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Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mrs. Cary Mae Scott, offers heartfelt thanks to the hospice team and facility staff for their attentive and compassionate care.

We would like to also thank Bishop Jenkins, the entire Progressive Church Family, and all our loving friends, for every act of kindness and generosity, shown to us during this time of bereavement.

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*A Celebration of Life
In Loving Memory*

of

MRS. CARY MAE SCOTT



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2025
1:00 P.M.

PROGRESSIVE CHURCH OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
2222 BARHAMVILLE ROAD
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

BISHOP THEODORE JENKINS, SR.
-PASTOR & PRESIDING BISHOP-

Reflections of the Life of Mrs. Cary Mae Scott

Mrs. Cary Mae Scott, 83, of Columbia, South Carolina, peacefully entered eternal rest on Wednesday, December 3, 2025. Born on April 9, 1942, in Starkville, Mississippi, she was the cherished daughter of the late Joe and Ruby Hall.

In her early years, the Hall family relocated from Starkville, Mississippi to Columbia, South Carolina, where Cary's life and legacy would take root. She graduated from Booker T. Washington High School and later earned her credentials as a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) a calling that fit her perfectly. Cary had a natural gift for connecting with people. Whether caring for patients, speaking with neighbors, or interacting with strangers, she treated each person with respect and warmth, leaving them feeling seen and valued.

Cary accepted Jesus as her Lord and Savior at an early age in life.

Cary later met and fell in love with Johnny Lee Scott, whom she married. From their union came six children who became the center of her world: Corsandra Nuesiri, Celeste Scott, Glenda Richard, Vickie Hunter, Blythe (Tim) Johnson and Julius Scott.

Cary's life was defined not only by strength, but also by the way she influenced others through simple, genuine acts of kindness. She had a rare ability to make friends effortlessly—not through grand gestures, but through listening, noticing, laughing, encouraging, and meeting people exactly where they were. She had a talent for brightening a room, sparking conversation, and making even a brief encounter feel meaningful.

She also found joy in small routines: her bingo outings, her scratch-offs, and her familiar visits to her neighborhood gas station, where she formed lasting connections with people who became like extended family. Her presence was uplifting; her words carried wisdom; her humor invited closeness. Those who knew Cary often left feeling better about life—and better about themselves.

Cary was preceded in death by her siblings, Joe Hall, Bill Davis, Freeman Hall, Louis Evans, Vera Anderson, and Virginia Milhouse, and a grandson, Victor Lamar.

She is survived by her loving siblings, Julia Jerome, Ruth Ervin, Agatha Hall, Al Hall, Betty Ishmael, and King Hall. She also leaves behind 11 grandchildren, Cevin Scott, Rashaad Proctor, Tia Barbee, Timothy Barbee, Cameron Carter, Prince Boyd, Timothy (Tre) Johnson, Chansz Johnson, Karis Scott, Makenzie Scott, and Shayla Roberts; ten great-grandchildren, Cameron, Jr., Victor, Jr., Rasheed, Dahli, Diyah, Brandon, Amir, Ava Elizabeth, David Levi, and Camelia; a host of extended family, and friends.

Tributes

Mother

2 Corinthians 5:8 tells us that to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord .

I miss you already but I rejoice knowing that you my dear are in the presence of the almighty God !

Love Vickie

Thank you grandma for showing up
thank you for constant laughs
thank you for cheering me up and telling me “its going to be okay”

Thank you for keeping me on my toes

Thank you for letting me take you to the gas station and sharing your winnings

Thank you for being you!

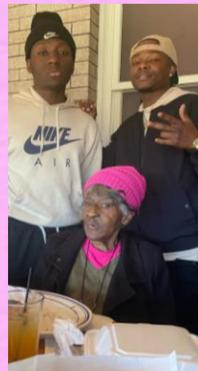
Love you always, Shayla

You were the funniest and most beautiful person I've known hands down the best gma, gonna miss the rides we had and the laughs but I know your in a better place- Favorite Grandkid

Granny, I'm gonna miss you! Thank you for raising us, caring for us and loving us. You never lost your Joy, despite all you've been through. I count it a blessing to have had access to 80+ years of wisdom. I love you! – Trey

Mama, I love you and will truly miss you!
You've persevered through so much. You are definitely an inspiration to me and all who had the pleasure of knowing you.
Til we meet each other again -Love Blythe

Memories



Order of Service

Elder Ronald T. Scott, Presiding

- Prelude
- Processional
- Viewing.....Funeral Directors
- Musical Selection.....Progressive Church Senior Choir
- Prayer.....Elder Thomas J. Smith
- Old Testament.....Elder George Dennis
- New Testament.....Elder Simon Jenkins
- Musical Selection.....Ms. Cheneta Jones, Niece
- Reflections.....Mr. King Hall, Brother
Ms. Celeste Scott, Daughter
Dr. Frances Ashe-Goins, Friend
- Musical Selection.....Sister Bernice Norman, Niece
- Reflections.....Dr. Allison Smith, Therapist
Mrs. Blythe Johnson, Daughter
Mr. Julius Scott, Son
- Musical Selection.....Progressive Church Senior Choir
"O Magnify The Lord With Me"
- Acknowledgements.....Sister Janie Davis
- Musical Selection.....Progressive Church Senior Choir
"My Help"
- Words of Comfort.....Bishop Theodore Jenkins, Sr.
- Musical Selection.....Progressive Church Senior Choir
"Joy Cometh In The Morning"
- Recessional
- Postlude



Committal, Benediction, and Interment

Lincoln Cemetery
4900 Farrow Road
Columbia, South Carolina

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