Broken Chain

We little knew that morning that God was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly. In death we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you. You did not go alone, for part of us went with you, the day God called you home. You left us peaceful memories; your love is still our guide; and though we cannot see you, you are always at our side. Our family chain is broken and nothing seems the same, but as God calls us one by one the chain will link again.



I Miss You, Momma

I thought of you with Love today,
but that is nothing new.
I thought about you yesterday
and days before that too.
I think of you in silence.
I often speak your name.
All I have is memories
and your picture in a frame.
Your memory is my keepsake.
Of which I'll never part.
God has you in his keeping.
I have you in my heart.
I Love you, Momma

Pallbearers

Eugene Salmond
Julian Hamblin

Jedarius Hayes Isaac Salmond

Flower Bearers

Courtney Hollmon

Amora Brown

Camryn Hollmon

Ariyah Brown

Keyaheira Brown

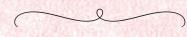
Joyce Salmond Brooks

Darlasia Salmond

Acknowledgement

We, the family of the late Mrs. Easter Mae Salmond, would like to take this opportunity to thank each of you for your prayers, cards, floral arrangements, telegrams, love tokens, personal visits, and the acts of kindness shown to us during this very special occasion in our lives. May God continue to bless each and every one of you.

The Salmond Family



We, the staff of Nelson-Haile Funeral Home, sincerely hope that our service has been a source of comfort to each of you. Our goal, for the past five generations, has been and continues to be to provide excellent services to those families we are privileged to serve.



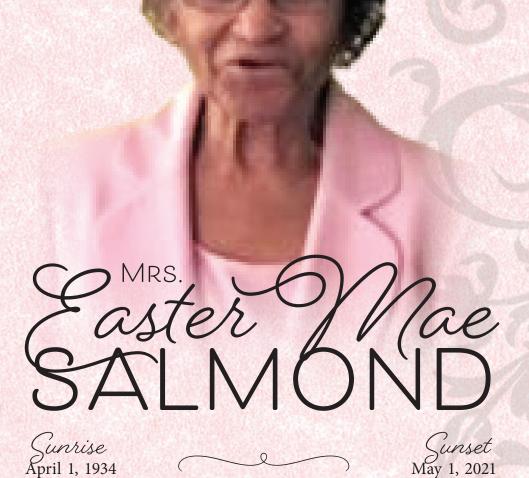
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Reverend Leroy Sims, Jr., Pastor

Life Reflections

Easter Mae Salmond was born on Easter Sunday, April 1, 1934, in Boykin, South Carolina, to the late Lillie (Peggy) Gridine and Carolina (Dobe) Hollmon. As a child, she assisted her parents in sharecropping, while receiving early education in Horatio. In 1955, the family moved to Camden, where she met Leon Salmond. The two were later married on March 7, 1957, and from this union, three children were born: Leon Jr., Isaac, and Easter Vanessa.

Easter worked for many years for a local pediatrician, Dr. Charles Zemp, before being employed by Kershaw County School District. Throughout her profession, she worked at Camden Primary, Camden Elementary, Camden Middle, and Lugoff Elementary Schools in the food service department, prior to retiring in 2002. Throughout her life, not only did Easter raise her own children, but she was also responsible for the care of some of her nieces and nephews. These include Marilyn (Carolyn Salmond), Pamela (Lisa) Hollmon, Roosevelt (Cat) Hollmon, Dewayne Belton, Maurisa Salmond, Joyce Jamison Brooks, and Felicia Stanfield. She also raised her two grandchildren, the late Robert C. Salmond and his sister, Nancy Salmond.

Easter accepted Christ as her personal savior in 1956 and joined Good Hope Methodist Church. She later became a member of Broom Hill Baptist Church in the 1960s. She was a member of the Composite Lodge Chapter 227 of the Order of Eastern Stars, as well as a member of the Missionary Board, the Usher Board, and a member of Broom Hill Gospel Choir.

Throughout her life, Easter was known for cooking and baking. She was always charitable, honest, hardworking, and always put family first.

Easter Salmond departed life on May 1, 2021. Easter was preceded in death by her sisters, Liltha Arthur, Elsie Johnson, Rosetta Hayes, Naomi Hollmon, and Nancy Belton; and two brothers, Robert Hollmon and Carolina Hollmon, Jr.

Easter is survived by: her husband, Leon B. Salmond, Sr.; two sons, Leon Salmond, Jr., and Isaac Salmond; one daughter, Easter Vanessa Slater; one surviving grandchild, Nancy Salmond; two daughters-in-law, Delores and Gail; one son-in-law, Bernard Slater; two surviving sisters, Christine Gathers and Geneva P. Hollmon; four brothers-in-law, Isaac Salmond III, George Salmond, Henry Salmond, and Eugene Salmond; four sisters-in-law, Dorothy Hollmon, Irma Salmond, Wilhelmina Salmond, and Carolyn Salmond; and by a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Precious Memories



Order of Service

Reverend Leroy Sims, Jr., Presiding

REMARKS......Deacon L.C. Powell
Paula Warren Radden
Nangy Salmand

Nancy Salmond
Pearl Bennett
Bernice Harris

POEM.......Maurisa Salmond

POEM......Easter Slater

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/RESOLUTION...Eugenia Hollmon

SONG OF PRAISE...... Broom Hill Baptist Church

WORDS OF COMFORT......Reverend Leroy Sims, Jr.

MUSICAL SELECTION.....Elder Sammie Dennis

RECESSIONAL

Committal, Benediction, & Interment
Broom Hill Baptist Church Cemetery
Rembert, South Carolina