



Mrs. Julia Benford

June 17, 1933 - April 17, 2020

Mrs. Julia Mae Wright Benford, wife of Reverend D.N. Benford, Sr., pastor of Rising Star Missionary Baptist Church, passed away on Thursday of last week at her home with her family. She was a 61-year member of Rising Star Missionary Baptist Church. She was also a longtime educator, retiring from the Galveston Independent School District. She is now resting.

Reverend D.N. Benford, Sr. will deliver the eulogy.

Cemetery Details

Rising Star Cemetery

LaMarque, TX 77568

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Rising Star Missionary Baptist Church
302 N. Oak Street
Texas City, TX 77591

Visitation

APR **25**. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Julia Benford*

October 05, 2023 at 01:51 AM



“ *Marshall High School Angleton, Texas Class of 1964 purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Julia Benford.*



Marshall High School Angleton, Texas Class of 1964 - April 26, 2020 at 02:20 PM



“ *Mrs. Benford was my 4th grade teacher in the 70's and I will fondly remember her. Mrs Benford taught us students with a delicate balance of firmness, fairness and loving care. Her pictures are lovely, thank you for sharing. May God comfort and strengthen her beautiful family & friends for He is faithful.*

Daphne Royal - April 25, 2020 at 12:22 AM



“ *To the Family of Mrs. Julia May Wright Benford: May you all have peace and comfort at this time. May God continue to bless you all.*

From: Mrs. Yvonne Wright Newsome and Family

Yvonne Wright Newsome - April 24, 2020 at 09:21 PM

VH

“ I was twelve years old when I met Mrs. Julia M. Wright Benford. That was over sixty years ago, and I can still vaguely remember that Sunday, which was the day that she was introduced to Rising Star. I was so impressed because she was a teacher, singer, and musician. Through the years, as I grew into womanhood I can remember talks we had. Of course, as a "woman" I did not always heed her advise, but in retrospect I realize that I should have.

I can remember times when she called and asked me to come over so that we could develop a program for the Mission Chorus, Men and Women's Day, Texas-Louisiana Day, etc. We would sit at the dining room table and talk more than we developed.

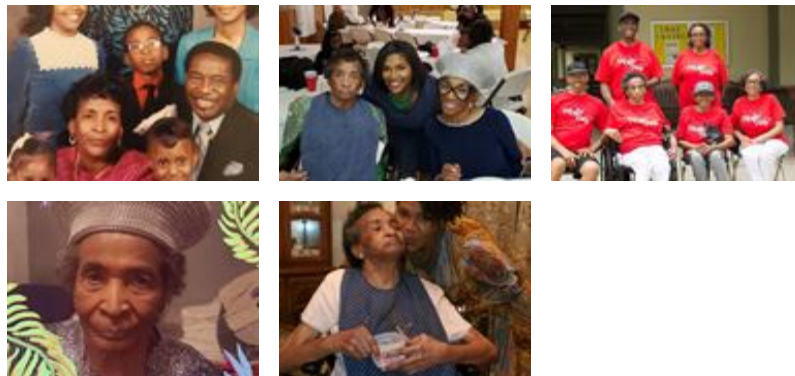
Mrs. Benford also encouraged (or pushed) me when I decided that I was going to earn that B.S, M.A. and PhD. Before I went away to graduate school, she had to check each of my grade reports to insure that I excelling. That you Julia Benford !!!!

To Michelle, Yolanda, Toni, and Thomas, thanks for sharing your mom. With Sympathy, prayers, and love---Jean

Verna Jean Henson - April 24, 2020 at 07:01 PM



“ 261 files added to the album LifeTributes



McBride Funeral Home - April 24, 2020 at 02:52 PM

LH

“ We deeply share in your sorrow in the lost of your loved one.

*Ms. Lillian Hill
Dr. & Mrs. Milton Hward*

Lillian Hill & Dr. & Mrs. Milton Howard - April 24, 2020 at 02:29 PM

RS

“ My Heartfelt Condolences to the Benford Family 🕊
From
Reverend James Britton and Family



Rev. James Britton Sr. - April 24, 2020 at 01:24 AM

CF

“ Our Sincere and Heartfelt Condolences to the Benford Family 🕊📄
From
Clarence and Marilyn Franklin and Family



Clarence Franklin - April 24, 2020 at 01:19 AM

SA

“ Sharyl Harper Allen lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Julia Benford



Sharyl Harper Allen - April 23, 2020 at 06:21 PM

SA

Prayers and love to the Benford family in memory of Mrs. Julia Benford, a woman of grace, kindness, and sincere words of wisdom.

Sharyl Harper Allen

Sharyl Harper Allen - April 23, 2020 at 06:27 PM

CS

PRAYERS FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

Cynthia Spells - April 24, 2020 at 09:55 AM

CE

“ *Our God pours His love into our hearts to flow out to other's lives. Julia showed her love in so many ways. She was a big sister and a wonderful friend. She was also, an outstanding mentor for many teachers in the education system.*

*She will be truly missed,
Carolyn and Robert Edwards*

Carolyn Edwards - April 23, 2020 at 04:02 PM

CA

“ *Mr.and Mrs Carl & Terry Amey ,May Your Family Have Peace,Love .Strength.*



Carl Amey - April 23, 2020 at 02:36 PM

DJ

Our prayers are with you and your family Dr. Benford Dorthea and Joseph Pointer and family.

Dorthea Jones - April 23, 2020 at 06:58 PM

TV

“ *The Palmore Family Hannah, Doris, & La V lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Julia Benford*



The Palmore Family Hannah, Doris, & La V - April 19, 2020 at 09:25 PM

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She had a voice like an Angel

The Palmore Family Hannah, Doris, & La V - April 19, 2020 at 09:27 PM

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An angel from heaven graced this earth in Sis. Julia Benford. She was a gifted musician and song bird. Greater True Faith MBC was blessed to have fellowshipped with she and Rising Star MBC. Sending the Benford Family prayers, condolences and our love. Rev. Reginald and Alane Lillie

Reginald and Alane Lillie - April 22, 2020 at 08:59 PM