

Heaven's Door

Jesus is coming soon.
Down the stairways of Heaven.
Just and true children prepare yourself
You are home free at last.

Lead us with your guiding light
As of many times before
Praise to you Almighty
We've knocked on Heaven's door.

Before you take away our breath
Won't you please let us come in?
We've prayed, honored,
and committed ourselves
For we knew our days would end.

With hope that we are chosen
We know what lies in store
Splendor with our Lord
We've knocked on Heaven's door.

Quench our thirst, O' Righteous one
There's no boundaries we cannot cross
We'll walk over mountains and valleys
Just to be with you.

We'll return to dust one day
And surely cannot come forth
Never again to roam the earth
We've knocked on Heaven's Door!

Floral & Pall Bearers

Friends & Family



Acknowledgements

Words cannot adequately express the gratitude we have for our family and friends who have consoled us during this time of bereavement. Your presence, prayers, love, and many acts of kindness have truly sustained us. Again, we say Thank You and may God continue to bless you all.

-The Family

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Forever In Our Hearts

Gladys F. McDougald

May 15, 1942 - September 27, 2021



FUNERAL SERVICE

Monday, October 4, 2021 - 1:00 PM
Paradise AME Zion Church
495 Lloyd Stewart Road
Broadway, North Carolina 27505
Rev. Renwycke Harris, Pastor

Order of Service

Rev. Fitzgerald Lee—Officiating

- Processional.....Clergy & Family
- Musical Selection.....Paradise Choir
- Scripture.....Rev. George Headen
 - Old Testament
 - New Testament
- Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Sarah Bass
- Acknowledgements & Obituary.....Janice Clay Petty
- Remarks.....2 Minutes Please
- Solo
- Eulogy.....Rev. Renwycke Harris
- Recessional



Interment

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Obituary

One of these days I’m going home to get my just reward, If I work hard I know I’ll get my pay, look at’em standing with his arms wide open waiting to welcome me, no more pain now I’m **RESTING EASY** over on the other shore.

Gladys Faye McDougald has done just that, she has received her reward for being a good and faithful servant.

Gladys, known to many as “Faye”, was born to Pearl Bethea on May 15, 1942, in Harnett County. On September 27, 2021, at 3:30 PM a call was made from the heavenly choir that the best soprano Paradise AME Zion Church ever had was needed and in true fashion Faye answered the call.

Faye wore many hats from Sunday School Teacher to Pastor’s Aide and everything to be a blessing in building God’s Kingdom. But to her family she was so much more...sister, friend, mother to the motherless, auntie, babysitter and the first **UNPAID** Uber Driver. She was also a baker.....Who could forget the **GINGERBREAD**?!!!! An avid reader and fisherwoman, but her greatest love was her gift as a Master Chef.

Faye received her education in the Harnett County school system and continued her education at CCCC. While working many years in the manufacturing industry and retail, long lasting friendships were made, they became family to her, and many called her Auntie Faye.

She was preceded in death by her parents Charlie and Pearl Bethea, father Albert Moore and brother Terry "Ted" McDougald; sisters Martha Jane Bethea and Lillian (Bea) Clay.

The legacy she left behind will not be forgotten as it lives on in her five sisters: Gracie Palmer of Sanford, NC, Ronnie Rollins of Sacramento, CA, Ella Lee of Sanford, NC, Kimetha “Kim” Moore Watson (Gregory) Spring Lake, NC, Wilma “Jeannie” Mitchell (Greg) Grand Prairie TX; three brothers: Michael Moore (Deborah) Spring Lake NC, Willie McNeill (Bobbie Jean) Norrington NC and Charles “Greg” Bethea (Melba) Phoenix AZ; and host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.