

Pallbearers

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&
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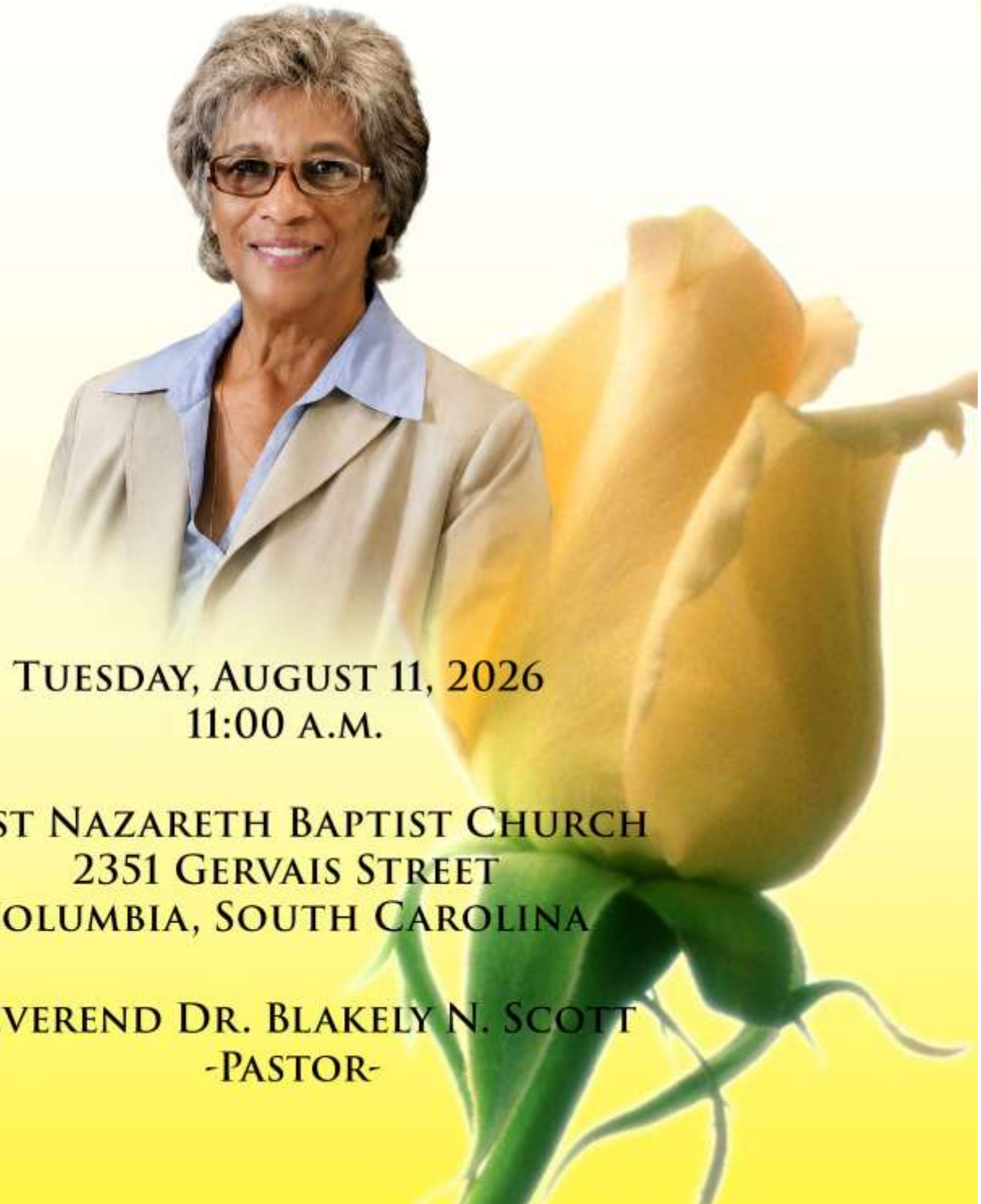
Floral Bearers

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Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mrs. Carolina Hopkins Brice, would like to thank each of you for the many acts of kindness shown to us during our time of bereavement. May God continue to bless each of you with His love, grace, and mercy.

*A Celebration of Life
In Loving Memory
of*
MRS. CAROLINA HOPKINS BRICE



**TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2026
11:00 A.M.**

**FIRST NAZARETH BAPTIST CHURCH
2351 GERVAIS STREET
COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA**

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Reflections of the Life of Mrs. Carolina Hopkins Brice

Mrs. Carolina Hopkins Brice was born on December 3, 1939, in Columbia, SC. She was born to the late Trezavant Dunlap and Viola Hopkins. She transitioned and answered God's call on Tuesday, August 4, 2026, at the family home.

Mrs. Brice was raised in the Valley Park Community on Stark Street. She was educated in Richland County Public Schools, where she received her diploma from C.A. Johnson High School. She was a dedicated member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #4262.

Mrs. Brice was baptized at an early age and later became a devoted member of First Nazareth Baptist Church. She was a member for over 50 years and served on the Pastor's Aide Ministry and attended Bible Study regularly.

Mrs. Brice was employed at Sylvan's Jewelers for 52 years, retiring in 2022. She was a dedicated employee serving as a shipping/receiving clerk and salesperson. She received a Dedicated Service plaque for her years of exemplary service in 2011. She was heavily admired by Sylvan's customers, who would often come inside just to talk with her. She was a historic figure on Main Street, being the longest and oldest working employee in the area. Any morning throughout the week; you could be guaranteed to find her sitting in a corner in Duck Inn enjoying her morning coffee and bowl of grits.

Mrs. Brice was all about family. She was a loving matriarch to her children and adored her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Her favorite moments were spent at family gatherings. She enjoyed making her family laugh with her wit and sarcasm. When family visited, she never wanted them to leave. She loved to cook, travel and listen to music. She welcomed all who entered her home.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of over 60 years: William Milton Brice; three sisters, Gladys Rhodes, Flora Daniels, Mary Hopkins; and three brothers; John Hopkins, Trezavant Hopkins, and Harry Dunlap.

Mrs. Brice is survived by her eight children, all of Columbia, SC, Norman Brice, Cozette Goodwin, Gwendolyn Brice Irick (William), Vincent Brice (Lena), Tony Brice (Sherri), Carol Brice, Eric Brice and William R. Brice (Teresa Wilson). She also leaves behind 13 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, other loving and caring family members, and friends who will all miss her dearly.

God's Garden

God looked around his garden
And found an empty place.
He then looked down upon the earth,
And saw your tired face.

He put His arms around you
And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He always takes the best.

He knew that you were suffering,
He knew that you were in pain.
He knew that you would never
Get well on earth again.

He saw the road was getting rough
And the hills were hard to climb.
So He closed your weary eyelids
And whispered "Peace be thine."

It broke our hearts to lose you
But you did not go alone...
For part of us went with you
The day God called you home.



Memories



Order of Service

Prelude.....“Goodness of God”

Processional

Viewing.....Funeral Directors

Opening Selection.....“When We All Get to Heaven”.....Choir

Scripture Reading.....Reverend Edward H. McDowell

Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Edward H. McDowell

Musical Selection..... “It Is Well”.....Deacon Donnie Mack

Remarks.....Deacon Marcus Davis
Ms. Vanessa Jumper
Mr. Michael Irick

Solo..... “My Soul Has Been Anchored”.....Deacon Donnie Mack

Words of ComfortReverend Dr. Blakely N. Scott

Recessional.....“Oh, I Want to See Him”.....Choir

Postlude



Committal, Benediction & Interment

Greenlawn Memorial Park
7100 Garners Ferry Road
Columbia, South Carolina



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