### **Pallbearers**

United States Army Honor Guard

### Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

#### A Hero's Welcome

By: Robert Longley Time to come home dear brother Your tour of duty through You've given as much as anyone Could be expected to do. Just a few steps further The smoke will start to clear Others here will guide you You have no need to fear. You have not failed your brothers You dearly gave it all And through your selfless actions Others will hear the call. So, take your place of honor Among those who have gone before And know you will be remembered For now, and evermore.





# Obituary of Ms. Sybil Malinda Gibbs

Ms. Sybil Malinda Gibbs was born on November 26, 1960, in Columbia, South Carolina. She was the only child of Samuel Nelson and Emily Mandley Nelson. She departed this life on Monday, December 2, 2024.

Ms. Gibbs was educated in the public schools of Charleston, South Carolina and was a graduate of St. Andrews Parish High School. After graduating high school, she enlisted in the United States Army at Fort Jackson, South Carolina. Her military assignments included tours in Korea, Hawaii, Fort Bragg (currently Fort Liberty) North Carolina, Iraq and Fort Jackson. Ms. Gibbs served her country for 26 years, retiring on October 1, 2005. After retiring, she worked for the South Carolina State Government and the WJB Dorn VA Medical Center, retiring in 2014.

Ms. Gibbs was an avid lover of animals and was the owner of her faithful fur companions, her dog, Brookland and her (gifted) cat, Brutus.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Samuel and Emily Nelson.

She leaves to mourn her passing: her uncle: Calvin Mandley, Sr. (Margaret), of Lebanon, IL; her godparents, Farris and Viola Chisolm, of Charleston, South Carolina; a host of loving relatives, and friends, all of whom will miss her dearly.

## **Acknowledgement**

We, the family of Ms. Sybil Malinda Gibbs, would like to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to all who have shown comforting expressions of love, sympathy, and prayers, during the passing of our loved one.

## Order of Service

Prelude

**Processional** 

ViewingFuneral Directors
Opening HymnMr. Lonnie Clark
Old TestamentReverend Dr. Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.
New TestamentReverend Dr. Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.
Prayer of ComfortReverend Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.
Musical SelectionMr. Lonnie Clark
RemarksMrs. Dorothy Davis Mrs. Anna David
Musical SelectionMr. Lonnie Clark
Words of ComfortReverend Dr. Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.
Recessional
Postlude

## Committal, Benediction and Interment

1:00 p.m.
Fort Jackson National Cemetery
4170 Percival Rod
Columbia, South Carolina