

I Made It Home

I just wanted to let you know that I made it home. The journey wasn't an easy one, but it didn't take too long. Everything is so pretty here; so white, so fresh, so new. I wish that you could close your eyes so that you could see it too. Please try not to be sad for me. Try to understand. God is taking care of me! I'm in the shelter of His hands. Here there is no crying, and I'll never hurt again. Here it is so peaceful, when all the angel sings. I really have to go for now..... I've just got to try my Wings.

Message From The Family

I cannot say and will not say that Janie Lee Johnson is dead. She is just away! She left us dreaming how very fair it needs must be, and you-oh you, who yearn for the old-time step and the comforting word, cheerful laughter, genuine concerned way of Janie Lee Remember her as the loving, giving person she will ever be think of her still in the same way.

We say Janie Lee is not dead, she is just with her Jesus.

Pallbearers

Family and Friends

Floral Bearers

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Acknowledgement

Words are inadequate to express the humble gratefulness First Lady Mary and Pastor Sammy Wade and family extend towards all who have sent love and prayers during the transition of Ms. Janie Lee Johnson. We offer heartfelt thanks to the following who assisted with Janie's care:

Francenia Walters Tucker, Columbia, SC
Langit Assisted Living Facility, North Charleston, SC
Life Care Center of Columbia, SC

We thank you from the heart. May God richly bless each of you for your acts of kindness.

Much Love,
The Wade Family

Services Entrusted To:

Taylor Street Chapel 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803)771-7799 I. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	Leevy's FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	Lower Richland Chapel 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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IN LOVING
Memory



Ms. Janie Lee Johnson



Sunrise
December 5, 1949

Sunset
September 2, 2023

Saturday, September 9, 2023
11:00 a.m.

St. John Baptist Church
230 J.W. Neal Circle
Hopkins, South Carolina

Reverend Sammy Wade
-Pastor-

Obituary

Ms. Janie Lee Johnson was born December 5, 1949, to the late Russell Johnson and Frances Myers Johnson. Janie Lee and her sister Mary Ann were raised by their father in North Charleston, SC.

Janie Lee received her formal education in the public school system of Charleston County, South Carolina. She was baptized at an early age, at Lovely Mountain Baptist Church, in North Charleston, SC. After the death of her father, she and her sister moved to Bronx New York to live with their aunt, Louise Johnson Gilmore Copeland.

She furthered her education by attending a vocational training school in the Bronx, New York. Janie Lee was employed at Fordham Hospital in the housekeeping department. After Fordham Hospital closed, she began work at North Central Bronx Hospital until she suffered a stroke in December 2002. Her Sister Mary relocated her to South Carolina, where she resided until the Lord called her home on Saturday, September 2, 2023, at Life Care Center, Columbia, SC.

Janie Lee enjoyed shopping and spending her money on her nephew and nieces. She was also a dedicated employee that didn't believe in taking off from work unless necessary. Her favorite saying was "I thank God." Janie Lee was preceded in death by her parents, Russell Johnson (September 1967) and Frances Myers Johnson (March 2008); brother, Clifford Lambright-Johnson (December 2004); sister, Eve Mae Johnson (October 2015); and special niece, Kanika Aisha Wade (October 2008).

Ms. Janie Lee Johnson leaves to cherish her memory: loving and devoted sister, Mary Wade (Reverend Sammy Wade) Columbia SC, bonus sister, Mary "Mamie" Lee Jenkins, of Charleston, SC; siblings, Nathaniel William Myers, of Savannah GA, Willie Johnson, of Columbia SC, Larry Duberry, of Summerville SC, and Doris Pinckney, of Summerville SC; aunt, Wilhelmina Myers-Montgomery; cousin, Portia Gilmore, of Columbia, SC; a host of nieces and nephews.

Memories



A Service of Remembrance

Minister Kendrick Roach, Officiant

- Prelude
- Processional
- Viewing.....Funeral Directors
- Opening Selection
- Old Testament.....Minister Roosevelt Barnwell
Psalm 90:10
- Old Testament.....Minister Ervin Barnes
Psalm 23
- New Testament.....Minister Delores Long
Philippians 3:20-21
- New Testament.....Minister Elizabeth Edwards
Revelations 21:3-4
- Prayer.....Reverend Jabari Wade
- Musical Selection.....St. John Baptist Church Choir
- Words of Comfort.....Reverend Eugene Burden
- Musical Selection.....St. John Baptist Church Choir
- Special Tribute.....First Lady Mary Wade, *Sister*
- Remarks.....Ms. Bernice G. Scott
Mt. Nebo International Sister
- Poetic Expressions.....Mr. Jabari Wade II
Ms. Jelissa Wade, Mr. Jayion Wade, and Ms. Kamilah Wade
- Recessional
- Postlude



Committal, Benediction, and Interment

Greenlawn Memorial Park
7500 Garners Ferry Road
Columbia, South Carolina