



## PALLBEARERS

Family & Friends

# When I'm Gone

By: Lyman Hancock

When I come to the end of my journey  
And I travel my last weary mile  
Just forget if you can, that I ever frowned  
And remember only the smile  
Forget unkind words I have spoken  
Remember some good I have done  
Forget that I ever had heartache  
And remember I've had loads of fun  
Forget that I've stumbled and blundered  
And sometimes fell by the way  
Remember I have fought some hard battles  
And won, ere the close of the day  
When I am gone along the road  
Then forget to grieve for my going  
I would not have you sad for a day  
But in summer just gather some flowers  
And remember the place where I lay  
And come in the shade of evening  
When the sun paints the sky in the west  
Stand for a few moments beside me  
And remember only my best

## Arrangements Entrusted to:



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## CELEBRATING THE LIFE

of

# Ms. Laura Wright

Saturday, December 17, 2022  
11:00 AM

## Green Grove Baptist Church

1165 GA Highway 26  
Hawkinsville, Georgia

-Pastor & Eulogist-  
Rev. Derrell McIntosh



# Obituary

Laura Wright, better known as “Aunt Laura”, was born April 20, 1953, to the late William H. and the late Mrs. Laura Lantz-Timberlake of Philadelphia, PA.

Laura received her diploma from the School District of Philadelphia. She also attended a technical program where she earned her typing certification. She was the first female member of the brick layers union in Philadelphia. She resided in a home she participated in building. Additionally, she worked for many years in the family-owned business, Laura’s Deli.

Laura was baptized on May 26, 2019, at Green Grove Baptist Church, Elko, Georgia, where she was a proud member.

She was given the nickname “Laura Light” by her father at a young age because she was the light of his eye.

In 1972, Laura was joined in holy matrimony to the late Bruce D. Parrish. From this union one son was born who proceeded her in death, Bruce D. Parrish Jr. In 1999, she married the late Larry Wright. In 2011, she moved to Georgia where she married her current husband, Thomas (June Bug) Stokelin in 2021.

Laura loved dogs, cooking, and children. She had a precious pet companion named Snowball that proceeded her in death who she treasured and adored. Anytime there was a family gathering or a fellowship Laura would be in the kitchen cooking the food. Although she only had one son, she was a second mother to her nieces and nephews. Jeainna “Cookie” Bryant (niece) and Dream “Pooh Pooh” Bailey was very near and dear to her heart.

Two siblings proceeded her in death, Linda Timberlake (sister) and William Timberlake (brother). She leaves to cherish her memory her loving husband, Thomas (June Bug) Stokelin; brother, Larry Lantz (Lois), Atlantic City, NJ; sister, Orajeane Brothers, Phila, PA; one close cousin that was more like a brother, Conrad T. Wells (Sheila), Phila, PA; a host of nieces and nephews to include Darryl Brother, Lori Brothers, Dawn (Nezzie) Bartlett, Danyel Timberlake, Dawn Timberlake, Jason Lantz, Elisha Timberlake, William Timberlake, Andrew Odom, Christopher Bailey, Adrina Bailey; and a host of great-nieces and nephews, cousin, and friends.



# Order of Service

MUSICAL SELECTION

PROCESSIONAL & VIEWING

PRAYER

READING OF THE SCRIPTURES:

*Old Testament*

*New Testament*

SOLO

*Deacon Fred Askew*

REFLECTIONS

EULOGY

*Senior Pastor Derrell McIntosh*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS & ECHOES  
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*The Bentley-Carson Memorial Staff*

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\*After eulogy close the casket with the family.