



Mrs. Martha Porter Chance

October 1, 1948 - May 4, 2018

Martha Porter Chance, a resident of Martin County, passed on Friday, May 4, 2018, after living a fulfilling life as a wife, mother, sister and friend. She was born on October 1, 1948 in Edgecombe County to the late Robert L. and Luraney P. Porter. Martha and her siblings were raised by the late John David “Big Boy” Barnes. One of five children, she was preceded in death by her sister, Isabelle Hyman.

On December 11, 1971 Martha married Frederick Chance and established a loving home. They were blessed with two devoted and dedicated sons, Tony and Edrick.

She was educated in the Martin County School System, where she graduated from East End High School in Robersonville, NC. Later she attended Martin Community College and became a Certified Nursing Assistant II. She began her work career with a brief stay at the Blue Ridge Shoe Factory in Robersonville. After many years of dedicated service, she retired from Martin Community Action in Williamston NC, where she was a Nutrition Assistant. Her heart’s desire was to provide support to low income families, through education, to ensure their children would receive nutritional meals.

Martha was a member of Lloyd’s Chapel Church in Robersonville, NC, where she was a committed servant leader. Her service included Sunday school

teacher, choir member, and hospitality leader. She faithfully attended and served until her health declined.

A loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend, Martha enjoyed spending special time with her family. She loved planting beautiful flowers and baking the most delicious cakes that melted in your mouth. Martha was an avid flea market shopper, who went on Wednesdays and Fridays, rain or shine.

Martha leaves to cherish her memory, a loving and devoted husband, Frederick Chance, of the home, two dedicated and caring sons, Tony and Edrick Chance of Bethel, NC; one loving daughter, Krystal Hines of Winterville, NC; one sister, Bernice Garnett (Carl) of Greenville, NC; two brothers, Robert Porter (Letha) and Arthaniel Porter of Robersonville, NC; three grandchildren, Tony Jr, Carmen, and Lauren; one great granddaughter, Brielle "Bri"; one aunt, Lula Stancil of Robersonville, NC; three sisters-in-love, Patricia C. Neal (Frank), Joyce C Jones (Robert), and Sallie C. Jones (Howard); two brothers-in-love, James E Chance (Rose) and Melvin Chance (Ernestine), a devoted friend, Albert Sherman; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith" 2 Timothy 4:

Cemetery Details

Chance Cemetery

Bethel, NC 27812

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Gethsemene Missionary Baptist Church
14777 NC Hwy. 11
Bethel, NC 27812

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *Hey, It's Quan just want you to know that I love you and Will always miss you everyday. You will always be alive everywhere I go and I know you will always be by my side. I love you so much.*

Quan

Anthony Watson - October 26, 2019 at 05:26 PM



“ *Congleton Funeral Home Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Congleton Funeral Home Staff - May 14, 2018 at 01:13 PM



“ *Lou Bland lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Lou Bland - May 09, 2018 at 07:32 AM

MC

“ *Minister Dora Cox lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



minister dora cox - May 08, 2018 at 11:48 PM

MC

praying for the family sorry for your loss

minister dora cox - May 08, 2018 at 11:49 PM

JS

“ *JARVIS & ANGELENE STOKES lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



JARVIS & ANGELENE STOKES - May 08, 2018 at 05:24 PM

LR

“ *Lizzie Higgs Roberson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance.*



Lizzie Roberson - May 08, 2018 at 09:41 AM

BD

“ *Betty Dupree lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Betty Dupree - May 08, 2018 at 06:25 AM

KG

“ *Keith Goddard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Keith Goddard - May 07, 2018 at 09:19 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance.*



May 07, 2018 at 07:59 PM

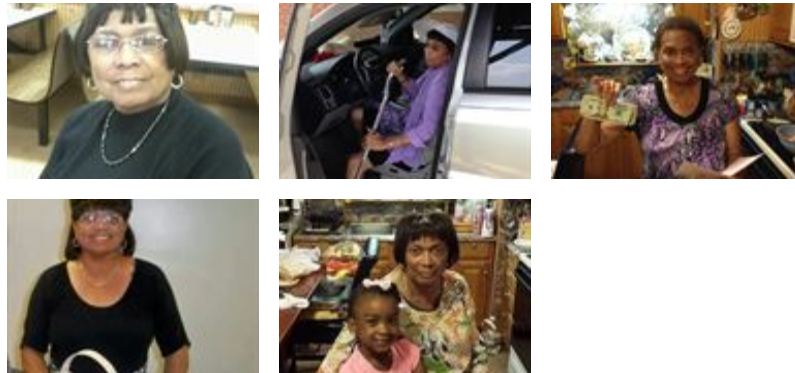
KH

“ *Ed,
I'm saddened to hear of the loss of your Mother. I know how much you loved her.
I was just in your same place last week with the lost of my brother.
In ALL things GOD is good and he is to just to make mistakes.
Praying for you Mamba!
God's Speed to you.*

Katrina Harper-Alexander - May 07, 2018 at 06:40 PM



“ 38 files added to the album Life Tributes



Congleton Memorial Mortuary - May 07, 2018 at 03:50 PM

JE

“ JEANNETTE lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance



JEANNETTE - May 07, 2018 at 02:55 PM

TR

“ Tammy Rawlins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance



Tammy Rawlins - May 07, 2018 at 12:48 PM

CM

“ *Claretha Morning lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Claretha Morning - May 06, 2018 at 06:17 PM

TM

“ *Tonette Hudgins McNeil lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Tonette Hudgins McNeil - May 06, 2018 at 02:31 PM

BB

“ *Alvin & Min. Barbara Jackson Bynum & the entire Jackson family will like to give their condolences to the family. We are praying that the Lord give you strength each and every day. We love you.*



Barbara Bynum - May 06, 2018 at 01:07 PM

DA

“ *Donnie Andrews sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Donnie Andrews - May 06, 2018 at 09:49 AM

CR

“ *Cathy Dolberry Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Cathy Dolberry Robinson - May 05, 2018 at 09:08 PM



“ *Joseph & Peggy Slade lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



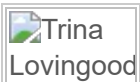
Joseph & Peggy Slade - May 05, 2018 at 11:16 AM

LC

“ *Linda Carter lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Linda Carter - May 05, 2018 at 10:14 AM



“ *Trina Lovingood lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Trina Lovingood - May 04, 2018 at 07:43 PM

BJ

“ *Brenda Jones-House lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Brenda Jones-House - May 04, 2018 at 05:13 PM

TH

“ *Tracie Howell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Martha Porter Chance*



Tracie Howell - May 04, 2018 at 12:59 PM