



Change of Address Notice

Dear Family and Friends,

Please be advised that I moved. I received a call the other day from GOD, and He informed me that my new home was complete. I knew that my mansion needed some finishing touches and that JESUS

CHRIST had to inspect it and give me the final approval.

In the morning of January 23, 2016, He let me know that my mansion was complete and that I could move in, so He told me to go ahead and change my address. Well, my new home is finished, and what a sight to behold. It is located on an exclusive estate area behind a beautiful pearly gate. Of course you know the streets are paved with Gold and everyday is Sunday just like you have been told. Trees of fruit grace my garden there and I can walk and talk with my master with not a worry or a care.

There's peace here, joy, happiness, and no pain or heartache, strife or discontent, only sweet serenity. I can dine at the Master's bountiful table and listen to a Heavenly choir. And best of all, my Heavenly Father is here in ALL His Glory; oh, yes, I have my own designer here who has fitted me with my own white robe and my very own wings, I could go on and on about my new home, but instead, I am going to pray that you can get to move yourself one day...But, before I go, let me give you my new address:

Shirley Ann Fant
60 Heavenly Circle
God Town, Heaven 11946

P.S. I don't have a telephone, but you can always call on God. If you don't know His Number, read your Bible; it's listed on every page.

Pallbearers

Friends

Floral Bearers

Young Women's Community Action Club
and
Ericka Williams
Sharon Fuller
Melissa Williams Davis
Taunya Kennedy

Expression of Appreciation

With a deep sense of gratitude, we offer our sincere thanks to all of you who have been so kind to us during the passing of our loved one. Your kind words of sympathy, acts of kindness and your prayers will always be remembered. May God continue to shower His grace, blessings and love upon you.

— The Family



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Homegoing Service of Love

Celebrating the Life of

Mrs. Shirley A. Fant



Sunrise
October 4, 1954

Sunset
January 23, 2016

Thursday, January 28, 2016
1:00 p.m.

Mount Cowell Missionary Baptist Church
Joanna, South Carolina

Reverend Alan Goggins, Jr., Pastor

Obituary

Mrs. Shirley Ann Summers Fant, daughter of Mrs. Helen Wheeler Summers and the late Mr. Willie Summers, was born October 4, 1954, in Joanna, South Carolina. She entered into the arms of Jesus on Saturday, January 23, 2016, at Laurens County Memorial Hospital in Clinton, South Carolina.

She was a member of Mount Cowell Missionary Baptist Church of Joanna, SC where she served as a Deaconess and the Pulpit Aid. She was the president of Joanna Young Women’s Community Action Club for 38 years.

She retired from the South Carolina Department of Disability and Special Needs. After retiring, she became a part-time employee of Laurens County Coroner’s Office.

Mrs. Fant was preceded to Heaven by a daughter, Victoria Helene Fant and a sister, Claudia Higgins.

Those who celebrate her life and cherish precious and loving memories are her mother, Mrs. Helen Summers of Joanna, SC; husband, John Willie Fant of the home; one son, Vernon Andre Fant of the home; seven grandchildren; one brother, Michael Wilson (Cheryl) of Newberry, SC; five sisters, Mary Lou Cooper (Henry) of Brooklyn, New York, Jean Dublin of Clinton, SC, Vanessa Wesley of Joanna, SC, Denise Mims (Willie) of Clinton, SC and Patricia Wilson (Rev. C.W. Wilson) of Joanna, SC; one uncle, Lewis Burton of Newberry, SC; one aunt, Ruth Sturkey of Clinton, SC; brothers-in-law, Jimmy Higgins of Fayetteville, NC, Obie Long, Jerry Long (Carolyn) and Charles Long, all of Newberry, SC; sisters-in-law, Shirley Young (Wallace), Patricia Baylor, Linda Senn (Freddie) and Edith Fant, all of Newberry, SC, Evangelist Willie Fant of Joanna, SC, Connie Fant of North Carolina, Synthie Anderson of Laurens, SC, Mary Booker (Vance) of Carlisle, SC, Harriette Gallman of Prosperity, SC and Patricia Abanathy (Isaac) of Columbia, SC; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends including devoted friends, Rolanza Wilson of Washington, DC, Ethel Jackson of Charleston, SC, Janice Nelson of Clinton, SC, Mary Burton, Willie Mae Simpson and Barbara McBeth, all of Joanna, SC.



Order of Service

Reverend C.W. Wilson, Presiding

- Prelude
- Processional Clergy and Family
- Final Viewing Family
- Solo Miss Courtney Wilson, Niece
- Scripture
 - Old Testament Evangelist Patricia Miller
 - New Testament Reverend Richard Crump
- Prayer of Comfort Reverend Ray Pilgrim
- Selection First Lady Patricia Wilson, Sister
- Reflections
 - Community Mrs. Mary Burton
 - Church Deacon Johnny Peake
 - Family Keena Wilson
- Selection Mount Cowell Missionary Baptist Church Choir
- Words of Comfort Reverend Alan Goggins, Jr.
- Prayer of Strength Reverend Wright Austin
- Recessional
- Committal, Closing Prayer
 - and Benediction Reverend Dr. Jeffery McDowell
 - Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church
- Interment Orchard Park Memorial Gardens
Clinton, South Carolina