

*Pallbearers*  
Family and Friends

*Acknowledgement*

*The family would like to thank everyone for your prayers and condolences. We sincerely appreciate the acts of kindness during this time of bereavement. May God bless, and be kind to one another.*

**“Don’t Cry for Me”**

Don’t cry for me, I will be okay.  
Heaven is my home now, and this is where I’ll stay.

Don’t cry for me. I’m where I belong.  
I want you to be happy and try to stay strong.

Don’t cry for me. It was just my time.  
But I will see you someday on the other side.

Don’t cry for me. I am not alone.  
The angels are with me, to welcome me home.

Don’t cry for me for I have no fear.  
All my pain is gone, and Jesus took my tears.

Don’t cry for me. This is not the end.  
I’ll be waiting here for you, when we meet again.

~ Deborah Garcia Gaitan ~

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CELEBRATING THE  
*Homegoing Of*



*Dolores Marie McDew*

SUNRISE; February 1, 1944

SUNSET: July 21, 2022

Friday, July 29, 2022  
11:00 a.m.

New Progressive Cathedral Church of God in Christ  
384 Chili Avenue  
Rochester, New York

Elder Gary Sprewell, Senior Pastor

Officiating  
Elder Perkins

## *Life Reflections*

Delores Marie McDew was born February 1, 1944 in Gifford, Florida. Her parents were Sam Walter and Annie Marie Wise Sharp. She graduated from Gifford High School with the Class of 1961.

She moved to Rochester, New York in 1965 to seek medical help for her youngest son, Ozell Jr. (who preceded her in death). She later received her nursing degree from Monroe Community College. Soon after, she became a member of the Chi Eta Phi Sorority.

New Progressive Cathedral Church of God in Christ was her place of worship. She was a proud member of this family of God. They loved her dearly, and she loved them in return.

She was a vivacious, phenomenal and strong matriarch to her family. She loved fishing, traveling, taking cruises, and playing a good game of spades or scrabble.

Delores celebrated 60 plus years of marriage to her devoted husband, "MACK". If she wasn't with him, you could find her with her best friend of 50 plus years, Beverly Johnson.

Delores went to be with the Lord on July 21, 2022. Preceded in death by: her parents, Sam Walter and Annie Marie Wise Sharp, a son, Ozell McDew Jr. and a daughter, Thenetta Faye McDew, she will be remembered by a wealth of people, especially her loving family, who include: her husband, Ozell McDew; her son, Alvin Duane McDew; grandson, Alvin McDew; granddaughters, Jennifer Belcher (Mary Belcher) and Delores Marie McDew II; sisters, Annie Grace Sharp Foster and Goldie Lester; great-niece, Goldie (Lance) Moore, and a host of generations of family members, church family, and friends.

## *Order of Service*

Processional Prayer . . . . .	Elder Perkins
Reading of Resolution . . . . .	Delores McDew II
Old and New Testament Readings . . . . .	Deacon Moore
Solo . . . . .	Sister Slack
Tributes . . . . . (2 minutes, please)	Family and Friends
Solo . . . . .	Sister Perkins
Eulogy . . . . .	Elder Perkins
Recession . . . . .	Metropolitan Staff

### *Interment*

Riverside Cemetery  
2650 Lake Avenue  
Rochester NY 14612

### *Repast*

2:00 p.m.  
United Methodist Church  
2009 Dewey Avenue  
Rochester, New York

