

Order of Service

Reverend Warren Harley, Presiding

Prelude -----

Processional----- Clergy, Family and Friends

Opening Selection -----Rock Hill Baptist Church Choir

Scriptures:
Old Testament ----- Reverend Curtis Robertson
Word of Victory

New Testament -----Reverend Dr. Clark McGriff
Green Hill Baptist Church

Prayer of Comfort----- Reverend Karen Belton
Victory International Ministries

Solo----- Ms. Angela Robertson

Resolution ----- Longtown Chapter 190 OES

Reflections – Limit 2 Minutes -----
Deacon Melvin Butler
Family and Friends

Selection -----Family Gospel Singers

Acknowledgements-----

Solo-----Mr. Calvin Grant

Words of Comfort ----- Reverend Warren Harley

Selection -----Rock Hill Baptist Church Choir
“At the Gate I Know”

Processional-----Funeral Directors

Committal Rites and Presentation

Rock Hill Baptist Church Cemetery
Ridgeway, SC

Floral Bearers

Granddaughters

Pall Bearers

Grandsons

Acknowledgements

The family of the late Mrs. Johnnie Mae Davis Brown wishes to express their sincere thanks for all expressions of kindness shown during her illness and their bereavement. Special thanks are extended to Springdale Nursing Home, Kershaw Health Hospital, and other family and friends. May God continue to bless and keep each of you near.

The Family



Nelson's Funeral Home
270 N. Dogwood Avenue
Ridgeway, SC, 29130
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In Loving Memory



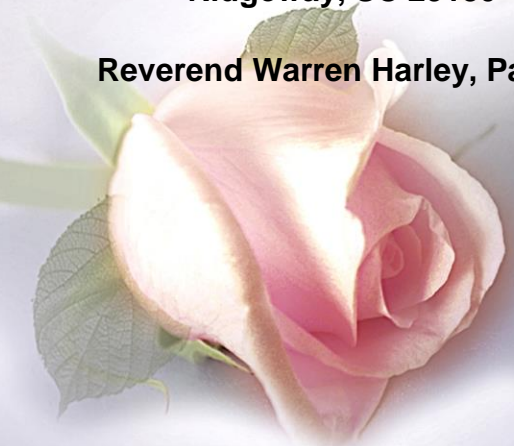
Mrs. Johnnie Mae Brown

October 8, 1930 – December 26, 2019

Thursday, January 2, 2020
1:00 P.M.

Rock Hill Baptist Church
1060 Shivers Green Road
Ridgeway, SC 29130

Reverend Warren Harley, Pastor



Obituary

May I Go?

May I go now?
Do you think the time is right?
May I say goodbye to pain filled days
and endless lonely nights?
I've lived my life and done my best,
an example tried to be.
So, can I take that step beyond
and set my spirit free?
I didn't want to go at first,
I fought with all my might.
But something seems to draw me now
to a warm and living light.

I want to go
I really do.
It's difficult to stay.
But I will try as best I can
to live just one more day.
To give you time to care for me
and share your love and fears.
I know you're sad and afraid,
because I see your tears
I'll not be far,
I promise that, and hope you'll always know
that my spirit will be close to you
wherever you may go.

Thank you so for loving me.
You know I love you too,
that's why it's hard to say goodbye
and end this life with you.
So, hold me now just one more time
and let me hear you say,
because you care so much for me,
you'll let me go today.

Author – Susan A. Jackson

The life of Mrs. Johnnie Mae Davis Brown began on October 8, 1930 and came to a peaceful end on Thursday, December 26, 2019 at Kershaw Health Hospital in Camden, SC. Johnnie Mae was the third child born to the late Joe Davis, Sr. and Luddia Durham Davis. She grew up in Ridgeway, SC and attended the public schools of Fairfield County and she retired from Kershaw Health Hospital, Karesh Wing after 27 years of service.

At an early age, Johnnie Mae became a member of White Oak Baptist Church #1 and she later joined Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church. After her marriage to the late Moses Brown, Sr. on December 21, 1951, she became a faithful member of Rock Hill Baptist Church in Ridgeway, SC. At Rock Hill, Johnnie Mae was a member of the Jubilee Choir and Missionary Society. Johnnie Mae was also a member of Longtown Chapter 190 Order of Eastern Stars for 50 years.

Johnnie Mae was a lady that was always smiling, was happy to see you, was ready to talk and laugh. When visiting her home, she made you feel welcome and at home. On Saturday nights, Johnnie Mae would start cooking her Sunday dinner and making sure that it was enough to feed the neighborhood. She enjoyed cooking, caring for her flowers, visiting with family and friends and serving God.

Johnnie is survived by one daughter, Cathy Ann (Robert) Samuel of Elgin, SC; five sons, Jerome Brown of Columbia, SC, Moses Brown, Jr., Donald Brown, Sr., Gary (Nancy) Brown and Alonzo (Diane) Brown all of Ridgeway, SC; one sister, Geneva Davis (Jim) Burton; four brothers, Joe Davis, Freddie Davis, Willie Davis and Willie Thomas; sixteen grandchildren; twenty-five great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; her best friend and sister, Mrs. Geneva Butler.

In addition to her parents and husband, Johnnie Mae was preceded in death by one son, Jervis Brown and three brothers, Tyrone Davis, Talmadge Davis and Napoleon Davis.

