



Clontha "Connie" Elizabeth Hampton

September 23, 1943 - May 17, 2015

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Clontha "Connie" Elizabeth Hampton (Tomlin) was born in Lake City, FL to Annie Frances Tomlin and Edward D. McRae on September 23, 1943. Connie grew up in Sanford, FL where she attended Crooms Academy High School and graduated in the class of 1961. She obtained her Bachelor of Art degree in English from Bethune-Cookman College in 1965. After graduation, she made a commitment to teaching English to students in Miami, FL, Haines City, FL, Clark Air Force Base in the Phillipines, and Vogelweh, Germany. She was employed for many years at South Middle School in Aurora, CO.

Connie married her high school sweetheart, Zed M. Hampton, on February 25, 1962. They were happily committed to each other for 53 years. Zed served in the Air Force and he and Connie were able to live and travel around the world including the Phillipines, Germany, France and the Netherlands as well as in the United States in Florida, Arizona, and North Dakota. They finally settled in Denver, CO in 1981 where Zed later retired from the military. They shared their love of travel with their daughter, Kendra E. Hampton.

Connie enjoyed many activities that offered her fulfillment, including growing her roses and vegetable garden, reading Harlequin Romance novels, listening to gospel music, and watching her Sherlock Holmes, Hercule Poirot, Miss

Marple, and Nero Wolf mysteries on television. Connie knew and loved the Lord. She was an active member with Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church as the church clerk for many years as well as leading Deaconess meetings, teaching Sunday school, and creating church programs.

Connie departed this life on Sunday, May 17, 2015. She was preceded in death by her parents, Annie Frances Dupree (Tomlin) and Edward D. McRae, her sister, Bridgette E. Perez, sister-in-law, Evelyn Hampton, and brother-in-law, Benjamin (Boy) Hampton.

Left behind to cherish and honor her memory is her husband, Zed M. Hampton and daughter, Kendra E. Hampton, both of Denver, CO; brother, Edward J. DuPree, Tacoma, WA; adopted brother, Bobbie Carter, Gainesville, FL; sisters, Judy L. Daniels, West Palm Beach, FL, and Allyson D. (Seabron) Smith, Lake Worth, FL; brothers-in-law, Harrell (Pharistine) Hampton, Daytona Beach, FL, and Patrick (Felicia) Hampton, Sanford, FL; sisters-in-law, Delores (Tracy) Cashe, Sanford, FL, Betty (Johnnie) Johnson, Sanford, FL and Mae Hampton, Sanford, FL; uncles: John E. (Emma) Tomlin and Charlie Stone; aunts: Laverne Gosby, Barbara Edwards, Rosa Lee McRae, Dicie Sanks, and Charlie Mae Jones; and generations of loving nieces, nephews, cousins and a community of dedicated friends and neighbors.

The God of grace, who called you to his eternal glory after ye suffered a little while, will himself restore you, make you strong, firm and steadfast. 1 Peter 5:10.

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY **29**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Ballard Family Mortuary, LLC
6700 Smith Rd
Denver, CO 80207
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Service

MAY **30**. 11:00 AM (MT)

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