



*Homegoing Celebration  
Remembering the Life of  
Mrs. Ferri W. Roché*

*Alpha  
March 5, 1936*

*Omega  
April 25, 2023*

*Living Faith Christian Center  
6375 Winbourne Ave.  
Baton Rouge, LA 70805*

*Bishop Raymond W. Johnson,  
Pastor*

*Friday, May 5, 2023  
11:00 a.m.*







## Obituary

*“I shall wear a crown, when it’s all over,  
I will put on my robe and tell the story how I made it over. Soon as I get home.”*

**Jerri W. Roché** was born March 5, 1936, in New Orleans, Louisiana to the late Lee Wilson and Sarah Hall Wilson. She entered her eternal rest on Tuesday, April 25, 2023, at the age of 87 at her home in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. She was a graduate of J.S. Dawson High School.

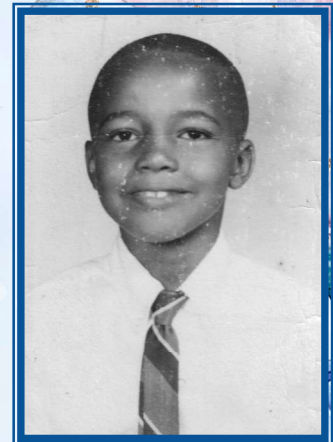
**Sister Roché** was a member of Living Faith Christian Center for 15 years, where she was well loved and respected. She dearly loved her Pastor, Bishop Raymond W. Johnson, and Lady Mildred Johnson. She was a member of the Ministry of HELPS “Jewels & Gents ministries and the Communion Maintenance Ministries” until her health began to fail. Her many certificates and accomplishments included: Louisiana Hospital Association and Research, Education and Foundation Certificate in Surgical Technology, State of Louisiana Department of Education “Infection Control”, State of Louisiana Board Cosmetic Therapy, Certificate of Completion for Foundations for “Victorious Living” under the leadership of Bishop Raymond W. Johnson and Lady Mildred F. Johnson. Jerri led a dedicated life of service; she worked diligently as an emergency room Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) at Earl K. Long Hospital and Baton Rouge General Hospital. Jerri Roché was a member of the Mu Zeta Graduate Chapter, of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., in Baton Rouge, LA.

**Sister Jerri** also worked with various Home Health agencies for many years where she received awards, including the Achievement Award for Service & Dedication at Positive Care Home Health, Inc. She obtained her Bachelor of Science degree in Social Work in 1999 from Southern University and A&M College, Baton Rouge, LA. Later in life she would embark on another career of service. She became a substitute teacher in the East Baton Rouge Parish School System, where she thoroughly enjoyed helping to motivate and shape the lives and minds of children where she was able to see them flourish to their full potential.

**Jerri Wilson Roche’** leaves to cherish her memories: two daughters, Cacynthia D. Roché of Baton Rouge, LA and Natalynn R. Weddle (Derrick) of Huntsville, AL. She also leaves behind her two grandchildren: Dominique E. Weddle, and Derrick E. Weddle Jr. She is survived by her former husband, Nathaniel E. Roché Jr. and a host of family and friends who will miss seeing her smiling face and snazzy personality.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Victor Roché and Glenn Roché; her father, Lee Wilson; and her mother, Sarah Hall Wilson.

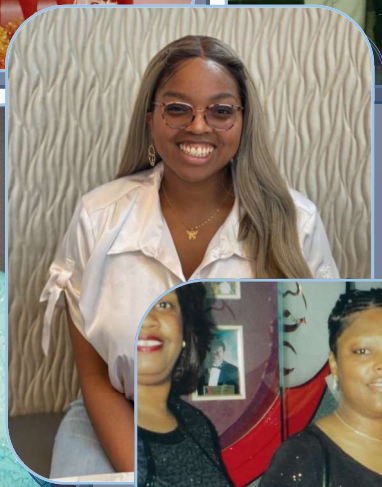










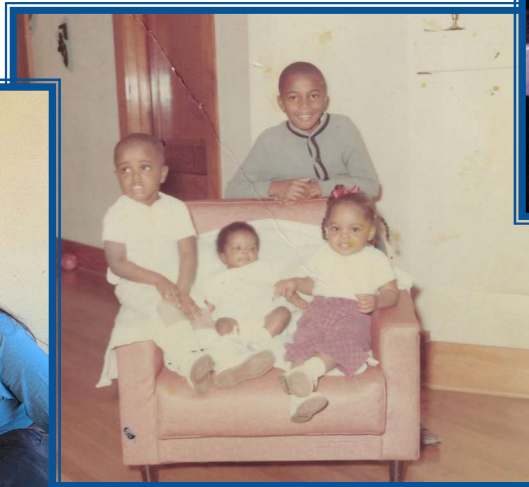
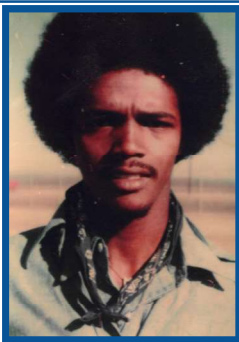




*To My Children from Mama*

*LEAVES OF Gold  
“Remember”*

*Remember me when I am gone away,  
Gone far away into the silent land;  
When you can no more hold me by the hand,  
Nor I half turn to go yet turning stay.  
Remember me when no more, day by day,  
You tell me of our future that you planned:  
Only remember me; you understand  
It will be late to counsel then or pray.  
Yet if you should forget me for a while  
And afterwards remember, do not grieve:  
For if the darkness and corruption leave  
A vestige of the thought that once I had,  
Better by far you should forget and smile  
Than that you should remember and be sad.*







# Order of Service

PRELUDE ..... MUSICIANS

SOFT MUSIC

PROCESSIONAL ..... MINISTER AND FAMILY

## SCRIPTURE READINGS:

OLD TESTAMENT ..... ECCLESIASTES 3: 1-4 .... MINISTER GWENDOLYN GUILLORY

NEW TESTAMENT ..... II CORINTHIANS 5: 1-4..... MINISTER CHARLES GUILLORY

PRAYER ..... MINISTER MARIENETTA WILLIAMS

SELECTION ..... LFCC CHOIR

## EXPRESSIONS (3 MINUTE LIMIT)

DEACONESS ALICE WHITEMORE ..... FAMILY MEMBER

DR. HUGH MCKNIGHT ..... FAMILY FRIEND

DR. VELMA JACKSON ..... CHURCH MEMBER

OBITUARY ..... READ SILENTLY/SOFT MUSIC

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... MINISTER HELEN YOUNGBLOOD

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF MINISTERS ..... PASTOR WILLIAM BATES

SELECTION ..... LFCC CHOIR

WORDS OF COMFORT ..... PASTOR WILLIAM BATES

SELECTION ..... "I SHALL WEAR A CROWN" ..... LFCC CHOIR

EULOGY ..... BISHOP RAYMOND W. JOHNSON

RECESSIONAL



## *Active Pallbearers*

Alfred Buckley  
Antonio Carter  
Leonard Marchand  
Troy Mims

Raymond Nash  
Kelvin Perkins  
John Vallery

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

Woodrow Minor  
Jessie Perkins  
Tyrone Perkins  
James Stewart

John Stewart  
Reggie Stewart  
Derrick E. Weddle, Sr.  
Derrick E. Weddle, Jr.

## *Acknowledgements*

We, the family of our beloved, Sister Jerri, extend heartfelt appreciation for the kindness shown during our time of bereavement. We were uplifted by your prayers, visits, telephone calls, cards, flowers, and other acts of love. We also extend our grateful appreciation to Living Faith Christian Center for all they have done. May God forever richly bless and keep all of you in our prayer.

*~The Family~*

## *Special Thanks To:*

Our Lady of the Lake — RMC Staff  
Dr. Joseph Albergamo  
Dr. Garland Green

Sister Helen Carter  
Sister Faye Williams  
Deaconess Alice Whitmore

## *Services Entrusted To:*

Hall Davis & Son Funeral Service  
9348 Scenic Highway, Baton Rouge, LA 70807

## *Internment*

Winnfield Funeral Homes  
7221 Plank Road, Baton Rouge, LA 70811

## *Repast*

Private Family Repast