strongest woman of God that I know. You've been unwavering and uncompromising. Learning by your side has developed me into who I am today. You've prepared me by creating an environment conducive to truth and Godliness. You always told it like it is... the brutal truth. Thank you for loving me unconditionally and being my mama. Thank for the talks and words of wisdom. You've led by example. Your countenance exuded the fruits of the Spirit. Because you are, I am. Deep from within I breathe your air. The line of life binds us together. A part of you will be with me forever. I am whole and complete knowing that God is on the inside of me. I love you mama.

Your ~Keisha

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