

*Celebrating The Life, Memory & Smile Of:
Sandra Mae Bapsed-Langston*

PRIVATE COMMITTAL CEREMONY



SUNRISE: September 5, 1946 – Tucson, Arizona



SUNSET: October 30, 2021 – Union City, California

All Are Invited To The

**Please, Shelter-in-Place, wherever you are.
November 13, 2021, From 10am – 11am PST**

- Private with full military honors-

Selected by: Sandra before passing:

Photo and Poem



*Kiss Me goodbye,
My lips sigh to touch
Your soul, one last time.
Look at me when you
Leave your love
In the void of my lips.*

*Let me live our moments
Of eternity, let it not
Pass with death.*

*Kiss Me goodbye,
I long to hold your breath,
In the softness of my soul.
Your deep kiss,
Your senseless rhythm,
Your irresistible loving eyes,
Your bold voice,
Let me consume it all.*

*Before I feel nothing,
Kiss Me goodbye. by Sufia Khatoon*



A Whisper to Sandra from her husband Louis, after her passing

"Goodbye my beloved, your kiss and love will be forever immortalized in the memory of your smile"

Places Sandra and Louis shared unforgettable times together



Germany, France, Jamaica, Italy, Rome, Hawaii,
Canada, Mexico, Washington, DC

Sandra's most prized accomplishments

"Allowing God: Under the leadership of Bishop J.W. Macklin, to use Sandra as a vessel through which her husband Louis accepted Christ after 17 years of marriage".

Owner Operator: LouSan' Bed and Breakfast, Castro Valley, Ca

Owner Distributor: Scelestine Old-fashioned Teacakes, Safeway Store, Inc

Inspired Coins: George Perry Floyd Foundation Commemorative Coin

<https://drlangstonfoundation.org/>

Church of God In Christ Bishops Commemorative Symbol/Coin

<http://cogicsilverpresidium.us/>



Sandra's favorite Color and Flower



Purple color orchids symbolize royalty and dignity.

Purple orchids show gratitude, admiration, and respect with a touch of class.



- ORDER OF CEREMONY -

- Hum Softly..... Yes, Lord! - Church of God in Christ**
- *Committal Prayers of BlessingsDr. Joseph Eugene Langston
Bertha Ann Langston**
- Confidants' TributeVicki Lynnora Robinson
Lorrie Vaniece Latimer
Terry Eugene Derry**
- Deep Sea Floral Release Dr. Schezarone H. Carter
Vontallio L.Carter
Robert C. Hayes, Sr.
Scelestine Langston - Turner
Eric Loren Langston Holloway
Ebony WatriseDuffy
Vashti LeAnn Hayes**
- Benevolence, Friendship..... Pauline Izzard- Davis
Dr. Doris "Lucki" Allen, Ph.D
Dr. Emma Jean Clark
Doris Isaac Mangrum
Henrietta Izzard- Hutchison
Catherine Anne Izzard**
- *Obituary - Read Silently**
- Duet Sermonic (Goin' Up Yonder)(TFAM) Bishop Dr. Yvette A. Flunder, Presiding Prelate
(Daughter of Bishop Flunder) Nubian Flunder**
- Duet Eulogy.....(GT Senior Pastor) The Right Reverend Bishop Jerry Wayne Macklin
First Lady Missionary Vanessa Macklin**
- * Sea Prayers...(Sandra's husband) Dr. Louis Conway Langston, Doctor of Humanities
(Langston's Family Historian) Charlotte Rose Brown - Langston
(Basped's Family Historian) Tonua Basped - Wiley**

- Private Committal at Sea with full military honors-

**Obituary*

Sandra Mae Bapsed – Langston was born September 5, 1946, to her parent Mr. Raymond and Mrs. Sadie Johnson-Bapsed in Tucson, Arizona. Sandra has two sons, Senior Pastor Dr. Schezarone H. Carter, Ajalon Missionary Baptist Church, Palm Spring Ca and Vontallio L. Carter, IT Maintenance Engineer, Richmond Ca. Sandra and Dr. Louis Conway Langston married August 3, 1972 in San Francisco, California. The beloved couple was married for 49 years; they attended the Glad Tiding International Church of God In Christ, Hayward Ca., under the leadership of Senior Pastor Bishop Jerry W. Macklin.

Sandra was God's workmanship, a devoted and faithful wife, *encouraging and loving* mother, and a blessed great grandmother. She was created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared her for beforehand, that she should walk upright in His word; and she humbly did in praise, worship, teaching and living. Sandra was an anointed gospel singer and loved traditional black gospel and classic music.

Sandra just loved people and people loved her. She had a way of endearing herself to everyone she met. Sandra was known for her gracious hospitality, and many have been blessed by her gospel outreach ministry. Sandra loved to travel with her husband Louis and visited many places and countries throughout the world. Sandra was an accomplished interior designer and textile collector. Sandra was the inspiration that inspired Louis to succeed in many entrepreneurial endeavors. Samantha Carter was Sandra's favorite granddaughter and Sam loved her grandmother dearly and she received Sandra's hospitality and interior design mantle.

Sandra was preceded in death by her Mother Sadie Louise Bapsed and Father Raymond Bapsed, Brother Walter and Raymond Bapsed Jr. Sisters, Glenn (Honey) Session, Sister Molly M. Gordon, JoAnn Eloise Carey, Sister Dora Taylor, Niece Anna Marie Gordon and Nephews Walter, Regal and Michael Bapsed.

Sandra leaves to cherish her memories: her devoted and faithful husband of 49 years, Dr. Louis Conway Langston, two loving sons, Schezarone H. Carter, Son, Vontallio L. Carter; Grandchildren, Sabrina Carter, Schezarone Carter Jr. John Carter, Christina Carter Bridgett Carter, Samantha Carter; Toyna Bapsed and a host of other nieces, nephews, family members and friends.





***Committal Prayer of Blessings**

**Senior Pastor Superintend Dr. Joseph Eugene Langston,
Langston Memorial COGIC, Antioch Ca.
First Lady Bertha Ann Langston**

Heavenly Father,

We thank you this day for Jesus, for his precious gift of eternal life, and for the comfort of the Holy Spirit.

In the midst of our natural sorrow, we thank you for your supernatural grace.

In facing death, we thank you for the promise of life everlasting.

And in the face of separation, we thank you for the assurance of eternal reunion.

We thank you for Sandra's life here on this earth, and we recognize that the body before is not dead but is the house, the tabernacle, in which she lived.

We acknowledge that Sandra is with you now, rejoicing in your presence and enjoying the blessings of heaven.

So Father, we now commit the body of Sandra Mae Bapsed – Langston to this earth, and we rejoice that her spirit is with you even now.

We look forward to that day, when we can all rejoice together, and we thank you that we are not without hope or comfort at this time.

We thank you for making your presence very real to Louis, her husband, and each family member, and that you will especially strengthen and sustain them in the days, weeks, and months to come.

In Jesus Name, Amen.

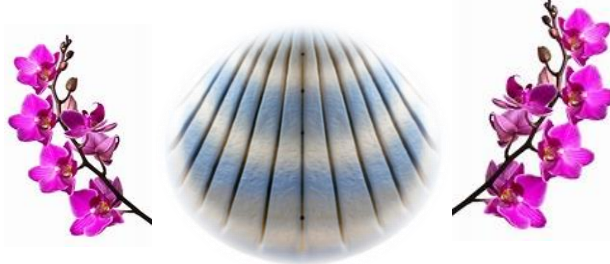


***Prayer at Sea**

Louis Conway Langston, D.Hum
Charlotte Rose Brown - Langston
Tonua Bapsed - Wiley

Lord God, by the power of your word you stilled the chaos of the primeval seas; you made the raging waters of the flood subside and calmed the storm on the Sea of Galilee. As we commit the body of our wife and sister Sandra to the deep, grant her peace and tranquility...

*Into your hands, Father of mercies,
we commend sister Sandra,
in the sure and certain hope,
that, together with all who have died in Christ,
Sandra will rise with Him on the last day,
In Jesus Name, Amen.*



Deep Water Aqua Shell Biodegradable Water Burial

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Thank you for your participation, wherever you were...to our church family, to our Bishop and Pastor Macklin, to our family and friends. Ever act of kindness and sympathy will be forever cherished and embed in our hearts. We love you.

***Private Committal Ceremony Coordinators: Vicki Robinson & Lorrie Latimer
Program Designed by: Sandra's husband Louis***

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