

## Broken Chain

*We little knew the day that  
God was going to call your name.  
In life we loved you dearly  
In death we do the same.*

*It broke our hearts to lose you  
But you didn't go alone  
For part of us went with you  
The day God called you home.*

*You left us peaceful memories.  
Your love is still our guide.  
And though we cannot see you  
You are always at our side.*

*Our family chain is broken  
and nothing seem the same,  
but God calls us one by one  
the chain will link again.*

Brialyn Simmons  
Shawn Holloway

## Pallbearers

Deontre Simmons  
Travis Jones

Dominic Spencer  
Damise Howard

## Floral Bearers

Great-Nieces

## Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mr. Ronald Holloway, would like extend our sincere thanks to each of you who have expressed acts of kindness and love during the passing of our loved one. It is our prayer that the Lord blesses each of you in a very special way.

*Homegoing Service  
Celebrating the Life*

*of*

MR. RONALD HOLLOWAY



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024  
11:00 A.M.

THE GREATER ST. LUKE BAPTIST CHURCH  
5228 FARROW ROAD  
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

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# Obituary of Mr. Ronald Holloway

Mr. Ronald Holloway, beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 23, 2024, at the age of 75. Born on April 9, 1949, in Columbia, South Carolina. Ronald was the eldest child of Sarah Louise Holloway.

Educated in Richland County public schools, Ronald graduated from Booker T. Washington High School in 1967. He dedicated his professional life to the University of South Carolina, where he worked for 42 years until his retirement, known for his loyalty and commitment to his colleagues and community.

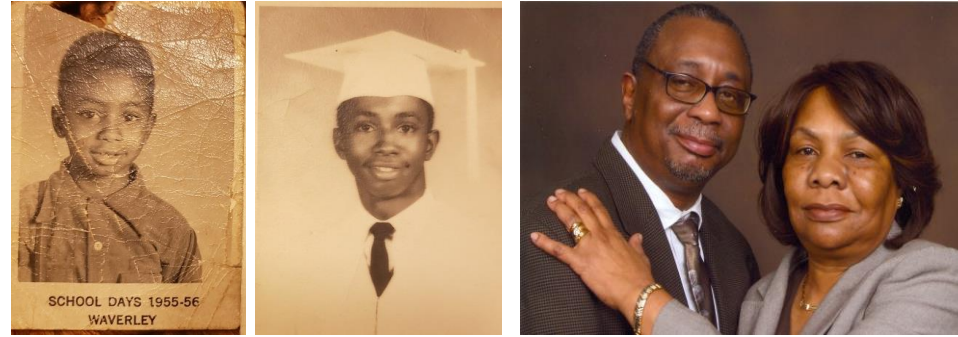
A man of faith, Ronald was baptized and was a member of Greater Saint Luke Baptist Church Baptist Church in Columbia, South Carolina. His love for family and friends, a good movie, bowling and basketball brought him joy and lasting memories.

Ronald is preceded in death by his mother Sarah Louise Holloway, and grandson, Quejon Gill. He leaves behind his wife, Mary Holloway; his daughters, Kendia Holloway-Owens and Bornita Johnson (John), both of Columbia, South Carolina; sons, Dectrick Simmons of Columbia, South Carolina, Brent Simmons (Kimberley) of Wake Forest, North Carolina, James Simmons, of Columbia, South Carolina, and Theodore Gill Jr., of Columbia, South Carolina.

He will be deeply missed by his grandchildren, Khemari Cook (Sirena), Sharlemagne Cook (Taquann), Jada Cook, Miyah Stackhouse, Deontre Simmons, Brialyn Simmons, Kharron Gilliam, Kelcey Simmons, and Amaya Johnson; his great-grandchildren, Xavier Green, River Young, Tariq Gittens, Ta'Laya Gittens, and Koda Lamb-Simmons. His memory will also be cherished by his sisters, Dorothy Roberts (Sewlyn) of Rockland County Suffern, New York and Delores Hunter (Harry) of Columbia, South Carolina; sister-in-law, Margaret Lyons of Greenville, South Carolina; a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, and numerous other family members, friends, and co-workers.

Ronald will be remembered for his kindness, his dedication, and the love he shared with all who knew him, His memory will live on in the hearts of his family and friends, who will forever cherish the moments they shared.

## Memories



## A Service of Remembrance

- Musical Prelude.....“Going Up Yonder”
- Processional
- Opening Selection.....“His Eye Is On The Sparrow”
- Old Testament.....Reverend Willie Wilson
- New Testament.....Reverend Doug Hudson
- Prayer.....Pastor Vincent Rutledge
- Poem.....Ms. Khemari Cook
- Remarks.....Mrs. Ametta Rutledge  
Reverend Doug Hudson
  
- Musical Selection.....“Jesus Promised Me A Home Over There”
- Words of Comfort.....Reverend Michael H. Baker
- Viewing.....*In the Vestibule*.....Funeral Directors
- Recessional.....“Take Me To The King”
- Postlude



## Committal, Benediction and Interment

**Palmetto Cemetery  
5050 Fairfield Road  
Columbia, South Carolina**