



# Arverta Mosley

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**A**rverta Frazier-Mosley (106), also known as “Time” or “Easter” was the firstborn of 13 children to the union of Mary and Harrison Frazier, Sr. She was born on Easter Sunday, April 7, 1912 and departed this earthly life on June 4, 2018. She grew up in the Boykins Settlement Community in Angelina County, Texas. Arverta was studious and after completing public school at Vernon County Line School; she soon graduated from Prairie View A&M University with a Bachelor of Science in Home Economics at the age of 17. Arverta completed her graduate studies at Prairie View A&M and Texas Technical University. Her love for people and teaching led to educational careers in Jasper County and Jamestown High Schools; and as a dietician at Carver High School and in Goose Creek and Harris County, Texas.

Arverta Mosley joined the Texas Extension Service in Smith County, Tyler, Texas in 1943. In 1944, she was appointed the first county home demonstration agent for the black community in Polk County. Her professional work spanned a wide spectrum of home and family services, and they encompassed a variety of individual and group activities such as 4-H and Girl Scouts. In 1971, Arverta was appointed the County Home Demonstration Agent for the entire county. Mrs. Mosley has received the National Distinguished Service Award from the National Association of Extension Home Economists. She was honored and listed in the 1974-75 “Who’s Who of American Women.” She was a member of the Exxon Annuitant Club, very active in her community serving on several Boards of Directors. Mrs. Mosley accepted Jesus as her personal savior at a young age. She was an active member of Livingston Church of God in Christ. As a faithful member she held various positions such as Secretary, Sunday School Teacher, Bible Band Teacher, Treasurer, and Mother of the Church.

Arverta married Melvin James Mosley of Baytown, Texas in 1946. They made their home in Baytown but set roots in Livingston, Texas where both retired. Arverta was preceded in death by her husband after 37 years of marriage, her parents, and 11 siblings. At the time of her passing, she



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was living with her sister, Rose Corder of Lufkin, TX. Mrs. Mosley's legacy of love touched lives as daughter, wife, sister, aunt, co-worker, friend, and mom and grandma to many.

Funeral services: Saturday, June 9, 2018 @ 11:00am at First Missionary Baptist Church, 410 Scarbrough St., Lufkin, TX 75904.

Time of remembrance (Wake) is Friday, June 8th, at Colonial Mortuary, 1600 Sayers St., Lufkin, TX from 5:00 – 7:00pm.



# Tribute Wall

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**Antionette Corder** posted:

🕊️ A VERY STRONG BEAUTIFUL SOUL WHO WHEN LEADING IN PRAYING HAD POWERFUL UNEXPLAINABLE SPIRITUAL MOVEMENTS WHEN SHARING PRAYERS 🕊️ .... NOW TODAY HER SISTER 🕊️ ROSE M.CORDER 🕊️ THE LAST OUT OF 13 BEAUTIFUL LADIES HAS TRANSITIONED ALONG WITH HER/THEM ALL 🕊️🕊️🕊️🕊️🕊️🕊️🕊️🕊️ LOVE INFINITY GREAT NIECE AND GREAT GRAND DAUGHTER MRS.ANTIONETTE G.CORDER AND FAMILY MR.GREGORY L.CORDER II ,GREGORY L.CORDER III, AR'MON L.CORDER

January 19 at 6:27 PM



**Nancy M. Simmons Allen** posted:

Mother Mosley opened her heart and arms to me as a new member @ Livingston C.O.G.I.C. and became fast friends with my mother when they met. She was the essence of the Proverb 31 woman. I shall always remember this charming saint ./Nancy M. Simmons Allen

June 8 at 10:26 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Mosley family.



June 7 at 9:11 AM



**Mary Joyce Davis** posted:

My love and condolences goes out to Mrs. Mosley lovely family and friends. I enjoyed so much visiting with Mrs. Arverta Mosley in person or by phone over the years. I am pleased that I was able to interview her in March of 2005 and contribute a Biographical sketch of her for the Notable Women Polk County Texas Publication (AAUW) American Association of University Women of Polk County, Texas: page 151-152. She also was a frequent guest on my Radio show over the years. We learned so much from her. She always thanked me for thinking about her.

June 6 at 9:59 AM



**The Gipson Family** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Mosley family.



June 6 at 5:18 AM



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**Rosalind** posted:

To the Family of Mrs. Arverta Mosley, I send my sincere and deepest condolences to each of you. As a young lady growing up in Livingston and having the opportunity of knowing Sis. Mosley was an honor and a privilege. She was very influential in helping me to raise my small children and giving me biblical insight even in my everyday life. I had the opportunity to go to her home on many occasions and whenever you entered her home she was offering you hospitality and you always wanted to come again. Things that I learned from her, will always be treasured. I pray God will strengthen each of you during this time of Bereavement. Heaven has definitely gained a Beautiful Angel. Love you Ms. Rosemary. Love Rev. & Sis. Douglas R. Wright

June 5 at 5:10 PM

RJ

**Robert Long, Jr** June 11 at 9:10 AM

To the Family of Mrs. Alverta Mosley (Cousin Time), I Robert L. Long, Jr. (Huck-a-Buck) send my sincere, deepest sympathy, condolences to the family, and friends. Cousin Time was one of the sweetest, smartest/intelligent, and pretest individuals a person could meet. I was fortunate enough, that I got to spend a lot of time with her mother Cousin Mary (Budd) staying with her when the grandson/nephew would go on weekend/summer vacations to his dad. So I got the opportunity to go stay with Cousin Mary during those periods. In doing so I got to be a part of the family during those stays with Cousin Time's mom. Cousin Budd made the best T-cakes in the world. She would put crispy crème out of business...smile. I have so many memories I could share, even when we moved to Livingston in 1969, that was when we really got to know Cousin Time, and her husband Mr. Bud Mosley. What a team. Cousin Time was a little taller than her mom but reminded me so much of her a lot. May God Bless. Love Always,Huck-a Buck (509)539-8021



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