



## *Expressions of Gratitude*

The family of Joan Land would like to express our thanks and gratitude for your presence. We appreciate all of the ongoing support and acts of kindness during our bereavement.

"We are confident, I say, and willing rather to be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord."  
(2 Corinthians 5:8)

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## *Celebration of Life*



*Sister*  
**JOAN LAND**

**SUNDAY MAY 30, 2021**  
**3 PM AT ROSE HILL MEMORIAL GARDENS**  
**1601 GRAINGER ROAD, CONWAY, SOUTH CAROLINA**

*Please Wear Accents of Red*



Sister Joan Land was born May 27th, 1944, to the late Almena McCray. On Monday, May 24, 2021, she laid down her earthly body to start her new journey in heaven.

Born in Conway, SC, some of her best memories were made on Racepath Avenue. As a teenager, she became like an older sister to some of the children in the community. Later in life, she called them her adopted children. In the 1960's, she met the man of her dreams, the late Aarian Herbert Land, Sr. while he was stationed at Myrtle Beach Air Force Base. They married in 1968 and traveled the world together creating wonderful and exciting memories. As they journeyed, God saw fit to have her grandmother join them until her transition in 1990. While on their amazing journey, their union was blessed with three beautiful children: Aarian Jr., Denise, and Michael.

Her grandmother, who raised her, added extra sweetness to their voyage and together, they made road trips full of laughter and adventure, visiting places like California, Japan, New York, and Washington to name a few. She absolutely loved her grandmother and her grandma Vick adored her.

While at Various duty stations, Joan worked as a childcare provider. She absolutely loved children. She loved children so much that she opened her home to many foster children. After retiring from being a foster parent and working in childcare, she decided to go to work again. In her new career, she was quickly promoted as manager and taste tester of her daughter's sweet creations; sneaking a few extras to taste here and there.

Joan loved the Lord and was a member of Friendship Missionary Baptist Church. She gave her life to the Lord and was baptized under the leadership of Rev. Charles Milton Pee.

She is proceeded in death by her husband; Aarian H. Land, Sr. and her youngest son, Michael Djervitus Land. Even though this chapter in her book is complete, her life story is not ending but only beginning. With the closing of this chapter, she leaves to cherish her son, Aarian Herbert Land, Jr. (Cynthia), her daughter, Denise K. Land, her adopted children of Racepath, along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

## Order of Service

(Graveside)

### Hymn

What a friend we have in Jesus (Latimer)

### Old Testament Scripture

Deacon Solomon Eagles

### New Testament Scripture

Bro Ronald Phillips

### Solo

Sis. Kim Lee

### Remarks

(3 MIN MAX)

Elder Addison Wright

Fredericka Higgs

### Acknowledgments

Janice Stover

### Solo

Sis. Kym Alston

### Eulogy

Rev. Charles M. Pee

### Committal

(Song): Luther Barnes – Spirit Fall Down (viewing)

