



## Delores Loretta Martin (SOUTHEAST)

February 10, 1944 - December 11, 2024

Delores Loretta (Tinsley) Martin, 80, of Louisville, passed away peacefully in her sleep on

Wednesday, December 11, 2024. Affectionally known to family and close friends as “Pete,”

Delores was a long time resident of the Crescent Hill/Clifton Heights neighborhood and was a

member of Clay Street Baptist Church in Shelbyville, Kentucky.

Born on February 10, 1944 in Shelbyville to the late Robert and Mamie (Henderson) Tinsley,

Delores was one of 11 sisters and brothers and attended the Lincoln Institute of Simpsonville,

Kentucky. In addition to being a loving wife, mother, sister and friend, she was a fun-loving,

wonderful and extraordinary person who enjoyed helping family, friends and neighbors in any

capacity needed. She also loved dancing, music and championing her children.

Delores is survived by her devoted husband of 56 years, Donald Lee Martin, and two loving

sons, Darnell Wayne Martin of Louisville and Dexter Lee Martin of Chicago.

She is also survived

by siblings MaryAnn Moore, Wanda Burley, Rena Stone, Sue Yocum, Nellie

Ellis, all of  
Shelbyville, and Charlene Moore of Texarkana, Texas along with a host of  
cousins, nieces and  
nephews. She is preceded in death by brothers, Robert Jr., Raymond Lee and  
William (Sonny)  
Tinsley along with sister Maxine Triplett.

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Cemetery

North 7th Street  
Shelbyville, KY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 19. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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