

BY ALDS. STAMPER, COGGS, BOHL, PEREZ, BORKOWSKI, LEWIS, RAINEY, JOHNSON,  
WITKOWSKI

*Resolution expressing condolences to the family and friends of Mother Annie Naomi Scott.*

**WHEREAS,**

**MOTHER ANNIE NAOMI SCOTT**

*passed from this life on December 20, 2016 at the age of 90, and services were held on December 31, 2016 at Holy Redeemer C.O.G.I.C., 3500 W. Mother Daniels Way.; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Known lovingly as Mother Scott, Annie Naomi Scott was born on August 7, 1926 to Washington and Dequilla Vickers in Nichburgh (Conecuh County) Alabama, and she received her formal education from the Baldwin County Training School, in Daphne, Alabama, Milwaukee Area Technical College and Christina Hair Weave in Cleveland, Ohio; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Mother Scott married Joseph Scott in 1942, and in 1951 they relocated to Milwaukee to pursue a better life for themselves and their three daughters; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Mother Scott envisioned her own business for hair design and cosmetic imaging, which came to fruition in 1958 through the establishment of Scott's Beauty and Hair Weave Salon, and she became the youngest sole beauty salon proprietor of her generation in the City of Milwaukee; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Mother Scott was involved in and cared deeply for the Milwaukee community, and in 1974 she opened the Scott Christian Youth Fellowship and Recreational Center, which provided summer youth recreation programs, daily hot meals, an emergency food pantry, clothing bank, counseling service, Bible study, arts, crafts and music programs; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Mother Scott was deeply spiritual and was honored many times for her service, including by Holy Redeemer Institutional Church of God In Christ as a woman of distinction, and by the Wisconsin First Jurisdiction as a pioneer in the Church of God In Christ and a legend to Milwaukee Christendom; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Mother Scott leaves to cherish her memory her children, Barbara Jean Scott of Victorville, Florida, Gloria Dean Burrell and Annie Marie Wilson, as well as 15 grandchildren, 49 great grandchildren, 56 great, great grandchildren, one great, great, great grandchild, and a host of other family and friends; now, therefore, be it*

**RESOLVED,** *That the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee herewith expresses its condolences to the family and friends of Mother Annie Naomi Scott and mourns with deep sorrow the passing of this fine woman; and, be it*

**FURTHER RESOLVED,** *That a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Mother Annie Naomi Scott.*

**Introduced by Common Council members Russell W. Stamper, II, Milele A. Coggs, Jim Bohl, José G. Pérez, Mark A. Borkowski, Chantia Lewis, Khalif J. Rainey, Cavalier Johnson and Terry L. Witkowski and approved by all members of the Milwaukee Common Council on January 18, 2017.**