



FAREWELL, DEAR MOTHER

Somewhere in my heart beneath all my grief and pain,
Is a simile I still wear at the sound of your dear name.
The precious word is "MOTHER", she was my world you see,
But now my heart is breaking cause she's no longer here with me.
God chose her for His angel to watch me from above,
To guide me and advise me and know that I'm still loved.
The day she had to leave me when her life on earth was through,
God had better plans for her, for this, I surely knew.
When I think of her kind heart and all those loving years,
My memories surround me and I can't hold back the tears.
She truly was my best friend, someone I could confide in,
She always had a tender touch and a warm and gentle grin.
I want to thank you Mother for teaching me so well,
And though the time has come that I must bid you this farewell.
I'll remember all you've taught me and make you proud you'll see.
Thank you my Dear Mother for all the love you showed me.
Although you've left this earth and now you've taken flight,
I know that you are here with me each morning, noon and night.

Pall Bearers
Grandsons
Flower Bearers
Eastern Star, and Newberry and Laurens Aide Societies

Don't Quit

When things go wrong, as they sometimes will,
When the road you're trudging seems all uphill,
When the funds are low, and the debts are high,
And you want to smile, but you have to sigh,
When care is pressing you down a bit,
Rest if you must, but don't you quit.
Life is queer with its twists and turns,
As everyone of us sometimes learns,
And many a failure turns about,
When he might have won had he stuck it out;
Don't give up though the pace seems slow,
You may succeed with another blow.
Success is failure turned inside out,
The silver tint of the clouds of doubt,
And you never can tell how close you are,
It may be near when it seems so far;
So stick to the fight when you're hardest hit,
It's when things seem worse, that you must not quit.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We, the family of **Mrs. Mildred Henderson Lindsay**, extend our most sincere appreciation for your many acts of kindness extended during her illness. To the staff of Prisma Health Laurens County Hospital and Hospice of Laurens County, her sitters: Mrs. Twounia "Kay" Cain, Ms. Brillentine Lindsay, Mrs. Brenda Grant Simpson, Mrs. Mary Lindsay, Mrs. Pamela Lindsay, Mrs. Gladys Simpson and Mrs. Brenzella Adams; and Trotter's Restaurant your care, support and professionalism helped ease our hearts and minds. We are sincerely grateful for each of you.

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Celebrating
THE LIFE AND LEGACY
OF



Mrs. Mildred Henderson
Lindsay

Saturday, August 6, 2022
11:00 AM
Springfield Baptist Church
Celebration Center
500 Jersey Street
Laurens, South Carolina 29360



ORDER OF SERVICE

Reverend Anthony Sims, Presiding
Pastor, Friendship Baptist Church, Ninety Six, SC

PROCESSIONAL

“EVERY PRAISE” Ms. Tan Barber

Clergy and Family

FINAL VIEWING

Family and Friends

PRAYER OF COMFORT

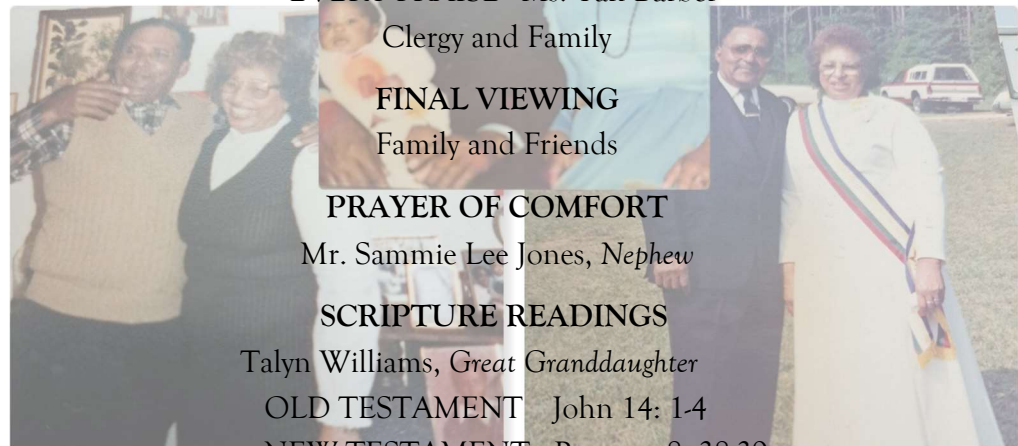
Mr. Sammie Lee Jones, Nephew

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Talyn Williams, Great Granddaughter

OLD TESTAMENT John 14: 1-4

NEW TESTAMENT Romans 8: 38-39



MUSICAL SELECTION
“SIT DOWN SERVANT” Family

REFLECTIONS
Dr. Milajurine Lindsay Vicks, Granddaughter
Mrs. Doris Booker, New Hope AME Church
Mrs. Johnnie Vee Brown, Friend/Neighbor
Ms. Maggie Conway, Worthy Matron Order of the Eastern Star
Others

MUSICAL SELECTION
“IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL” Mrs. Susan Hester, Family Friend

WORDS OF COMFORT
Pastor John B. Booker

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT
New Hope AME Church Cemetery

COMMITTAL RITES, CLOSING PRAYER AND BENEDICTION

Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you. Philippians 4:9

A Life Well Lived

Mrs. Mildred Henderson Lindsay was born on March 13, 1922 to George H. Henderson and Mary Spearman Henderson in the rural community of Mountville, South Carolina. She was formally educated in Laurens County Schools and was later employed as a Nursing Assistant and Home Health Aid for SC Department of Disabilities and Special Needs at Whitten Center in Clinton, SC. Mildred joined New Hope A.M.E. Church at an early age and served the Lord faithfully as a Steward, choir member, class leader and missionary. She was also a member of the Women's Aide Society, Laurens and Newberry Aide Societies, VFW Auxiliary, Nurses' Aide and Order of the Eastern Star.

A lifelong resident of Laurens County South Carolina, Mildred received the Mother of the Year award at New Hope AME Church, Humanitarian Extraordinaire award and a proclamation from the City of Clinton, South Carolina in recognition of her one hundredth birthday. Mrs. Lindsay was a phenomenal woman, a loving mother and truly a Good Samaritan who loved the Lord.

Surrounded by her loving family, Mrs. Mildred Henderson Lindsay answered her Father's call and peacefully transitioned to Eternal Rest on August 2, 2022. She was blessed with one hundred years in her earthly journey. Mrs. Lindsay was predeceased by her parents, her husband, Erskine M. Lindsay, Sr.; children, Ernestine Dunbar and Willie James Henderson, Sr.; a grandson, Kendrick Lindsay a daughter-in-law, Pamela Lindsay and her siblings: Mary George Bowser, Gennett Bannister, Cora Lee Butts, Florrie Cozart, Lucille Jones and Marie Lindsay.

Mildred wed Erskine M. Lindsay, Sr. and their union was blessed with six beautiful children. The memories and legacy of Mrs. Mildred Lindsay will be held in the hearts of her children: Erskine M. Lindsay, Jr. of McConnells, SC; George (Mary) Lindsay of Laurens, SC; Janet Lindsay Williams of Columbia, SC; Bernard Lindsay of Clinton, SC; and Akeela (Malcolm) Aiken of Simpsonville, SC until they can hold her again in Heaven. She was also blessed with; fourteen grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren and six great-great grandchildren to carry her legacy to future generations; one sister, Gladys Henderson Simpson of Clinton, SC; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and loving friends who will share her beautiful memories and legacy of love.

It's hard to forget someone who gave us so much to remember. Mrs. Mildred Henderson Lindsay will always hold an honored place in our family and remain in our hearts and memories forever. A life that touched others goes on forever.

*She is clothed
IN STRENGTH
AND DIGNITY,
and she laughs
WITHOUT FEAR
OF THE FUTURE.
When she speaks,
HER WORDS
ARE WISE,
and she gives
INSTRUCTIONS
WITH KINDNESS.*
PROVERBS 31:25-26