

“Celebration of Life”



Stella Ann Matthews Pete was born in Crowley, Louisiana to the late John & Beulah Matthews. She was educated in the Acadia Parish School System. Following graduation, she attended Southern University in Baton Rouge, LA. She received her early Christian development at First Church of God in Christ of Crowley, Louisiana.

To read Stella Pete’s full bio, visit www.revempete.net.

She leaves to cherish her memory a daughter, Dr. Reve’ M. Pete; five godchildren: Servilia Morgan of Crowley, LA, LaVanis Rose (Kathleen) of Port Angeles, WA, Stephanie Owens Clemmons (Todd) of Lake Charles, LA, Dr. Karen Dunson of Albany, GA, Ausha Jackson (Jeffrey) of McDonough, GA; cousins: Lawjesten Goodwin, Servilia Morgan, Timothy Winbush Sr., all of Crowley, LA, Vanessa Winbush Gatlin (Alton) of Lafayette, LA, Odessa Winbush Scott of Atlanta, GA, LaPeakus Winbush (Cecelia) and Dexter Mayfield of Palmdale, CA; cousins by marriage: Mrs. Mae C. Winbush of Lafayette, LA, Kirk Poullard (Shirley) of Albany, GA; adopted sisters: Mrs. Carey R. Dent and Mrs. Bette B. Dunson, both of Albany, GA; adopted niece and nephews: Hortense Roquemore Jackson and Jose Roquemore (Sharon), both of Albany, GA, Ronald Roquemore of Atlanta GA; Delta Eta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.; caregivers: Lisha Brown and Alonzo Parker.

Order of Service

Prelude Elder Andrew Caldwell
“Way Maker” by Sinach

“I Need You to Survive” by Hezekiah Walker

Opening Remarks and

Invocation Pastor Vincent Charles

Stella Matthews Pete’s Life in Retrospect

Dr. Reve’ M. Pete, Moderator

Early Life

Oh, that Pink and Green!

A Major Move

Take Me to the King!

An Educator’s Life of Faith

Rendering Service

A Mother in Zion

Pastoral Intoduction Pastor Vincent Charles

Selection . . . “The Lord’s Prayer” . . . Karla Heath-Sands

Reflections.....Bishop Oscar Benton, Jr.
Words of Restoration COGIC

Recessional.....Delta Eta Omega Chapter
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

Thank You

Pastors Vincent and Leslie Charles
Greater Faith & Deliverance Ministries

Bishop Oscar & First Lady Diane Benton, Jr.
Words of Restoration COGIC

Bishop James & Dr. Ezora Proctor
Historic Louisiana First Jurisdiction COGIC

Bishop Quintard Caldwell
Celebration of Praise Ministries, Inc.

Dr. Vanessa Winbush Gatlin
2nd Assistant General Supervisor of Women COGIC

Timothy Winbush, Sr.

Myrtle Cain
Crowley, Louisiana

National Association of University Women
South Central Section

Delta Eta Omega Chapter
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.,

Elder Andrew Caldwell

Karla Heath-Sands

Varner and Melissa Moses

Gail Reid Hackbart and Francine McCarley

All who prayed for/showed kindness to Stella and Reve'.

Memorial Service for



Mrs. Stella Matthews Pete
November 4, 1932 – January 2, 2026

February 28, 2026
12:30 PM

Greater Faith & Deliverance Ministries
1510 West Broad Avenue
Albany, Georgia 31707

Honoring an Abundant Life Well Lived

*“I have come that they may have life, and that they
may have it more abundantly.” John 10:10 NKJV*