

Miss Me But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room
Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little-but not too long
And not with your head bowed low
Remember the love that we once shared
Miss me-but let me go

For this is a journey that we all must take
And each must go alone.
It's all part of the Master's plan
A step on the road to home

When you are lonely and sick of heart
Go to the friends we know
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds
Miss me but let me go.

Author: Christina Georgina Rossetti

Pallbearers

Grandsons

Floral Bearers

Granddaughters and Nieces

Expressions of Gratitude

We, the family of Mrs. Virginia M. Johnson, wish to thank each and every one of you for your loving kindness expressed during the illness and passing of our loved one.

Special Thanks To:

Ms. Sharon and Ms. Kaye from Prisma Health Hospice

Mrs. Hill for Transport to Church

Mrs. Renee' Gillie

IN LOVING MEMORY OF VIRGINIA, THANK YOU ALL.

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Celebrating the Life of

Sunrise
MAY 3,
1934

Sunset
OCTOBER 31,
2021

MRS.
Virginia Mae
JOHNSON

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2021 | 11:00 AM

ST. PAUL BAPTIST CHURCH
4517 North Main Street, Columbia, SC 29203

The Obituary

Mrs. Virginia Mae Johnson was born on May 3, 1934 to the late Jake and Christine Brown Johnson, Jr. in Columbia, South Carolina. She quietly transitioned to her heavenly home on Sunday, October 31, 2021 in the comforting home of her son and daughter-in-law.

Virginia was educated in the public schools of Richland County and was a graduate of C. A. Johnson High School. She was a hardworking, dedicated employee of Craft Farrow State Hospital where she remained until her retirement.

Virginia was a faithful member of New Ebenezer Baptist Church until she moved her membership to Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Church with her husband. She remained a dedicated member until her illness prevented her from attending regularly. Virginia was also a member of the Blythewood Ladies Club, The Friendly Ladies, and Ladies of Leisure Auxiliary where she enjoyed fellowship with her friends.

Virginia was a loving and devoted wife, mother, and friend. She will always be remembered for her kindness and gentle spirit.

In addition to her parents, Virginia was preceded in death by her husband, Harold L. Johnson.

Virginia leaves to cherish her loving memory her son, Tyrone "Butchie" (Adell) Johnson of Columbia, SC; daughter, Teshia Brown of Greensboro, NC; seven grandchildren, Jamaal "Big Man" Coal, Joshua "Pork Chop" Brown, Toni Arianna Roberts, Tyrone L. Johnson, Jr., LaRhonda Harrell, Santa' Harrell, and Johnathan Entzminger; two siblings, Elvin Smith of Chicago, IL and Jake Johnson, Jr. of Columbia, SC; fifteen great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Reverend Rock Sims, Officiating

Prelude

Processional

Final Viewing

Myers Mortuary

Opening Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

Psalms 23

Reverend Charles Epps

New Testament

John 14:7-8

Ms. Linda Hall

Prayer of Comfort

Deacon Rufus Watts

Selection

Ms. Mechelle Simons

Remarks (2 minutes please)

Senator John L. Scott, Jr., SC District 19

Deacon Rufus Watts, Church

Ms. Marian Grayson, Sunday School Teacher

Ms. Toni Roberts, Granddaughter

Ms. Jamyra Coad, Great-granddaughter

Selection

"His Eye is On the Sparrow"

Ms. Mechelle Simons

Words of Comfort

Reverend Rock Sims

Recessional

"I'll Fly Away"

Committal, Benediction, Interment

Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Church Cemetery
9300 Farrow Road, Columbia, SC 29223