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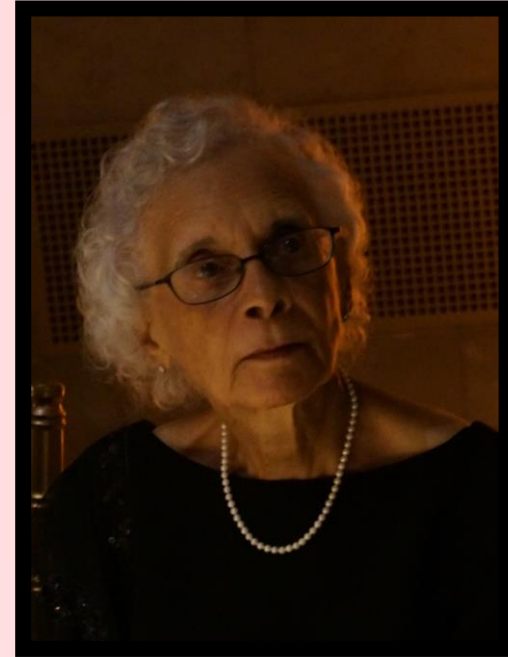
If you could see me now, you wouldn't shed a tear.
Though you may not understand why I'm no longer
there.

Remember my spirit, that is the real me
Because I'm still very much alive, I've just been set free
Oh, if only you could see!
- Patsy Stambaugh Deskins

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mrs. Ada James, would like to express our deep heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all who showed expressions of love, concern, and kindness during this time of bereavement. A special acknowledgment to multiple health care teams at Prisma Health and we especially acknowledge the angels of Luxe Home Care - Ashly, Shirley, Pearline, Rebecca and Lottie.

Homegoing Services In Loving Memory of Mrs. Ada Harper James



Sunday, December 15, 2024
12:00 Noon

Leevy's Funeral Home Chapel
1831 Taylor Street
Columbia, South Carolina

Reverend Benjamin T. Martin
-Officiating-

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Obituary of Mrs. Ada Harper James

Mrs. Ada Harper James was born on November 27, 1930, to Lillian Martin and Robert E. Harper, in Jenkinsville, South Carolina. She passed on to meet Jesus Christ face-to-face on Thursday, December 12, 2024.

Mrs. James earned a B. A. degree from Allen University, in Columbia, SC. She retired from two careers, first as a paralegal from the Small Business Administration and then as secretary and office manager for the judicial chamber of the Honorable L. Casey Manning. She received many recognitions over the years including two keys to the city and Courtroom 2B in the Richland County Courthouse being named in her honor.

Mrs. James, an ice cream connoisseur, and museum fan, loved to shop and spend time with family and friends. She was a devout Christian and served in many capacities as a member of Bishop's Memorial A.M.E. Church, in Columbia, SC, as long as her health permitted. She was a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

Welcoming her into the heavenly kingdom are her parents; a brother, Robert C. Harper; and a sister, Princetta E. Harper.

Mrs. James will be missed by her daughters, Sandra (Willie) Lawrence of Leawood, KS, Brenda Morrison of Wheaton, Illinois, and Linda Nichols of Rockville, MD; her devoted sisters, Lillian Virginia Carter, Deloris Goggins and Dorothy Williams; her sister-in-law, Cora Baten Harper; her grandchildren, Joel Morrison, Samara (Sam) Birer, Xavier Lawrence, Ryann Morrison, Patrick Nichols, Westbrook Lawrence and MacKenzie Lawrence; two great-grandchildren, Naomi Birer and "Bingo" Birer; a daughter-in-love, Karen Smith, and countless family and friends.

Order of Service

- Prelude.....Ms. Deloris Benn, Niece
- Processional
- Opening Hymn....."I Come to the Garden Alone"
- Invocation.....Reverend Benjamin T. Martin
Cleaves Memorial C.M.E. Church
- Scripture Readings.....Mr. Robert U. Goggins, Nephew
- RemarksThe Honorable L. Casey Manning
- Musical Selection.....Mr. Robert C. Harper, Jr., Nephew
"Great is Thy Faithfulness"
- Words of Comfort.....Reverend Benjamin T. Martin
- Recessional
- Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

Greenlawn Memorial Park
7100 Garners Ferry Road
Columbia, South Carolina

