

## Pallbearers

Nephews

## I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God has laid you see.

I took His hand when I heard His call  
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day  
To laugh, to love, to work, or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way  
I found the peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void  
Then fill it with remembered joys  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss  
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I savored much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart, and peace to thee-  
God wanted me now; He has set me free.

## Floral Bearers

Nieces

## Acknowledgement

We, the family of Ms. Luvenia Flemming Gwynn, wish to thank each of you for the many loving and wonderful acts of love and kindness rendered during the passing of our dear loved one. We thank each of you so much, and may God send a special blessing upon each of you.

## Services Entrusted To:

<b>Taylor Street Chapel</b> 1831 Taylor Street Columbia, SC 29201 (803)771-7799	<b>Leevy's</b> FUNERAL HOME	<b>Lower Richland Chapel</b> 9120 Garners Ferry Road Hopkins, SC 29061 (803) 776-6922
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# In Loving Memory

## Ms. Luvenia Flemming



**Friday, March 28, 2025**  
1:00 p.m.

**Antioch A.M.E. Zion Church**  
1136 Antioch AME Church Road  
Eastover, South Carolina

**Reverend Sandra A. Flemming**  
-Eulogist

# Obituary

Ms. Luvenia Flemming Gwynn was born on June 24, 1947, in Eastover, S.C. She was the eldest child of the late John H. and Lillie M. Flemming. She departed this life on Friday, March 21, 2025. She was educated in the public schools of Richland County, South Carolina, and graduated from Webber High School Class of 1964. At an early age, she was baptized and joined the Antioch A. M. E. Zion Church in Eastover, South Carolina, where she enjoyed singing in the choir. Among her many hobbies, she loved reading, visiting family and friends, and traveling.

Ms. Gwynn attended Clinton Junior College in Rockhill, South Carolina, from 1964-1966, receiving her associate degree in psychology. After receiving her associate degree, she became a case worker for Richland County. Shortly thereafter, she moved to New York to pursue an interest in public relations. Later, she moved to Boston, MA, where she worked at the New England Telephone Company. She transitioned from there to Harvard University, where in the 1970s, she managed the human resources department. During this time, Harvard Medical School (HMS), saw significant advancements in human resources, including the establishment of the Office of Recruitment and Multicultural Affairs (initially known as the Office of Recruitment and Retention of 1969), and the Joint Committee on the Status of Women in 1973, addressing issues like work/life balance and salary equity. She also hired medical doctors and staff to work on many types of research within Harvard Medical School.

From 1975-1980, Ms. Gwynn was employed by the PBS Underwriting Assistant Program Development for corporate clients, which involved underwriting for the shows "Say Brother," "Zoom," and "Julia Child's."

In the late 1980s, she moved to Atlanta, GA, where she worked as a marketing consultant.

From 1984-1989, Ms. Gwynn was employed by WPDQ, a Jacksonville, FL radio station, as an account executive, securing ad spots and commercials to fund the station. She traveled from various states across the country for Kool City Jam promotions' "Fresh Fest" featuring talents such as, LL Cool J, Bar-Kays, Lisa Lisa and the Cult Jam, New Edition, Fat Boys, and Big Daddy Kane music groups from the 1980's.

Ms. Gwynn later returned to Atlanta, GA and worked as a National Certification Agent of quality assurance for the Head Start program from the 1990s-2004. In 2014, she retired from this position and moved back home to South Carolina to be closer to family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John H. and Lillie M. Flemming; brother, William O'Neal Flemming; son, Robert H. Green; and brothers-in-law, Tony D. Gordon of Columbia, South Carolina, and Martin A. Griffin of Jacksonville, FL.

Ms. Luvenia Flemming Gwynn leaves to mourn her passing; her daughters, Tatia Lichelle (Eric) Lopez of Pawtucket, RI and Jacqueline D. (Jlynn) Johnson, of Jacksonville, FL; a daughter-in-law, Billy L. Green of Temple, GA; brothers, John H. (Christine) Flemming, Jr, MacArthur (Sandra) Flemming, Andre C. (Lisa) Flemming of Camden, South Carolina, and Mark Flemming of Eastover South Carolina; sisters, Myrtle J. Gordon, Betty (Vincent) Roundtree, Lolita F. Shuler, Nancy F. Griffin, all of Columbia, South Carolina; Maxine F. Goodwin, of Newark, Delaware; Christie F. (Jeffery) Evans of Irmo, South Carolina, and Valerie Flemming, of Augusta, GA; 9 grandchildren; nieces; nephews; great-nieces; great-nephews; many other loving relatives and caring friends, all of whom will miss her dearly.

# Memories



# A Service of Remembrance

Prelude.....Reverend Roger McBeth  
 Processional  
 Viewing.....Funeral Directors  
 Invocation.....Reverend Dr. Robert T. Benton  
 Opening Selection.....Antioch AMEZ Church Choir  
 "Down At The Cross"  
 Old Testament.....Reverend Monica B. Branch  
 New Testament.....Reverend Monica B. Branch  
 Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Zyretta McBeth  
 Selection.....Reverend Roger and Reverend Sherman McBeth  
 "How Great Thou Art"  
 Remarks.....Ms. Levola Taylor  
 Ms. Priscilla Francis and Mr. Robert Green  
 Ms. Tatiana Lopez  
 Selection.....Ms. Maggie Bostic  
 Words of Comfort.....Reverend Sandra A. Flemming  
 Recessional  
 Postlude



## Committal, Benediction and Interment

Antioch A.M.E. Zion Church Cemetery  
 1136 Antioch AME Church Road  
 Eastover, South Carolina