

## Pallbearers

Family and Friends

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## Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mrs. Mary Virginia Pugh, wish to thank everyone for their acts of kindness, encouraging words, and sympathy shown during the passing of our loved one. Also, we would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to Reverend Scott, Deacon Reardon, Deacon Breedlove, Deacon Cooley, and the other deacons for their encouragement. We would like to also give a special thank you to Heart of Hospice.

## Repast

First Nazareth Baptist Church Fellowship Hall  
2351 Gervais Street  
Columbia, South Carolina

## Services Entrusted To:

<b>Taylor Street Chapel</b> 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803) 771-7799 I. S. Leevy Johnson -Owner & Director-	<b>Leevy's</b> FUNERAL HOME Chris Leevy Johnson -President & Managing Director-	<b>Lower Richland Chapel</b> 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922 Leverette A. Williams, II -General Manager-
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# Celebration of Life In Loving Memory of Mrs. Mary Virginia Pugh



**Monday, January 13, 2025**  
11:00 a.m.

**First Nazareth Baptist Church**  
2351 Gervais Street  
Columbia, South Carolina

**Reverend Dr. Blakely N. Scott**  
-Pastor-





Obituary  
of  
Mrs. Mary Virginia Pugh

Mrs. Mary Virginia Pugh was born on January 29, 1939, in Savannah, Georgia. She was the daughter of the late Joseph Lee and Lila Mae Durden Lee. Mary’s parents who were married for 65 years were the parents of 10 children.

She was educated in the public school systems of Chatham County, Georgia.

Mary met and was joined in holy matrimony to Henry J. Pugh, Jr. (who went home to be with the Lord in 2009) while he was stationed at Hunter Army Airfield, in Savannah, Georgia. Their union was blessed with 52 years of marriage and one daughter.

She enjoyed cooking, crocheting, and talking with family and friends. After being ill, Mary was called home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, January 7, 2025.

Mrs. Mary Virginia Pugh leaves to cherish her precious memory: her daughter, Cynthia E. Davis (Bishop Timothy Davis) ; two granddaughters, Stephanie E. Ruff (Willie) and Ashley N. Davis; three great-grandchildren, Matthew D. Ruff, Victoria K. Ruff, and Malik Davis, all of Columbia, South Carolina; her only surviving sibling, Sara Ayala, of Savannah, Georgia; a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, other loving relatives, and caring friends, all of whom will miss her dearly.

Memories



A Service of Remembrance

- Musical Prelude
- Processional
- Viewing.....Funeral Directors
- Opoening Hymn.....“Precious Lord”
- Scripture Reading.....Minister
- Prayer.....Reverend Dr. Blakely N. Scott
- Musical Selection.....“Help Me To Hold Out”
- Musical Selection.....First Nazareth Baptist Church Choir
- Words of Comfort.....Reverend Dr. Blakey N. Scott
- Musical Selection....“May The Lord God Bless You Real Good”
- Recessional
- Postlude



Committal, Benediction and Interment

Lincoln Cemetery  
4900 Farrow Road  
Columbia, South Carolina

