

Doing What She Loved Best



Ecclesiastes 9:10

“Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might; for there is no work, nor device, nor knowledge, nor wisdom, in the grave, whither thou goest.”

Pallbearers
Family and Friends

Flower Ladies
Family and Friends

Acknowledgements

The passing of our loved one brought us to realization of what it means to have friends. The opportunity of knowing that people can be so kind, loving and helpful to ease the pain of our loved one and give us comfort and strength to face the days ahead. Thank you for your continued prayers, visits, flowers, cards, food, phone calls and many other tangible ways in which kindness was shown is deeply appreciated. We shall never forget. May God Bless you all!!!

The Family

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Homegoing Celebration For Mrs. Dianne Wilburn



SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 2018
~ 2:00 P.M. ~

**DESTINY WORSHIP
CENTER INTERNATIONAL**

190 INDUSTRIAL DRIVE
HOGANSVILLE, GEORGIA

REVEREND CHRISTOPHER EVANS, *PASTOR*
BISHOP CLEAVON MEABON III, *EULOGIST*



Obituary

Mrs. Dianne Smith Wilburn 61, was called to rest on Saturday December, 29, 2018. She was born January 29, 1957 in Newnan, Georgia to the late Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. Smith (Josie Mae).

She was preceded in death by one sister, Betty Jene Smith.

At an early age she was baptized and united with the Little Macedonia Baptist Church, later on she joined the Springfield Baptist Church, Hogansville, Georgia where she worshipped and served faithfully. She went on to join the Summerhill Baptist Church, Newnan, Georgia. She also attended Hallelujah Praise Ministry, Greenville, Georgia and New Wine Cathedral, Newnan, Georgia. She loved the Lord, her church and her pastor and you could see it by the way she praised and the love she gave.

She attended the Coweta County School System, where she ended her education at Newnan High School.

Her employment history includes Shaw Industries, Sprayberry's Restaurant, Carters, Continental, Mandos, but she was most successful wherever she apply her avid cooking skills, cooking and seeing the smiles on people faces as they enjoyed it. It was the passion of her life. She ended her employment doing what she loved best, the co-owner of Heavenly Café in Hogansville, Georgia where she cooked many delicious meals and served them with a big Dianne's Signature Smile.

On September 12, 1998, she was united in Holy Matrimony to Mr. Gregory Wilburn, a union that would last 20 plus years and until her death. She is the mother of four children of which she birthed and three of which she raised to adulthood.

Dianne leaves to cherish her loving memories a devoted and faithful husband of twenty plus years, Gregory Wilburn (her "Honey"); two sons, Mr. and Mrs. David Brown (Shana) LaGrange, GA, Tyrone Brown, Union City, GA; two daughters, Dianna Cotton, Chandra Dorsey, Hogansville, GA; other children, Kimberly Smith, Steve Smith, Hogansville, GA, Michael Gates, LaGrange, GA; daughter-in-law, Erica Brown, FL; twenty-one grandchildren, two great grandchildren; one brother, Billy J. Smith, Newnan, GA; one sister, Mrs. Bobbie A. Echols, Hogansville, GA; mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Darden, Atlanta, GA; sister-in-law, Vivian Wilburn, Atlanta, GA; brother-in-law, Keith Darden (Latrese) Tyrone, GA; six uncles, seven aunts; a host of other relatives and friends; two very close friends, Pam Allen and Marie Ellis.



Order of Service

Presiding.....Pastor David Parks

Prelude

Selection.....Quentin Dean

Scriptures

Old Testament.....Reverend Jessie Bradshaw

New Testament.....Reverend David Cross

Prayer.....Pastor David Parks

Selection.....Dr. Patrick Brown

Remarks

Mr. David Hobbs, *Friend*

Mrs. Pam Allen, *Friend*

Obituary (Read Silently)

Selection.....Eddie Robinson

Eulogy.....Bishop Cleavon Meabon, III

New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, Jackson, TN

Acknowledgments

Recessional

Interment

Myrtle Hill Cemetery
Hogansville, Georgia

Repast

St. Mary's Methodist Church Fellowship Hall
Hogansville, Georgia