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#### Pallbearers

Nephews

#### Floral Bearers

Missionaries of Red Hill Baptist Church

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# Lawrence Family Heknowledgement

It is with sincere gratitude that the family acknowledges the many expressions of kindness, concern, and sympathy. Your love and support during this difficult time will continue to sustain us.

## Services Entrusted To:





## Obituary

Carolyn Haynes Lawrence, of Eastover, South Carolina, was born August 1, 1943. She was the beloved daughter of Emma Mae Mender and James "Honeyboy" Mender. Her biological mother, Luvenia "Bee" Minder. She departed this life on Friday, December 22, 2023.

Carolyn was educated in the public schools of Richland County. She was employed by the University of South Carolina as a Supervisor, retiring after 30 dedicated years.

She was a member of Red Hill Baptist Church, in Gadsden, South Carolina. She was a devoted member of the Senior Choir and Missionary Board. Carolyn was united in Holy Matrimony to Jessie Lawrence Jr. for 53 years.

She was preceded in death by: her parents; her husband, Jessie Lawrence Jr; her son, Jessie Lee Lawrence, III; her daughter, Elaine "Louise" Young; grandson, Cedric L. Young; and a sister, Mildred Haye.

Carolyn Haynes Lawrence is survived by: two daughters, a devoted daughter, Loretta Lawrence-Brabham, of Savannah, GA and Christy Y. Lawrence, of Eastover, SC; three adopted sons, Therion Lawrence, of Lancaster, SC and Retired CPL Dana Lawrence, of Jacksonville Florida; five grandchildren, Daniel L. Jackson, of Lexington, SC, Ervine G. Brabham, of Jacksonville, FL, Devon L. Anderson and Chrisette Anderson, both of Eastover, SC; four great-grandchildren, Daniel L. Jackson III and Trevon Jackson, both of Lexington, SC, Major A. Johnson and Cedrina Richardson, both of Columbia, SC; three sisters-in-law, Junnie Harris, of Chicago, Illinois, Evalena Murphy, of Columbia, SC, and Elizabeth Wesley, of Eastover, SC; a host of nieces, nephews, and other loving relatives, and caring friends, all of whom will miss her dearly.

#### Memories



















### A Service of Remembrance

#### Pastor Donnie Chambers, Presiding

PreludeEvangelist Anya Dixon
Processional
Hymn of Praise "I'll Fly Away"Red Hill Mass Choir
Scripture Readings Old TestamentIsaiah 40: 28-31Pastor Bernard Wilson
New TestamentII Corinthians 5: 1-4 and 8-10Mrs. Ann Staley
Prayer of Comfort
SelectionBetter Day Is Coming"
Remarks(three minute please)
PoemSister Patricia Miller
AcknowledgementsMinister Sandra Green
Solo"I'll Be Alright"
Words of ComfortEvangelist Ornethia Chambers
Selection
Final Farewell to Our Beloved Carolyn Funeral Directors  In the Vestibule

Recessional & Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

Red Hill Baptist Church Cemetery
720 Congaree Church Road
Gadsden, South Carolina

Repast

Immediately following the Service