

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call:

I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way;
I found my place at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too shall miss.
Be not burdened with times of sorrow:
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savoured much;
Good friends, good times, a loved ones
touch.

Perhaps my life seemed all too brief:
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me;
God wanted me now, He set me free.

Precious Memories



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CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF



Sunrise
August 30, 1942

Sunset
September 13, 2021

Bernice Virginia
CLARK

Friday, September 17, 2021 at 1:00 P.M.

**New Hope Baptist Church
Newberry, South Carolina 29108
Reverend C. W. Wilson, Pastor Officiating**

The Obituary

Miss Bernice Virginia Clark was born on August 30, 1942 in Newberry, South Carolina to the late Jim and Mildred K. Clark. She entered into Eternal Life on Monday, September 13, 2021 at White Oak Manor Newberry, South Carolina.

Miss Clark gave her life to Christ at an early age. She was a faithful member of New Hope Baptist Church, where she served as an usher and a member of the gospel choir for a period of time. Miss Clark also served and was a faithful member of the kitchen committee and served as the treasurer of the Missionary Auxiliary. She was also a member of Women's Home Aide Society #2. Miss Clark was employed with Newberry County Memorial Hospital for 43 years. She was a graduate of Gallman High School.

Miss Clark was preceded in death by three brothers, James, Willie and Raymond Clark.

Those who celebrate her life and loving memories include her sisters, Mamie and Mattie Shippy, three brothers, James (Carol, J. D. (Pearl) and Jimmy (Alice) Shippy; two devoted sisters-in-law, Bessie Clark and Dorothy (Jerome) Glymph, two dedicated 1st cousins, Harold and John (Jessie) Reeder, a host of nieces, nephews, great and -great nieces and nephews and a multitude of friends who all loved her dearly.

The Twenty-Third Psalm

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.



The Order of Service

Friday, September 17, 2021 at 1:00 P.M.

Selection

Prayer

Deacon Eugene Wilson, Jr.

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Psalms 23

New Testament John 3:16-17

Remarks

Deacon David Goggans

Selection

Sister Anita Goggans

Words of Comfort

Reverend C. W. Wilson

Committal and Benediction

Graveside

Interment

New Hope Baptist Church
Newberry, South Carolina

The Family Acknowledgment

We, the family of the late Bernice V. Clark, acknowledge with deep appreciation the many kind and comforting expressions of sympathy shown to us cards, floral tributes, calls, visits, prayers and other expressions of love. May God richly bless each of you.