



PALLBEARERS
C/O 93
C.E Murray Classmates

FLORAL BEARERS
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As I Sit in Heaven

***And watch you everyday
I try to let you know with signs
I never went away
I hear you when you're laughing
And watch you as you sleep
I even place my arms around you
To calm you as you weep
I see you wish the days away
Begging to have me home
So I try to send you signs
So you know you are not alone
Don't feel guilty that you have
Life that was denied to me
Heaven is truly beautiful
Just you wait and see
So live your life, laugh again
Enjoy yourself, be free
Then I know with every breath you take
You'll be taking one for me...
Love you all,
Joletta D. Hayward***

THE FAMILY ACKNOWLEDGMENT

*When death comes, the task of family and friends is indicated though visitations, communications, flowers, cards and other personal services rendered to the family. Please be assured that the family of **Joletta Dawkins Hayward**, shall never forget your expressions of sympathy and loyal devotion. Special thanks to the Prisma Health Richland Medical ICU Team, Bishop Sims & the St. Peters Baptist Church family, Rev. H. Doctor & Pine Grove AME Church family and C.E. Murray C/O 93.*

We the Hayward & Dawkins Family say Thank You!

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A Celebration of Her Life

Sunrise
June 30, 1975

Well Done...

Sunset
February 21, 2021

Joletta Dawkins HAYWARD

Saturday, February 27, 2021
Eleven O'Clock in the Morning

St. Peter Baptist Church
7910 Broad River Road, Irmo, SC 29063

REFLECTIONS OF HER LIFE

Joletta Malanda Dawkins Hayward

“Joe”

On Sunday, February 21, 2021, God in his infinite wisdom called his faithful servant Joletta home from labor to reward.

Joletta, the daughter of the late Curtis and Margie Dawkins and biological father, Richard (Ida) Pompey; maternal grandparents, the late Henry and Leatha Montgomery; paternal grandparents, the late Edger and Sarah Dawkins and Biological paternal grandparents, the late Edward and Mary Lee Pompey.

Joletta is a 1993 graduate of C.E Murray High School, Greeleyville, SC and a 1998 graduate of Benedict College with a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Child & Family Development.

Joletta was employed with the SC Mentor Network Inc, as a Program Manager. She served as a coordinator for Babcock and Bunton Center Disability and Special Needs Board. She was also employed with the Richland/Lexington Five District in Special Services.

Joletta being reared in a Christian home, joined Pine Grove AME Church in Greeleyville, SC during her youth and served as a church school member, church school secretary, youth choir member and YPD. After completing college, Joletta remained in Columbia and joined the St. Peters Baptist Church in Irmo, SC, where she served as a member of the sanctuary choir, a member of the praise and worship team and a member of the young girls committee.

Joletta was a happy, vibrant young lady who always welcomed you with a beautiful smile. She had a heart of gold when it came to caring for her children and others. Joletta was a loving and caring daughter, mother, sister, aunt, niece, friend and a very proud grandmother of her only granddaughter, Zoelle.

Joletta was a loving and compassionate person. She loved to cook and fed many. She also gave so much of her time and talents to her family and the community.

Joletta leaves behind to cherish her precious memories, her mother, Margie Dawkins, Greeleyville, SC; daughter, Zhana Hayward; three sons, Joseph Hayward, Jr, Jonathan Eleazer and Pichajo Noles Hayward; one granddaughter, Zoelle (her angel) all of Columbia, SC; three brothers, Curtis (Nikki) Dawkins, Greensboro, NC, Wendell Dawkins, Columbia, SC and Ronnie Pompey, Virginia Beach, VA; two sisters, Loretta (Charles) Ferrell, Rachel (Bernard) Montgomery both of Columbia, SC; a special caring and loving friend, Irvin Anderson; three additional good friends, Twyanna Gamble, Latiti Harvin and Pamela Burton; four maternal uncles, Jerry (Peggy) Montgomery, Wake Forest, NC, Robert Montgomery, Minneapolis, MN, James Montgomery, Deacatur, Alabama, Lee (Lessie) Montgomery, Greeleyville, SC; maternal aunts, Ruth Montgomery, Tory, NY, Carrie Bell Montgomery, Bronx, NY, Nancy (Matthew) Canty, Manning, SC, Shirley (Adger) Waiters, Greeleyville, SC; paternal uncle, Clifford (Justine) Dawkins) Kingstree, SC; paternal aunts, Pearlie Mae (Edward) Majors, Charlotte, NC, Sharon (Jeffery) Grant, Kingstree, SC, Ramona (Samuel) Graham, Kingstree, SC; biological paternal uncles, Cleveland (Ruth) Pompey, Philadelphia, PA, Edward Pompey, Manning, SC, Emmanuel (Jackie) Pompey and Melvin Pompey; biological paternal aunt, Martina (Franklin) Holmes, Myrtle Beach, SC; god brother, Dana Lamonte Hilton; god mother, Nancy Canty and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends whom will miss her dearly.

ORDER OF SERVICE

BISHOP ODELL SIMS, OFFICIATING

- Prelude
- Processional.....Ministers and Family
“My Life was bound in Chains” St. Peters Praise & Worship
- Selection.....
Hymn #429 “Sing the Wonderous Love of Jesus”
- Scripture Readings.....
 - Old Testament..... Minister Sims
 - New Testament..... Minister Hollingsworth
- Reading of the EpistleMinister Cooper
- Prayer of Comfort..... Elder Pauline Harley
- Selection..... St. Peters Praise & Worship Team
- Reflections (2 minutes, please) C/O 93 Classmate
Pamela Burton, Friend/Community
Deacon Charley, Church
- Selection.....Wendell Dawkins, *Brother*
- Family TributesCurtis Dawkins, Jr, *Brother*
Loretta Ferrell, Sister
Zhana Hayward, Daughter
- Selection..... St. Peters Praise & Worship Team
“Freedom”
- Words of Comfort.....Bishop Odell Sims
- Final Farewell to Our Beloved.....BTFH Staff
- Recessional

SERVICES OF COMMENDATION
PINE GROVE CHURCH CEMETERY
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