

Safely Home

I am home in heaven, dear ones
Oh, so happy and so bright ..
There is a perfect joy and beauty
in this everlasting light.

All the pain and grief is over
every restless tossing passed ..

I am now at peace forever
safely home in heaven at last.

Did you wonder I so calmly
Trode the valley of the shade?

Oh, but Jesus' love illuminated
Every dark and fearful glade.

And He came Himself to meet me
in the way so hard to tread ..

And with Jesus' arm to lean on
could I have one doubt or dread?

Then you must not grieve so sorely
for I love you dearly still ..

Try to look beyond death's shadows
Pray to trust our Father's will.

There is work still waiting for you
so you must not idly stand ..

Do it now, while life remaineth
you shall rest in Jesus' land.

When that work is all completed
He will gently call you home ..

Oh, the rapture of that meeting
Oh, the joy to see you come!

Pallbearers

Anthony Samuel
A. C. Whaley

Travis Isaac

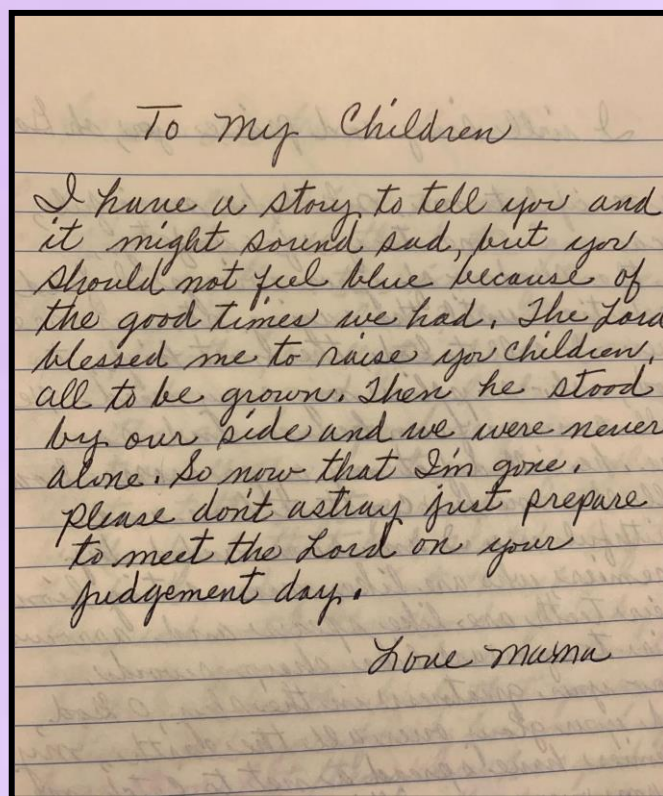
Pervis Isaac
Michael Grooms, Jr.

Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mrs. Gracie Lee Hall Samuel, wish to thank each of you for the many loving and wonderful acts of love and kindness rendered during the passing of our dear loved one. We thank each of you so much, and may God send a special blessing upon each of you.



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In Loving Memory of

Mrs. Gracie Lee Hall Samuel



Thursday, January 19, 2023

11:00 a.m.

Leevy's Funeral Home Chapel

1831 Taylor Street

Columbia, South Carolina

Reverend Tim Canty

- Officiating -

Obituary

Mrs. Grace Lee Hall Smith Samuel, affectionately known as **Gracie**, was born on February 26 1931, in Jenkinsville, SC. She was the daughter of the late Willie Hall and Fannie P. Hall Smith, and stepdaughter of Donnie Smith. She departed this life to be with the Lord on Tuesday, January 10, 2023.

Gracie Lee Samuel joined Zion Chapel Baptist Church #1, and gave her life to the Lord at a very early age. In her faithful commitment, she served as: Secretary to the Music Choir, Jr Usher Board Member, Jubilee Choir Member, and Sr. Jubilee Choir Member.

She married Arthur Samuel, Jr, (who preceded her in death) on October 10, 1950, and their union was blessed with eight children: Catherine Deloris (deceased), Arthur Mae, Loretta, Audrey Meria, Rose Mary (deceased), Lee Alvin (deceased), Theodore A., and Percival L. Samuel.

Gracie attended the schools of Richland County, and was a graduate of the first class of C.A. Johnson High School. She later went on to become the owner and manager of Sam's Grocery & BBQ for 30 years until retirement.

Gracie was a loving and devoted daughter, wife, mother, sister, grandmother, aunt and friend. She leaves a legacy filled with love, family, and devotion to God. She enjoyed the peace of her home, cooking, and spending time with the ones she loved. She will forever be remembered for her soft voice, kind spirit, generous nature, beautiful smile, and her lovely blue-ish gray curls.

Mrs. Gracie Lee Hall Smith Samuel leaves to travel under the Master's guidance: her children, Arthur Mae Williams, Loretta Isaac, Audrey Meria Samuel, Theodore A. Samuel, Percival Leon (Valerie) Samuel; her daughter-in-law, Tama Samuel; her son-in-law, Hermon Whaley; two sisters, Bernice Canty and Inez Seals; a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other loving family, and dear friends, all of whom will miss her dearly.

Memories



A Service of Remembrance

Prelude..... Mr. Anthony Outen, Minister of Music
 Processional
 Viewing Funeral Directors
 Opening Hymn
 Scriptures..... Reverend Tim Canty
 Old Testament – Psalm 23
 New Testament - John 11: 25-27
 The Lord's Prayer
 Misses Lisa, Diamond, and Jessica Samuel
 Selection Zion Chapel Jubilee Choir
 Remarks Ms. Linda Adams
 Solo Ms. Valisha Adams
 Words of Comfort Reverend Tim Canty
 Recessional
 Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

Zion Chapel # 1 Baptist Church Cemetery
Walter Hills Road
Columbia, South Carolina