



Clara Henderson

January 22, 1935 - June 2, 2022

Miss Clara B. Henderson (Coota) became a blessing to her family and to her mother, the late Margaret L. Henderson on January 22, 1935. Clara was the oldest of four siblings. She departed this earthly life on June 2, 2022 at the precious age of 87!

Clara grew up in the Grier Heights Community on Orange Street where she resided until her departure. She joined Grier Heights Presbyterian Church at an early age and remained a member until death. Our beloved “Coota,” as she was affectionately named by her mother, was a 1956 graduate of Second Ward High School. Clara was a very independent woman in her quiet manner. She started her own business in her home - Henderson Nursery & Daycare Center. She and her sister “Shang” operated this nursery for more than 30 years! Coota and Sylvia touched the lives of many families and children throughout the community and beyond. Clara also enjoyed travelling with her sister, Sylvia to Canada, Mexico, Georgia, Washington, D.C., Atlantic City, Charleston, Orlando, Chicago, Philadelphia and New Orleans.

She leaves to celebrate and mourn her life two sisters, Sylvia Bogany Henderson of the home and Barbara Izzard; two brothers, Edward Henderson of the home and J.B. Henderson of Charlotte.

The family extends their sincerest gratitude and appreciation to Obie

Blackwell, Walt and Gerry Wallace, Angela Daughtry, Inez & Raymond Alexander, Robert F. Brown, the Simpson and Watkins Families, Onis Polk, Marvin & Jeanette Price, Loretta Price and Paris Huntley.

In addition, the family extends appreciation to Reverend Reggie Tuggle, Reverend Dr. Lloyd B. Morris; and our Musician, John Simmons. Also, we acknowledge the kindness of The Wilora Lake staff who assured that Clara's last days were peaceful.

Cemetery Details

York Memorial Park Cemetery

5150 S. Tyron Street
Charlotte, NC

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 11. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Grier Heights Presbyterian Church
325 Skyland Avenue
Charlotte, NC

Celebration of Life Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Sincerest condolences to the Henderson Family on the loss of their sweet sister. Miss Clara aka Coota was always so sweet and welcomed you with a big smile. As a member of Grier Heights Presbyterian Church I would often sit in pew directly behind her and Sylvia on Sundays. Fond memories of reaching up for peppermint candy or gum and greeted with that smile. She will be missed.*

Prayers for comfort, peace and strength always to the family. RIP Clara aka Coota.

The Barnette Family

Phyllis Barnette - June 10, 2022 at 10:24 PM