













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 a part of the Master's plan, A step on the road home. When you are lonely and sick at heart, Go to the friends we know. And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds, Miss me - but let me go.

Casket Bearers

Family and Friends

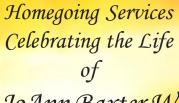
Floral Bearers Family and Friends

Acknowledgment

We, the family of the late JoAnn B. Worthy, would like to express our appreciation of the outpouring of love shown to us in our time of need. We pray that God will bless each of you in a special way.

— The Family Services Entrusted To:

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Mrs. JoAnn Baxter Worthy

Sunrise December 16, 1953

Sunset February 9, 2019



Thursday, February 14, 2019 12:00 P.M.

Saint Matthew A.M.E. Zion Church Whitmire, South Carolina

> Reverend Edward J. Wilson, Pastor Officiating



Obituary

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course. I have kept the faith; Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness."

II Timothy 4:7-8

JoAnn Baxter Worthy was born December 16, 1953, to the late George Jackson and the late Elizabeth Baxter. She departed this life on Saturday, February 9, 2019.

She was a member of St. Matthew A.M.E. Zion Church where she served on the Usher Board, Kitchen Committee and sang on the Gospel Choir until declining health. She attended the public schools of Newberry County. She had a very sweet spirit about herself and would never say no to anyone.

Mrs. Worthy was predeceased by two grandchildren, Jarvis Baxter and Nastalja Worthy.

Those who cherish her memory include her husband, Marshall R. Worthy of the home; daughters, Tameka Worthy Chaplin (Juan) of Whitmire, SC, Tina Syphertt (Kenny) of North Augusta, SC, Sarah Hall and Roxanne Hall of Newberry, SC; sons, David Baxter (Hope) of Newberry, SC. Tyrone Baker (Gina) of Pomaria, SC, Antonio Baker (Mary) of Saluda, SC, Marshall De'Monte Worthy of Whitmire, SC; sisters, Angela Epps (Reginald) of Newberry, SC, Mary Martin (Tyrone) of Prosperity, SC; brother, Bennie "A.B." Baxter of Newberry, SC; twenty-three grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; five aunts, Mildred Crooks, Thomasina Eigner, Dorothy Bowers, Carolyn Cooper, and Rebecca Baxter; two uncles, George Baxter and Larry Baxter; mother-in-law, Sarah Worthy, and father-in-law, Reverend Thomas Worthy of Whitmire, SC; four sisters-in-law; three brothers-in-law; and a host of nieces, nephews, including a special nepew that called her grandma, Romez Wells, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

| Prelude Elmurray Bookman |
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| Processional |
| Final Viewing Family and Friends |
| Selection |
| Prayer |
| Scripture Reading Old Testament |
| Reflections |
| Selection |
| Words of Comfort |
| Recessional |
| Committal & Benediction Graveside |
| Interment |