



Gershom Liggett Esaias Liggett Uriah Liggett Jason Liggett Darius Liggett Maximus Liggett

## Honorary Pallbearers

Esaias Liggett Jr.

Tyler Therriault



Time 2:30 P.M. Christ Bible Church 7877 South Coles Avenue Chicago, IL 60649



Monday April 15, 2024 Mt. Hope Cemetery 11500 S. Fairfield Avenue Chicago, IL 60655

## Acknowledgements

The family of **Yvonne Liggett** would like to express their sincere appreciation for your cards, phone calls, floral tributes, prayers, and all other expressions of kindness shown during this time. May God bless all of you!

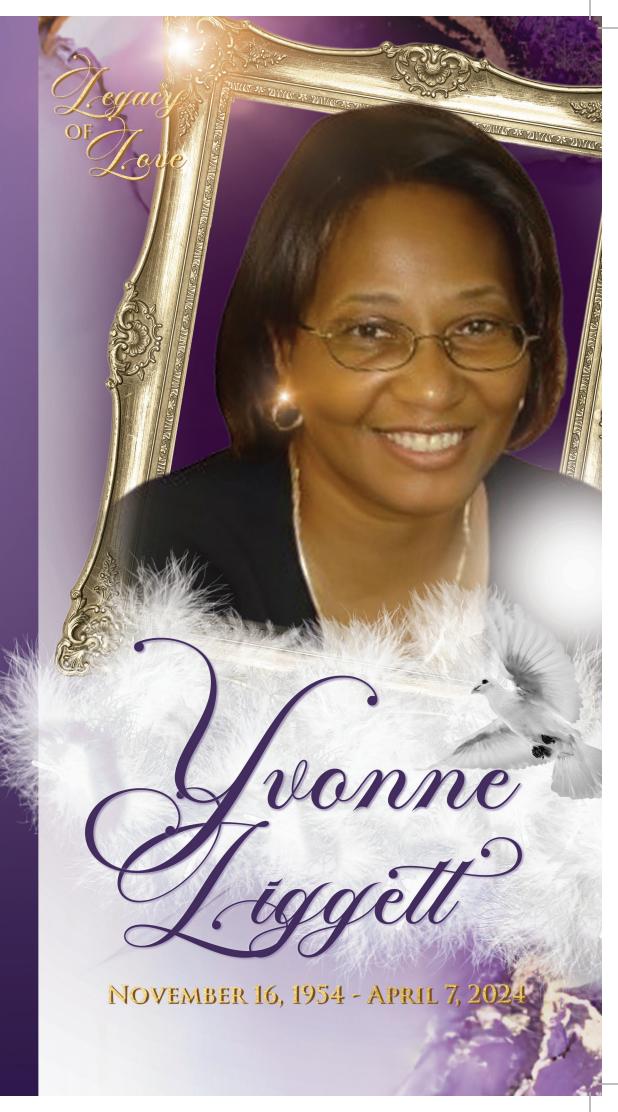
A special thank you to Pastor James Ford Jr. and Christ Bible Church.

Arrangements Entrusted to:

Nations Family, Funeral Home
Lillie Nabors, L.F.D.E.
470 W. 172nd St
Thornton, Illinois 60476
Office/Cell: 708-704-5023

Expect Great Service... and Receive Greater.





Her Story

**Yvonne Liggett**, affectionately known as **"Yonnie,"** was born on November 16, 1954 in Chicago, IL. She was the sixth of fifteen children born from the union of David and Myrtle Mott. At an early age she was baptized and was heavily involved in her father's church, Faith Temple House of God by Christ. She loved music and was an integral part of the church ministry of music, where she enjoyed playing the piano and directing the choir. At this very same church Yvonne met Martin Liggett, who became her soulmate and husband.

After graduating from Simeon Vocational High School, Yvonne attended Chicago State University for two years. She then married and decided to start her family before continuing her education. She went on to earn two degrees from the University of Kentucky in Accounting and Finance. After college Yvonne had a successful career as an auditor for the State of Kentucky for five years. She obtained her Certified Public Accountant (CPA) license while working for the federal government for 17 years, where she subsequently retired.

She was a virtuous woman who loved spending time with family. She attended and hosted numerous family gatherings where she was known for her delicious homemade cooking and baking. She was a talented seamstress, a passionate gardener, a beautiful singer, and an avid walker that earned competitive medals.

Yvonne led by example by being an overall exceptional person, a loving wife, a great mother, and a loyal friend. She was a positive spirit that persevered through obstacles with courage and strength. She had seven beloved children with her husband of 49 years, and to the astonishment of many she earned her collegiate degrees after all seven children were in school.

Yvonne was calm, kind, serene, ambitious, incredibly humble, and always willing to share her wisdom on many things with others. She was unique and cherished by all who were privileged to know her and will be forever missed.

Yvonne is survived by her husband Martin and seven children to cherish her memory: two loving daughters Sari and Tabitha, and five loving sons Gershom (Marina), Jason (Celica), Esaias (Tonisha), Uriah (Aris) and Darius. **Nine grandchildren** [Eli, Dana, Adrian, Kiara, Maximus, Amaya, Esaias Jr, Jeslin & Gershom Jr.], **five great-grandchildren** [Aaliyah, Greyson, Eden, Kehlani and Aubrey], **fourteen siblings** [Two brothers Clinton (Gladys) and Alvin (Stephanie) and three sisters, Mary, Naomi (Greg) and Claridda (Donald), followed by nine that preceded her in death, Dennis, Drusilla, Martin, Leonard, Rashelle, Viola, Charlene, Rachel & Timothy]. Numerous loving in-laws, cousins, nieces, nephews and friends will also miss her dearly.

Mor her price is far above rubies.

Proverbs 31:10

Saturday, April 13, 2024

Visitation: 11:00AM – 12:00PM Service: 12:00PM – 1:00PM

**Christ Bible Church** 

7877 South Coles Avenue Chicago, IL 60649

Elder Martin Liggett, Officiating

Order of Service

**Prelude Music** 

**Emcee** – Gladys Mott

**Prayer** – Pastor Clinton Mott

Scripture Reading - Elder Alvin Mott

**Reading of Obituary** – Sari & Tabitha Liggett

**Grandchildren Tributes** – Dana Adkins & Esaias Liggett Jr.

**Song Selection** 

**Two Minute Remarks** 

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**Eulogy** – Elder Martin Liggett / Pastor James Ford Jr.