

**Martha Maudena Bulloch Floyd** of Lithonia, Georgia passed from this life to her heavenly home on Friday evening, December 3, 2021, following a brief illness.

Martha was born on December 15, 1949 to Rev. Frank Bulloch and Maudena Johnson Bulloch (who died in childbirth) and was then lovingly taken home by her uncle and aunt, Roy Lawrence Sr. and Elvie Johnson Lawrence, as their own child to raise. Martha is survived by her beloved son and daughter-in-law, Jeremy Lawrence (Law and Eleisa) Floyd, beloved daughter, Alisha Daneille Floyd, precious and adored granddaughter, Reagan Floyd, one sister, Patricia Lawrence (Rev. Gerald) Davis, brother, Freddie (Sheila) Lawrence, brother, Bob (Neta) Lawrence, brother, Bruce (Donna) Bulloch, step-siblings, Theresa (Pat) Paddock, Sandra (Sam) Ainsworth, Carmel (Compton) Grantham, and Silas Jenkins, a host of much loved nieces, nephews, cousins, great and great-great-nieces and nephews, several friends who were like family, and many others who were blessed to be one of Martha's dear friends in this life. What a heavenly reunion that must have been with those who went before her: her beloved Dad and Mom, Roy Sr. and Elvie Lawrence, sister, Evelyn Elsa Bulloch (survived by husband Rev. Donald) Knight, brother, Roy (Rhoda) Lawrence, Jr., brother, Sydney (Joyce) Lawrence, brother, Billy Ray Bulloch, sister, Sylvia Bulloch (Karl) Grumbach, biological parents, Rev. Frank and Maudena Bulloch, and stepmother, Lanelle Bulloch.

Martha lived most of her adult life in the Atlanta, Georgia area, where she was the church secretary at DeKalb United Pentecostal Church for 30 years. Her talents were many and she was well known far and wide for the thousands of beautiful cards mailed across the nation filled with stickers, funny sayings, personalized messages, and notes of encouragement. Her annual Christmas letter was one of the most anticipated pieces of mail for the many of her family and friends fortunate enough to be on that mailing list. Martha also loved to travel and be with family and friends, especially her gorgeous little granddaughter, Reagan. Wherever Martha was there was sure to be lots of laughter, bedazzled and bejeweled sunglasses, and butterflies. Always gorgeous butterflies.

Two Celebration of Life services will be held. The first memorial will be held on Saturday morning December 11, 2021 at 11:00 am at DeKalb United Pentecostal Church, [1670 Juliette Rd, Stone Mountain, GA 30083](#), Rev. Myron Wideman, Sr., Rev. Myron Wideman, Jr., Rev. Luke Camlic, and Bishop Donald L. Knight officiating. A viewing and memorial service will be held on Sunday afternoon at 3:00 pm at First Pentecostal Church, 14532 LA-21, Bogalusa, LA 70427, Rev. Travis Houston officiating. Interment will follow in the Sanctuary of Peace Mausoleum at Ponemah Cemetery in Bogalusa, LA. Bereavement services provided by Poole-Ritchie Funeral Home, Bogalusa, LA.

In lieu of flowers to either location, donations may be made at [Martha Floyd's Memorial Website on Ever Loved](#).

Our hope and joy rests in the knowledge that we will meet our sweet Martha again on that Heavenly Shore!

**ORDER OF SERVICE**

Saturday, December 11, 2021, 11:00 AM  
DEKALB UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH  
1670 Juliette Road, Stone Mountain, GA

Musical Prelude

Processional ..... Officiants and Family

Opening Prayer ..... Rev. Myron Wideman, Jr.

Old Testament Reading ..... Derrick Barnett

New Testament Reading ..... Rev. Jason Hagwood

Selection ..... Rev. Luke Camlic

Remarks (3 minutes please) ..... Melinda Lunsford, Jeremy Floyd

Obituary Reading ..... Rev. Luke Camlic

Memorial Slide Presentation ..... “Scars In Heaven” (Casting Crowns)  
“Jealous Of The Angels” (Donna Taggart)

Selection ..... Tristan Blackwood

Message ..... Pastor Myron Wideman, Sr.

Closing Prayer ..... Bishop Donald L. Knight

Recessional

**Honorary Pallbearers**

Jeremy Floyd  
Landon Hagwood  
Levi Roe  
Michael Lunsford  
Rev. Myron Wideman, Jr.  
Tristan Blackwood

On Sunday morning, December 5, 2021, Associate Pastor Myron Wideman, Jr. of DeKalb United Pentecostal Church, preached an amazing tribute sermon about Martha. We invite you to go to this link and listen to it. You will be blessed, uplifted, encouraged, moved to tears, and inspired by this beautiful tribute to Sis. Martha. <https://youtu.be/ih7U8ZLxWd0>

[www.dekalbupc.org](http://www.dekalbupc.org)

Video Archives: 12/5/21 Sunday Morning Service / Associate Pastor Myron Wideman, Jr.

“Now She Flies with Butterflies” (Butterflies for Georgia family and friends provided by David and Melanee McGee)

**ORDER OF SERVICE**

Sunday, December 12, 2021, 3:00 PM  
FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH  
14532 LA-21, Bogalusa, LA

Musical Prelude

Processional ..... Officiants and Family

Selection ..... Geron Davis, Shelton and Alyson Lovern

Obituary Reading ..... David Wilson

Memorial Slide Presentation ..... “Scars In Heaven” (Casting Crowns)  
.. “Jealous Of The Angels” (Donna Taggart)

Selection ..... Geron Davis, Shelton and Alyson Lovern

Message ..... Pastor Travis Houston

Closing Prayer and Recessional

**Pallbearers**

Jeremy Floyd  
Ethan Lawrence  
Jimmy Nguyen  
Michael Baughman  
Red Lasyone  
Russell Lasyone  
Stacey Lawrence

Interment follows in the Sanctuary of Peace Mausoleum at Ponemah Cemetery in Bogalusa, LA.

Bereavement Services provided by Poole-Ritchie Funeral Home, Bogalusa, LA.

*“Now She Flies with Butterflies”* (Butterflies for Louisiana family and friends provided by David and Chasity Wilson)

*“Hello! Oh Cat Hair, I’m either too busy or just too lazy to take your call right now, but....”*  
(Martha’s voice mail message.)

Panel Question: “What inspires you to get out of bed in the morning?”  
Martha: “Well, my bladder, mostly.”

I asked Momma when she was going to be moving to the apartment near Aunt Tricia.  
Her reply? “I don’t know. They won’t die quick enough for me to get there.”  
(*We have laughed about that over-and-over-and-over. SO Momma!*  
*Alisha*)

Mom kept insisting that I buy her a gun and teach her how to use it. So, I bought the gun and arranged to take her to a range for safety lessons and target practice. She patiently waited until I was ready for her to take a shot.

She aimed and fired, then promptly burst into tears. She had shot a piece of paper that was in the shape of a man and it suddenly broke her heart. I don’t think she ever picked that gun up again.  
(*Typical Mom: Just SO tender-hearted! Jeremy*)

*My precious Martha,*

*When God sent you to be my sister, He sent the very best! We were always there for each other in the good times and the sad times. I knew I could count on you!*

*You were always fun, smart, caring and loving! I will treasure the many cards from you with the sweet words of love tucked inside! I knew you loved your sister! The little stickers made me smile, because that was you!*

*I loved you dearly for almost 72 years and can’t imagine life without you! Not “Goodbye”, but “Farewell” my sweet sister, because I will see you again at that great reunion in the sky!*

*Your sister,  
Patricia*