



## Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn

January 6, 1929 - October 22, 2017

Mother Allily McLawhorn was born on January 6, 1929 in Pitt County to the late Nellie Maye and was reared by the late Joseph and the late Lizzie Killebrew. She transitioned from earthly labor to her heavenly reward on Sunday, October 22, 2017 at 8:35 pm at her home.

Mother McLawhorn attended Fleming Street School, C.M. Eppes and earned her G.E.D. in the mid 80's through Pitt Community College.

Mother McLawhorn was employed with the Pitt County Court House and retired after many years of service with the Department of Social Service in its housekeeping department.

Mother McLawhorn was a living legend having given 80 years of dedicated Christian service to Mount Calvary F.W.B. Church. She was affiliated with the following: Mother Board, Usher Board #1, Pastor Aide, Home Mission and housekeeping. She was also affiliated with: Ladies Delight #10 Order of Eastern Star, Moyewood and Winterville Senior Citizens.

Mother McLawhorn shared many happy moments with the members of the “Golden Girls”; which included the late Mothers, Sarah Daniels, Janie Daniels, Arlene Ebron and Blanche Dupree.

Mother McLawhorn as she was affectionately known as “Ma Ma” to many found great joy in sharing her home and kitchen on Sundays to all who loved her delicious home cooked meal and fellowshiping with family.

Mother McLawhorn was preceded in death by her husband, Deacon James T. McLawhorn, Sr.; sister, Catherine Moye; brother, Wilbur Maye.

Mother McLawhorn leaves cherished memories with her children, James T. McLawhorn, Jr.

(Barbara) of Columbia, SC, Melvin McLawhorn (Sandra) of Greenville, NC, Barredell McLawhorn (Peggy) of Warner Robbins, GA, Belinda M. Gallop of Greenville, NC, Michael McLawhorn of the home, Christopher McLawhorn (Lisa) of Grimesland, NC; sister, Mary L. King of Winterville, NC; sisters-in-law, Julia Maye of Greenville, NC, Ruby Mack of New Haven, CT; brother-in-law, Robert Anderson (Germaine) of Charlotte, NC; seventeen grandchildren, Kimberly Tucker, Sharon McNeil (Leo), Leonard Wooldridge, Karla Hawkins (Eric), Keisha Barrett (Anthony), Melvin McLawhorn II (Natasha), Lamont Staton, Tania Staton, Coriatta Barrett, James McLawhorn, III, Crystal Wilson (Vinson), Tiffany Green (Kyle), Mark McLawhorn, Christopher McLawhorn, Jr. (Jacinta), Destini McLawhorn, Immanuel McLawhorn, Isiah McLawhorn; twenty-five great grandchildren; seven godchildren, Jewel T. Knight, Robert Walton, Dianne Barnes, Gloria Cooper, Lavette Ford, Gwendolyn Edge, James Staton; a host of nieces, nephews other relatives and friends.



# Cemetery Details

## Homestead Memorial Gardens

4251 E. 10th Street  
Greenville, NC 27858

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **28**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church  
411 Watauga Avenue  
Greenville, NC 27834

## Service

OCT **29**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church  
411 Watauga Avenue  
Greenville, NC 27834

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *Congleton Funeral Home And Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn*



**Congleton Funeral Home and Staff** - November 01, 2017 at 09:51 AM



“ *I received text last night about 10:45 pm about the death of your mother. I am sorry I was not able to attend the funeral as I was out of town. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*



**Shirley Morris** - October 29, 2017 at 06:13 PM



“ *A very sweet lady. She has left a wonderful legacy. Much Delta love to the granddaughters, Sharon and Keshia.  
Mildred M. Daniels  
Ashlee D. Thomas*



**Mildred Daniels** - October 29, 2017 at 08:42 AM

BH

“ To the McLawhorn family, Mother Allily was a very faithful member of the Winterville Senior Citizens Club. She will be miss from our meetings and fellowship. She was a member for more than 25 years. She loved the club and we all loved her. Our prayers are with the family.

*"Mother Allily fought a good fight."*

*The Winterville Senior Citizens Club  
Ms. Beatrice A. Henderson, Advisor*

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**Beatrice A. Henderson** - October 28, 2017 at 11:18 PM

CH

“ Dear Brother Melvin, as former Chairman of the Economic Development Committee of the Pitt County Branch of the NAACP, The Executive Board and many members of the Pitt County Branch of the NAACP extend to you and your family our prayers and deepest sympathy in the loss of your mother, Ms. Allily K. Mclawhorn.

*We pray that you will find comfort in knowing that others care and share with you the love and support that we hope will help bring you the peace that only God can give in your time of sorrow.*

*May the Peace of God be with you and your family today, and the days ahead.*

*Sorrowfully submitted,  
Pitt County Branch of the NAACP*

*Calvin C. Henderson.....President  
Casandra B. Tripp.....Sec'y*

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**Calvin C. Henderson** - October 28, 2017 at 11:02 PM

AS

“ NEIGHBORS TOGETHER

*Your dear mother, Mrs. Allilly McLawhorn, has gone to be with her Heavenly Father. Her life was a blessing. She will long be remembered for the good she has done.*

*The neighbors of James T. McLawhorn on Elmont Drive in Columbia, South Carolina send our heartfelt condolences to J.T. and his family during this period of bereavement. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. (Matthew 5:4) May God bless and keep you and your family always in His care.*

*With Love and Sympathy,*

*Charles and April Ashe  
James and Thelma Clavon  
Sammy James  
Harrison and Alethia Rearden  
John and Joan Scott  
Ann Simmons  
Joseph and Dorothy Wilson*

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**ASHE** - October 28, 2017 at 03:08 PM

JS

“ *Bardell , Melvin and Family,*

*I'm sorry to hear of the lost of your Mother. A "Sweet and Loving Spirit" which never dies. Know that I am praying for you all to have the strength to endure doing this time or bereavement. Much Love,  
Joyce Lea-Street*

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**Joyce Street** - October 28, 2017 at 12:28 PM



“ *Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn.*



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October 27, 2017 at 09:55 PM



“ *Kay Rouse lit a candle in memory of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn*



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**Kay Rouse** - October 27, 2017 at 07:17 PM



“ *Love, Katie & Bill McElveen purchased the Love Everlasting Bouquet for the family of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn.*



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**Love, Katie & Bill McElveen** - October 27, 2017 at 12:03 PM

JJ

“ All members of the Greenville Industrial - Charles M. Eppes National Alumni Association, Inc. offer our deepest condolences to the family of Mother Allily K. McLawhorn. Most of the McLawhorn children attended C. M. Eppes and up until 1969, all graduated from Eppes. Growing up with them we knew that they came from a home that instilled values and traits in them that laid the foundation for lives of service to their fellowman. This is the tribute that all parents deserve. May you find comfort in knowing that Mother Allily is in that promised land, not having to be concerned with Earthly cares anymore. May God bless and strengthen each of you during this time and please just let us what we can do to assist, we stand ready to help.

*James Harper, Jr.  
National President*

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**James Harper, Jr.** - October 27, 2017 at 11:16 AM

JS

“ So sorry to hear about the death of your mom. She was a pillar in the community and will be missed.

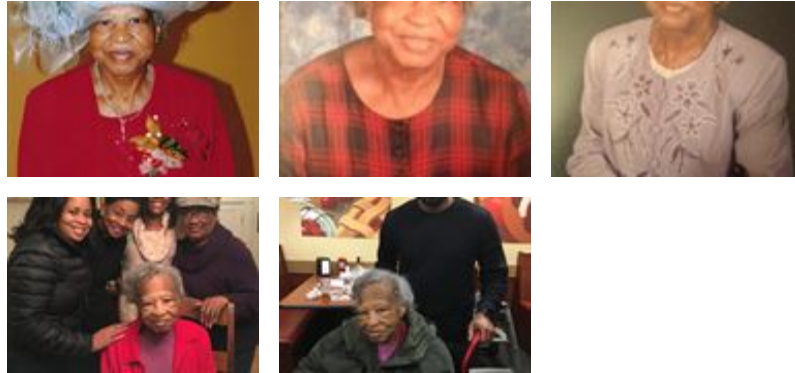


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**Jeffrey E Savage** - October 26, 2017 at 05:13 PM



“ 110 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Congleton Memorial Mortuary** - October 26, 2017 at 04:40 PM

JK

“ *Joyce A. King lit a candle in memory of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn*



**Joyce A. King** - October 26, 2017 at 04:10 PM

PW

“ *Pam Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn*



**Pam Williams** - October 25, 2017 at 11:07 PM

AN

“ Sorry to hear about your mom. I remember her when I first started to work at register of deeds ...having breakfast with her, Dora and Martha Lee. Sweet, sweet person. Loved that Lady. Family Be Blessed.  
*Ann Teel*

AnnTeel - October 25, 2017 at 07:22 PM

KT

“ Karen Sharp Thigpen lit a candle in memory of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn



Karen Sharp Thigpen - October 25, 2017 at 08:09 AM

PW

“ Patricia Wooden lit a candle in memory of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn



Patricia Wooden - October 25, 2017 at 06:53 AM

RS

“ May the Lord grant you peace and comfort at loss of your loved one. We are praying for you and yours. Mrs. Aliliy is at rest in the arms of the Master.

Rev. David Hammond Sr. - October 25, 2017 at 06:45 AM

PM

“ *Patricia Moore lit a candle in memory of Mother Allily Killebrew McLawhorn*



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**Patricia Moore** - October 24, 2017 at 07:17 PM

PM

“ *Mr. Mac we have you and the family in our prayers. Keep trusting in the Lord and he will direct your path. With love Wilbur And Patricia Moore*

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**Patricia Moore** - October 24, 2017 at 07:17 PM

MH

“ *My Senior Diva, love you always! Praying for the entire family that God will give you strength and grace to get through this trying time...*



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**Muriel Hines** - October 24, 2017 at 08:36 AM