# Order of Service Reverend Cedric M. Boyd, Presiding

Prelude	Mr. Christopher Hopkins and Company
Processional	Clergy, Family and Friends
Selection	Ms. Regina Woodard
	Pastor T. A. Belton Pastor Larry Gaither
Prayer	Pastor Derrick Hollins
Solo	Mrs. Pleshette Powell
Reflections – 2 Minutes Please Mrs. Janet Belton, Family Evangelist Pauline Hughes Mrs. Velma Pauling Jenkin-Winnsboro High Class of 1978 Lt. Bruce Ginyard	
Solo	Ms. Angela Robertson
Reflections	Walmart and Associates
Special Tribute to Family	Ms. Carolyn Chatman Taylor
Selection	Family
Words of Comfort	Elder Melvin Belton
Recessional	Funeral Directors

#### **Committal Rites and Presentation**

Bible Light Holiness Church Cemetery 9590 State Highway 34 East Ridgeway, SC 29130

#### Repast

St. Luke Baptist Church 183 St. Luke Church Road Winnsboro, SC 29180

### Floral Bearers

Nieces Winnsboro High Class of 1978

## Pall Bearers

Nephews

### **Your Love Is Special**

Your Love is oh so special,
I've found out through the years;
You've gone away today,
And I have shed so many tears;
But I am so grateful to have known you,
And enjoyed your short sweet stay;
Because of you I now know what love is,
And that's all I have to say.
I Love You My Dear Sister,
Because Your Love Is Oh So Special!

## Written and presented by: Mrs. Janet Belton

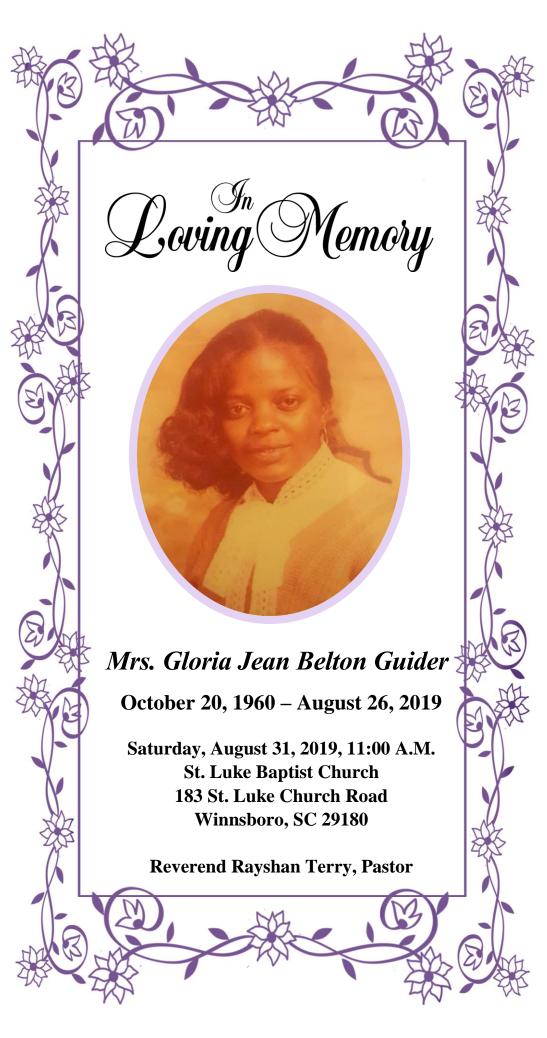
## Acknowledgements

The Guider and Belton families acknowledge with great appreciation and thanks for ALL expressions and acts of love rendered by their friends, coworkers, classmates, neighbors, and relatives during their hour of bereavement. Thank you for your visits, calls, cards, and prayers. Because of God and you, your kind and comforting words helped us endure our loss. For this, we can never repay you and you will always be in our hearts and prayers. Your thoughtfulness we will treasure forever and ALWAYS! May God continue to bless and keep all of you! With all of our love today and always!

#### The Guider and Belton Families



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# **Obituary**

Mrs. Gloria Jean Belton Guider slipped away into eternal rest Monday afternoon, August 26, 2019. She was born October 20, 1960 in the Ridgeway Community of South Carolina and she was the second oldest of ten siblings born to Joseph Floyd Belton, Sr. and Leatha Mae Walker Belton. At an early age, she and her four youngest siblings moved to Newark, New Jersey with their parents for a brief stay, before moving back to Ridgeway, SC where they permanently resided.

She received a high school diploma from Winnsboro High School, Winnsboro, SC in 1978, and later pursued a nursing degree at Denmark Technical College, Denmark, SC and Rice College, Columbia, SC.

Gloria worked various jobs throughout the community but most will remember her kindred spirit at Walmart on Killian Road in Columbia, SC.

"Jean," as she was called by many, was straight-forward and very generous in giving her time to helping others. She loved cooking and feeding family and friends. She was also recognized by many for her outstanding pound cakes. In the eyes of her younger siblings, nieces and nephews alike, she was considered their "Second Momma."

At her first encounter with outsiders who wanted to date her siblings, nieces or nephews, they were not considered "good enough." Nevertheless, once Jean really got to know you, she became a true friend indeed. Jean willingly offered her shoulder and listening ears when someone was in need. Jean's greatest inspiration was being a devoted wife, a loving mother and grandmother, and always keeping God first in her life. Those who knew Jean, knew she was a "die hard" Dallas Cowboy fan.

In 1986, Jean married Kenneth Guider (33 years). Four children were born to this union, Janario K. Guider, Kristen J. Guider and Kristofer Guider, all of Winnsboro, SC; Kimberly J. Guider (Mitchell) of Columbia, SC, and one stepson, Kevis (Michelle) Wadlington of Charlotte, NC. Her husband and children will deeply miss her presence and cherish loving memories of her.

She is also survived by five grandchildren, Kentrel Guider of the home, Malaya and Kamal Henderson of Columbia, SC, Kingston and Jordyn Guider of Winnsboro, SC; and a step grandchild, Alexis Wadlington of Charlotte, NC; her wonderful and caring parents, Joseph F. Sr. and Leatha M. Walker Belton of Ridgeway, SC; four sisters, Emma Oliver, Jacqueline Belton, Hope Belton and Jewana Bunn all of Ridgeway, SC; six brothers, Joseph F. (Janet) Belton, Jr., Barry J. (Dorothy) Belton, Anthony E. (Latasha) Belton, and Vincent Belton all of Ridgeway, SC, Ellie (Angela) Belton and Ricardo (Katherine) Belton of Columbia, SC; one adopted brother, Vernon (Keesha) Bolt of Columbia, SC; four devoted friends, Kamini Patel, Karen Cook, Rosa Ashford and Ruby Hill; one sister-in-law, Alberta (Boyze) Davis of Winnsboro, SC; and host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends who she cherished tremendously.

She was preceded in death by her nephew, Kevon M. Belton.

#### Momma

As I lay here thinking about you, I'm forced to have only memories now. I want to pick up the phone and call you, to get in, one more conversation, but I can't. We will no longer get to have our daily chats about various things such as TV shows, family, work, and most of all your kids, grandkids, and my dad. Lord knows these discussions became our norm, talking every single day. If you didn't hear from me you called around until you knew someone did. There's no doubt in my heart the love you had for your family. Although, at times your unconditional love hurt you, amazingly, you only loved harder. As a child, sometimes I was rebellious, and we butt heads, but as women we were closer than ever. I was my Momma's baby whether I had babies of my own or not. You always fussed, but there was nothing you wouldn't do for your family. I am forever grateful for everything you've done for me. Lord knows, I wouldn't be in the position that I am in, if it wasn't for your undying love. I have you to thank for the family that I have, and the balance, whenever things seem unstable.

As I look forward, I thank you for the person I've become. Because of you, I'm a better mother and friend. You were my bestest friend, and I thank God for every moment, memory, and ALL the time that we've had. I once had a friend that would tell me that she loved the relationship we had, and how she wished her mom was still around for her, and my response was always "I'm blessed". At this moment I'm hurt, numb, and unsure where to go from here, but I know I'm still blessed. I'm blessed with the amazing memories that I will cherish forever. I'm blessed with the time that my kids had to share with you. I'm blessed with the knowledge of knowing you love me, and me expressing to you the same. I'm just blessed, my mother. So, for now, I'll let you get your rest, but I'll be ready to see you in my dreams, so we can have one last conversation.

I love you Momma, or what we (your kids and grands) simply call you 'Ma.' Until we all meet again....

