

*Celebrating The Life Of  
Michelle "Shirley" Douglas*



Sunrise April 2, 1943  
Sunset March 17, 2022

"Earth has no sorrow, that heaven cannot heal"



## Michelle A. “Shirley” Douglas, 78

EAST LIVERPOOL - Michelle A. “Shirley” Douglas, of East Liverpool, passed away Thursday, March 17, 2022, at Trinity West Hospital following a lengthy illness. She was 78.

Born in East Liverpool, April 2, 1943, she was a daughter of the late Oliver W. and Betty Wright Hughes. She had worked at Parsons Coal, Riverview Greenhouse and was a daycare teacher at the Community Resource Center. She was a longtime member of the Second Baptist Church where she enjoyed singing in the choir. A true patriot, she supported the Wounded Warrior Project and the American Red Cross. She also supported the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John Kenneth Douglas, on December 3, 1992. The couple married January 18, 1962.

She is survived by two sons, John K. Douglas II and Mark A. Douglas and his wife, Pimlapat “Tah”, both of East Liverpool, and two daughters, Michelle A. Walker of Lexington, Kentucky, and Kathy Scharf of Weirton, and, as well as 15 grandchildren: Steven, Iesha, Larry, Shawn, Arica, John III, Marc, Malika, Mark II, Santana, Douglas, Brandon, Tara, DeMar, and Ashley, and 23 great-grandchildren. She also is survived by a sister, Mary Skidmore, and a brother, Wayne Hughes both of East Liverpool, as well as many nieces and nephews whom she loved.



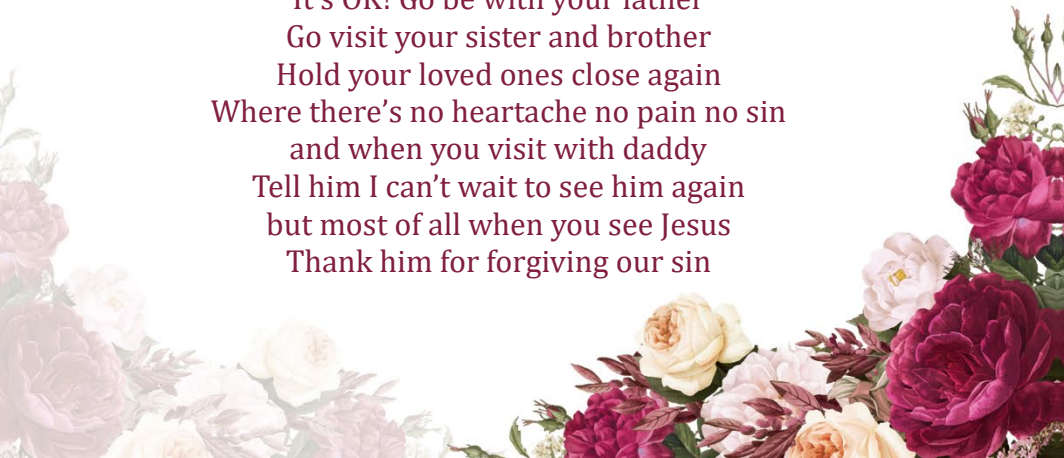
# It's OK!

*Adapted from Stephen Perry*

It's OK to leave us  
We know you'd done your best  
You'd worked so hard for us down here  
Now it's time for you to rest  
Your loved one's gone on before you  
Could hardly wait for you to show  
and though we'll miss you so greatly  
It's ok for you to go

It's OK! It's OK!  
You'd been fighting this for so long  
Now it's OK!  
If we could have made a choice  
We'd of loved for you to stay  
But the Father has called you home now  
and it's OK! It's OK!

It's OK! Go be with your father  
Go visit your sister and brother  
Hold your loved ones close again  
Where there's no heartache no pain no sin  
and when you visit with daddy  
Tell him I can't wait to see him again  
but most of all when you see Jesus  
Thank him for forgiving our sin






# Order of Service

- Officiating ..... Pastor Patricia Williams
- Prayer of Comfort ..... Evangelist Rico Brown
- Old & New Testament Readings ..... Pastor Patricia Williams
- Selection – “I’m Free” ..... Song by Pastor Milton Brunson
- Reading of Obituary ..... Pastor Patricia Williams
- Slideshow accompanied by Selection ..... “Grandma’s Hands”  
song by Bill Withers
- Words of Comfort ..... Evangelist Rico Brown
- Reflections From a Son ..... Mark Douglas
- “It’s OK!” ..... Read by Evangelist Rico Brown

## Acknowledgement



The Family of Michelle “Shirley” Douglas would like to thank everyone for your prayers, love, support and acts of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement.