## **O**bituary

It is with heavy hearts we announce the peaceful passing of Annette Bright, age 64, on Sunday, January 26, 2025, at 9:30 a.m., at Lexington Medical Center, in Lexington, SC. Born on September 3, 1960, in Orangeburg County, Annette was the cherished daughter of Gracie and Joseph Scott.

A proud graduate of Wagener-Salley High School, Class of 1978, Annette married Tommie Bright, in 1981. She built a beautiful life centered around their two daughters, Treneko Bright and Dr. Brandial Bright, of Summerville, SC, who were her greatest pride and joy.

Annette dedicated many years of service to the Michelin Corporation before retiring to focus on what she loved most: serving her community and bringing joy to others. She spent her retirement investing in real estate, creating stunning floral arrangements, and transforming spaces with her impeccable decorating skills.

Annette's kindness, generosity, and warm spirit touched the lives of all who knew her. She leaves behind a legacy of love and devotion. She is survived by her husband of 43 years, Tommie Bright; her daughters, Treneko Bright and Dr. Brandial Bright; three treasured grandchildren, Zionah Bright, Ethan Bright, and Ava Grace Spann; her mother, Gracie Scott; her sisters, Peggy Way (Stephon) and Lisa Moore (Levi); nephews, Devon Way and Malik Scott; her beloved aunts, Bertha Mae Williams of New York, Essie Lou Ashley of Wagener, SC, Lucille Thurmond of Gaston, SC, and Retha Bell Thurmond of North, SC; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends, who will forever hold her in their hearts.

Annette's warmth, compassion, and grace will never be forgotten, and her memory will live on in the hearts of all who knew and loved her.

## Memories











# **Order of Service**

Funeral Directors
Ms. Rose Marie Moore
40:1-4
Reverend Wayne Abney ans 4:16-17
Reverend Rubin Thurmond
Mr. Lonnie Clark
Ms. Lynn Williams Zionah Bright, Grandchildren
Mr. Lonnie Clark
Bishop William James Scott, Jr.



# Committal, Benediction, and Interment

11:00 a.m., Monday, February 3, 2025 Carolina Memorial Gardens 7113 Rivers Avenue North Charleston, South Carolina

### *To Honour You* By: Connie F. Kiefer Byrd

To honour you... I get up every day and take a breath. And start another day without you in it. To honour you... I laugh and love with those who knew your smile And the way your eyes twinkled with mischief and secret knowledge. To honour you... I take the time to appreciate everyone I love, I know now there is no guarantee of days or hours spent in their presence. To honour you... I listen to music you would have liked, And sing at the top of my lungs, with the windows rolled down To honour you... I take chances, say what I feel, hold nothing back, Risk making a fool of myself, dance every dance. You were my light, my heart, my gift of love, from the very highest source. So every day, I vow to make a difference, share a smile, live, laugh and love. Now I live for us both, so all I do, I do to honour you.

#### **Pallbearers**

Family and Friends

#### Floral Bearers

Family and Friends

## Acknowledgement

With heartfelt appreciation, the family of the late Annette Bright extends sincere thanks for your messages, flowers, and acts of kindness during this time of bereavement. Your love and support have brought us comfort, and as our hearts find healing, we look forward to expressing our gratitude personally. May God bless you abundantly. **The Bright Family** 



Homegoing Celebration for Mrs. Annette Scott Bright



## Sunday, February 2, 2025 1:00 P.M.

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

Bishop William James Scott, Jr. -Officiating-