

“Hold Us Up Lord”

Lord, we know you're always busy
For You've many things to do,
But, when sorrow overcomes us
Well, we need to talk to You.

For we've lost someone so precious,
And they're with You above,
And it's someone that we needed,
And it's someone that we love...

We are feeling lost and all alone,
And though we do believe
We need you, Lord to hold us up
To help us while we grieve.

Please give us strength and courage, Lord
To bear what we must bear
And nudge us when our faith is weak
To remind us You are there.

Give us hope for our tomorrow
Tell us life will still go on.
Show us Lord, that all this darkness
Will be followed by the dawn

You've lead us through so many things
You've pulled us through before
Hold us up Lord until we're through this
And we are strong once more.



Celebrating Her Life

A Life Well Lived

Lessie Mae Foxx Jewell



Acknowledgements

It is with deep sincere gratitude that the family wishes to express our heartfelt for all acts of kindness, thoughts of concern and feeling of sympathy and empathy shown during the passing of our love one.



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Thursday, September 10, 2020 at 11:00 AM
Hillcrest Gardens Cemetery
1511 Charles Raper Jonas Highway
Mount Holly, North Carolina
Pastor Albert Aiken Neal, Officiating

Order of Service

Pastor Albert Aiken Neal - Officiating



Prelude

Call to WorshipPastor Albert Aiken Neal
Antioch Baptist of Columbia, Inc.

Scripture ReadingDr. Pierre Crawford
Center Baptist Church

Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Robert McNeill
Saint Stephens AME Church
Friendship AME Church

Reflections (3 minutes)

Waddell Epps – Deacon
Tilda Reeder – Friend
Jeff Foxx – Family

Selection of Joy

Words of ComfortPastor Albert Aiken Neal

Committal Rites

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4635510659>



Life Reflections

LESSIE MAE FOXX FEWELL

August 19, 1934 – September 2, 2020

The devoted wife and lifelong partner of Ervin N. Fewell

The caring and devoted mother to Roberta, Sandra and Gregory

The faithful friend of young and old

The wondrous gift and eternal property of our Lord

After a long battle with her illness, Lessie departed life at her home on Wednesday, September 2, 2020 surrounded by her family and a very special friend at her bedside. Lessie is survived by her husband Ervin N. Fewell, her children Roberta Kincaid, Sandra Brooks (Dave), Gregory Fewell (Barbara), granddaughter- Kinta Smiley (Anthony), grandson- Alexander Powell, great grandchildren Ahrianna and Joshua Smiley, Jackie Foxx, niece ,and a host of other nieces, nephews and friends.

Lessie was born in Lucia, North Carolina to Dock Maco and Alvesta Smith Foxx on August 19, 1934. She is preceded in death by her parents, brothers- Benjamin, Beaufort and Frank Foxx, sister Lucille Foxx Ross and her son-in-law Donald M. Kincaid. She grew up in Mount Holly, NC and was educated in the Gaston County school system.

Lessie was baptized at an early age and was a faithful member at Macedonia Baptist Church, Lucia, NC. It was there, with her family that she learned to be a good and faithful servant of the Lord. After her marriage to Ervin and traveling the world as Ervin fulfilled his military obligations, they settled in Columbia, SC. She found a new church home at Antioch Baptist of Columbia and became a member on January 18, 1997. She embraced her church family and was an active member until her death.

An infectious laugh and gentle nature, she never met a stranger. She had an unconditional love for her family and always looked forward to family gatherings. Her contribution was always the coconut pie from a recipe her mother handed down. She loved her squad, Ella, Lavon, Barbara, Janelle, Dean, Mildred and Liz and they were always there for her. The annual "Trotters Feast" was her favorite event to host for the squad.

Lessie is gone from this earth to a better place where she has found peace. May all the happy memories that she leaves behind comfort us as we mourn her death.