



## Ms. Ella Mae Mangum

March 5, 1943 - July 4, 2021

Evangelist Ella Mae Mangum was born on March 5, 1943 in Brandon, Mississippi to Robert Lee Durr, Sr. and Minnie B. Walker- Durr, who preceded her in death. She also was preceded in death by four sisters: Annie M. Smith; Minnie L. Palmer; Mamie L. Davis; Louise Hawthorne; and five brothers; Jerry L. Durr, Sr, Michael Dantzler; Robert L. Durr, Jr.; Willie McLaurin; Earnest L. Durr, Sr.; and Samuel L. Durr, Sr.

She grew up and attended school in Brandon, Mississippi. She lived in Laurel, Mississippi and then Chicago, Illinois for many years before returning back to Brandon, Mississippi. Since returning, she served faithfully at Saint Hill Church of God in Christ (COGIC) and later Harvest Celebration Church of God in Christ (COGIC) as an Evangelist. Her ministry includes Woman to Woman and The Women's Prison Ministry.

She worked many years as a caregiver. Lastly, a school bus monitor for Rankin County School District. She enjoyed baking 'Ella's Creations. Most known for her delicious signature cream cheese pound cake. She also was a wonderful cook.

She leaves to cherish her memories: a son, Charles Edward Durr of Brandon, Mississippi; three sisters: Clara M. Calhoun of Jackson, MS; Susie (Ardean) Jones; Maybell Taylor; a sister in law Aresia Durr all of Brandon, Mississippi;

one brother David L. Durr, Sr. of Gary Indiana.

Ms. Ella Mangum also leaves to cherish her memories, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **9**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

"Lovie" Dean Memorial Chapel  
745 Hwy 468  
Brandon, MS 39042

## Graveside Service

JUL **10**. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Hill COGIC Cemetery  
Brandon, MS

# Tribute Wall

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“ Renee Durr lit a candle in memory of Ms. Ella Mae Mangum



Renee Durr - July 13, 2021 at 11:16 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Memorial Video



Dean Memorial Funeral Home - July 10, 2021 at 12:27 PM

MT

“ Charles I am so sorry for the loss of your mom, she loved you very much and did all she could for you. She and I worked together for a while, a loving Christian lady that I loved very much. Keep your hands in Gods hands. God bless you. Mary Tillman the Cake Lady.

Mary Tillman - July 09, 2021 at 01:34 PM

LJ

“ Aunt Ella Mae, impacted many lives, and worked hard to support family and friends through many difficulties. We love you and will miss you dearly. ❤️🕊️❤️



Linda Durr Jones - July 07, 2021 at 11:27 PM

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“ Charles I am so so sorry for the huge loss that u have encountered this week in the death of your Mom. She loved you so much and wanted the best for you. Ella (Mamma Ella as I called her) was so special to me in so many ways. The great care that she gave to my parents and grandparents will never be forgotten. After their deaths she still had a special place in my heart. I would always talk to her at least two times a month. She was part of my family and I loved her so much. My prayers are with you and the entire family. Shirley Walker



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**Shirley Walker** - July 07, 2021 at 07:53 PM

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“ Thank you for everything!! Every prayer with our family on those Sunday mornings when we didn't even think we needed them. You never gave up on us! True woman of God! You helped me make one of the most important decisions I've ever made in life and for that I'm grateful. Glad i was able to let you know. You will be missed 🕊️



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**Tamoria Harvey (Mrs Dena)** - July 06, 2021 at 04:36 PM