



The family would like to offer our sincere thank you for all the thoughts, prayers, calls, and kind gestures during our time of bereavement. Special thanks to the following:

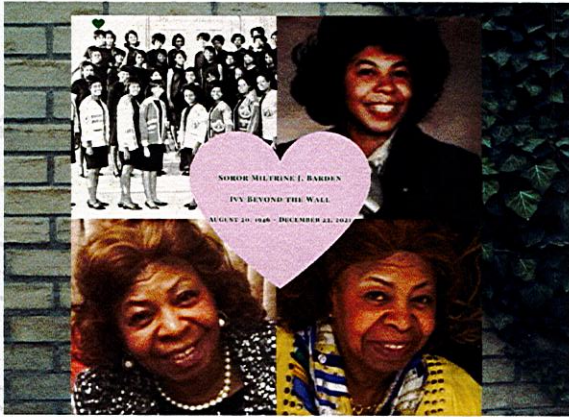
St. James Presbyterian Church Family

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.  
Beta Iota Omega Chapter

NC A&T State University Class of  
1969

James B. Dudley High School Alumni  
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CELEBRATION OF LIFE

*Miltrine Jenkins  
Barden*



08.18.1946 - 12.22.2021

January 5, 2022 | 2 PM

Piedmont Memorial Cemetery

Rev. Miltrine Jenkins Barden, the beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jenkins quietly reclaimed her victory to eternal life December 22, 2021. She was the wife of the late Calvin Barden.

Miltrine, affectionately known as "Bootsie", attended grade school in Greensboro, NC. She was a graduate of Dudley High School. In 1969 she obtained the Bachelor of Arts degree from North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University (A & T State University) Greensboro, North Carolina. In 1982 she was ordained and licensed to preach the gospel and an evangelist by

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church in Newark, New Jersey. After graduation from A & T State University, she became a music educator in Patterson, New Jersey and retired from the New Jersey school system after 30 years of teaching. Miltrine was initiated to Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Alpha Phi Chapter at A & T State University, then transferred to Beta Alpha Chapter in New Jersey and later joined Beta Iota Omega Chapter in Greensboro, N.C. There she served as chaplain, served on the spiritual committee and retired sorors committee and was a "Golden Soror" with Fifty-three (53) years of service to all mankind. It is one of the organizations highest honors. Politically she was noted as joining the "sit in movement" part of the Civil Rights Movement in Greensboro, North Carolina in the 1960's. That sit in movement sparked college students around the world to join in a nonviolent approach to gain civil rights. She deeply cared about the welfare of her family, friends, and community. We all saw that as a focus throughout each stage of her life. Excellence, kindness, and compassion are all part of the "Bootsie" we all knew and loved.

At an early age, Miltrine became a faithful member of St James Presbyterian Church in Greensboro, NC. Miltrine was a dedicated and committed church musician for many years, taught Sunday School and served the homeless and underserved. Miltrine faithfully and selflessly cared for all her aunts and uncles until death and would answer the call of service to anyone in need.

Miltrine leaves to cherish her memory: cousins, Brenda Rand Davis (daughter Jennifer Wilder) and George Scott Rand (children Akele Lynch, Almerdia Jenkins, Antonio Rand) , God sister Dr. Amelia Peebles Davis (husband Anthony Davis, children Powell Williams and his wife Chevar, Maude Williams), God-daughter, Alexis Overstreet, cousins Clarice Hinton Wimbish, Christine McNeil, Catherine Barnes, Earnestine Parker, Arnell Marshall, devoted friends, Attorney Barbara Gore Washington, Linda "Cookie" Aldridge, Dori Bennett, and Rev. C.E. Overstreet, Sr. of Ocean Avenue Baptist Church in NJ, along with many other relatives and friends.

Miltrine's legacy of grace, love and faithfulness will always be remembered by her family, relatives and friends.



Greeting

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Reading

James B. Dudley High School Class of 1964  
Presentation

Reflection- Alexis Overstreet, Goddaughter

Attorney Barbara Gore Washington  
representing NCAT Class of 1969

Resolution- AKA

It is Well with my Soul- Soloist Patricia  
Stewart

Words of Comfort- Rev. Dr. Carl Manuel, Jr.

The Committal

The Benediction