

Active Pallbearers

Tony Hodge • Rodrick Hodge
Darrell Williams • Derick Williams • Brandon Buckner

Honorary Pallbearers

Herbert Booker, Jr. • Reginald Booker
Cory Muse • Herbert Booker, Sr.

Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

Interment

Trice Hill Cemetery
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Please drive with your lights on for safety

Services under the direction of:

TEMPLE & SONS FUNERAL DIRECTORS, INC.
2801 North Kelley Avenue • Oklahoma City, OK 73111
(405) 427-8321 • "We Care" — II Timothy 4:8

Acknowledgment

Thank you seems insufficient, but on the behalf of the family of Lola Vernita Buckner Ballard, please accept our sincere thanks and appreciation for all that has been done during her death. Your visits, phone calls, and prayers have been a sustaining source of strength for the family. Please continue to keep us in your thoughts and prayers.

REPAST:

Prospect Church
2809 N. Missouri • Oklahoma City, OK 73111

In Loving Memory of Lola Vernita Buckner Ballard

SUNRISE
November 18, 1942

SUNSET
November 6, 2019



SERVICES

Tuesday, November 12, 2019 — 11:00 a.m.

PROSPECT CHURCH
2809 North Missouri
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Rev. Dr. Lee E. Cooper, Jr., Pastor
Officiating



Obituary

Lola Vernita Buckner Ballard went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, November 6, 2019 with her loving children by her side.

Lola was the fifth of eight children born to Sam and Leola Buckner. Lola was introduced to Christ at an early age and maintained a relationship with Him until her death.


Lola attended Douglass High School and later entered a career in the food industry.

Lola married Nathaniel Wilburn (now deceased) and three children were born from this union. She later married John Ballard (now deceased) and one son was born from their marriage. Her children were the apple of her eye.

Lola was a member of Prospect Church. As Lola's health declined, she maintained a positive spirit and a great sense of humor.

She leaves to cherish her memory, four children: Lola Wilburn, Cynthia Booker (Herbert), Ronald Wilburn, and Cyron Ballard (Ebony); sisters: Evelyn Hodge, Pauline Pennybaker, and Claretta Venson; sister-in-law, Carolyn Buckner; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandson.

Lola suffered great loss with the deaths of her siblings: Gary Buckner, Ethel Baker, Samuel Buckner, and Emma Williams; as well as both parents.



Order of Service



Processional Ministers, Funeral Directors, Family

Musical Selection — Solo

Scripture Reading

Old and New Testament Reverend Taylor Lee

Prayer Deacon Marvin Provo

Resolutions/Acknowledgement Charlene Hudson

Musical Selection — Solo

Eulogy Rev. Dr. Lee E. Cooper, Jr.

Reflection of Life Video

Parting View Temple & Sons Funeral Directors, Inc.

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God saw you were getting tired

God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be,
So he put his arms around you and whispered, "Come to Me."

With tearful eyes, we watched you as you slowly slipped away.
And though we loved you dearly, we couldn't make you stay.

Your golden heart stopped beating, your tired hands put to rest,
God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.

By Frances and Kathleen Coelho