



Iola Ponds Douglas

January 27, 2015

Mrs. Iola Ponds Douglas entered into eternal rest on January 27, 2015 at Presbyterian hospital. She was born July 28 1925 to the late parents of William and Clemmie Ponds. She was the second oldest of four children. She was preceded in death by her three sisters Mable Robinson, Sadie Welch, and Wilma Ponds, granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Karen and Karrisa Lofton. Iola Douglas was a well respected business owner with her late husband William "Preacher" Douglas Sr. They successfully operated two restaurants and Pioneer Music. She was known to the community as "Mama" because she embraced all people with dignity and respect.

Iola was married to the late William "Preacher" Douglas for 37 Years. She was a strong matriarch whom took pride in supporting her family. Mrs. Iola Douglas is survived by her two daughters Jackie Robinson (Emanuel) of West Virginia and Sherry Reid of Charlotte (Greg) and one son William Douglas Jr. of Charlotte, one special God daughter Gwendolyn Stokes; one exceptional compassionate granddaughter Takila Douglas Boler of Charlotte; notable granddaughter Brittney Douglas of Charlotte, granddaughter Sandra Craig of Maryland; three grandsons Kevin Sherrill of Virginia, William Douglas III and Chaz Douglas of Charlotte. She adored all of her great grand children, Jazmin Boler, Maria Douglas and Jayde Boler whom she spent countless time with and a host of other grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 30. 12:00 PM (ET)

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