

As beautiful as a rose to see,
Was her life she lived
so *Gracefully*
She made things
precious by her *touch,*
Her selfless love lives on in each of us.
The petals of her life fell one by one,
Each a *gift of her heart*
Yet her radiance blooms once again
In *Fields of Glory*
with no end.



ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family gratefully acknowledges with sincere appreciation, the many comforting expressions of sympathy shown by each of you. Your prayers, visits, cards, online messages, and understanding during our hours of bereavement, meant so much to us. Again, thank you and continue to keep us in your prayers.



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CELEBRATING
**THE LIFE, THE LOVE
AND LEGACY OF**



"Jackie"

JACQUELINE
CARROLL *Carroll*

NOVEMBER 11, 1978 - MAY 5, 2025

Friday, May 16, 2025 | 1:00 p.m.
Holy Ghost Cathedral
812 E. James Street Mt. Olive, North Carolina 28365

*"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."
II Timothy 4:7*

The Order of Service

Elder Satina Swain, Presiding

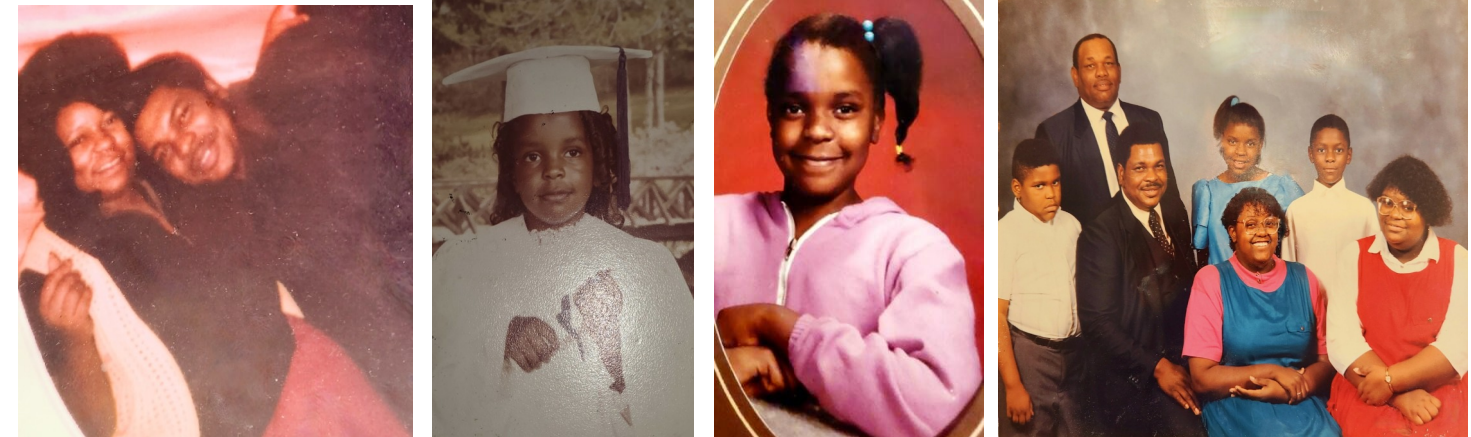
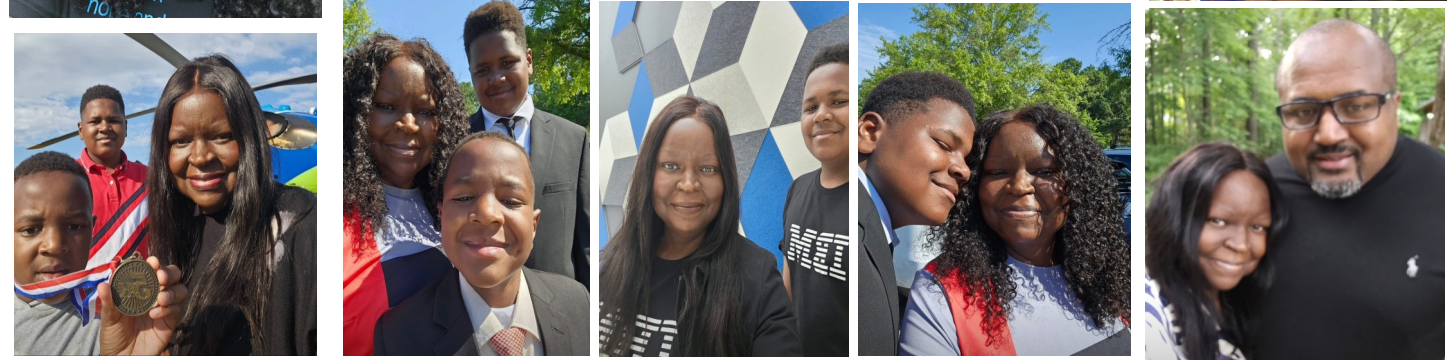
- Prelude
- Family Processional
- Selection.....HGC Choir
- Scripture Readings:
 Old and New Testament.....Elder Margaret Thomas
- Prayer of Comfort.....Minister Kristie Wells
- Selection.....HGC Choir
- Reflections: (Please limit to 2 minutes)
- Solo.....Sister Felicia Tate
- Acknowledgements/Reading of Obituary.....Sister Carrie Kornegay
- Selection.....HGC Choir
- Eulogy.....Apostle Reginald Grimes
- Funeral Director’s Brief
- Recessional & Final Viewing



INTERMENT
Riverview Memorial Park Cemetery
Watha, North Carolina

*A repast for family and friends will follow the interment
at Holy Ghost Cathedral dining hall.*





Jacqueline Cromity

November 21, 1978 - May 5, 2025

Jacqueline Cromity, affectionately known as Jackie, a remarkable woman whose life was a testament to strength, faith, and unwavering determination, transitioned to her heavenly home on Monday, May 5, 2025. Born on November 21, 1978, Jackie fought a courageous battle against cancer for nearly 14 years, always holding steadfast to her faith in Jesus Christ.

Jackie came from humble beginnings, in Watha, North Carolina where she was raised alongside her five brothers and sisters. After losing her mother to cancer at an early age, her father nobly took on the role of a single parent, providing a loving and supportive environment for Jackie and her siblings. Raised in the church, Jackie received her spiritual foundation from Holy Ghost Cathedral in Mt. Olive, under the leadership of Reverend Preston and Jessie May Grimes. Despite facing numerous challenges while in school, Jackie persevered and thrived in her postgraduate studies, embodying the belief that your beginnings do not define your future. She obtained her Bachelor of Computer Science at Winston-Salem State University and her Master of Business Administration from North Carolina State University. Her life was a true testament to the power of faith and resilience, demonstrating that with God, all things are possible.

Jackie's leadership skills and spiritual journey were profoundly strengthened in an uncommon place, Rochester, Minnesota. It was there that her professional career began at IBM, where she quickly rose through the ranks due to her exceptional talent and dedication. From a software engineer to a technical pre-sales operations manager, Jackie earned accolades such as the Rising Star award at the Women of Color Conference and a patent for her innovative work. Outside of her demanding work schedule, Jackie founded the Women with One Accord Ministry, through which she mentored many young women, guiding them with wisdom and compassion. Her faith continued to be a cornerstone of her life as she served as a member of Shiloh Temple International Ministries in Minneapolis, Minnesota under the leadership of Bishop Richard D. Howell. Upon relocating to the Raleigh, North Carolina area, she joined the Upper Room Church of God in Christ, under Bishop Patrick L. Wooden Sr. where she continued to be an active and devoted member until her passing.

Jackie's professional journey was nothing short of extraordinary. An entrepreneur and tech management professional, she spent over 20 years overseeing global teams, traveling internationally, and successfully leading multi-million-dollar development programs and services. After leaving IBM, Jackie's expertise and leadership continued to shine at Cisco, where she served as a senior leader, overseeing an international team. Jackie's dedication extended beyond her professional and entrepreneurial endeavors. She served as a project manager for the Technology Conference sponsored by Life for Africa, a strategic board member at the Raleigh Rescue Mission, and a board director for First Bank in the Raleigh Triangle area. She also founded Genuine Self Images (GSI), a 501(c)(3) organization empowering teen girls and young women. She was a profound motivational speaker and was known for her authenticity and inspiration, drawing from her real-life experiences to uplift and motivate others.

Her personal journey with cancer inspired her to launch Survivor Friendly®, a boutique dedicated to providing durable medical equipment and support to breast cancer survivors. This endeavor has now grown into eight successful locations throughout North Carolina, including affiliations with Duke Cancer Institute and Novant Health. She also founded the Survivor Friendly Foundation which provides free services, products, and essentials to women battling cancer. Her organization has distributed thousands of care bags to women over the years. Jackie was not only a distributor of products, she was an advocate, working to influence policies to benefit patients. She was consulted on the Lymphedema Treatment Act, a federal law passed in 2022. This act aims to ensure patients have better access to essential compression garments and supplies. Jackie's heart desire was to educate the public, so women do not suffer in silence while they battle this disease. Jackie leaves behind a legacy of love and resilience.

Jackie is survived by her loving husband and high school sweetheart, Kelvin Cromity, Sr., her sons Kelvin Jr. and Isaiah, her sisters Melissa and Teresa, her brothers Johnny, Jeffrey, and Jonathan, four aunts: Evelyn Everett who helped in her rearing, Annie C., Joyce, and Annie L., one uncle, James, her mother-in-law Mary Cromity, eight brothers-in-law, seven sisters-in-law, and a host of nieces, nephews, family, friends, co-workers, and loved ones. She was preceded in death by her parents, Reverend John and Dorothy Mae Carroll.

Jackie's life was a beacon of hope and faith, demonstrating that with strength and belief in God, one can overcome the greatest of adversities. She lived by the scripture in *Philippians 4:13*, "I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me." Jackie was a true worshipper at heart; her memory will forever be cherished by all who knew and loved her.

