

Their Love Leaves an Indelible Imprint

By Leo Buscaglia



“I know for certain
that we never lose the people we love,
even to death.

They continue to participate in every act,
thought and decision we make.

Their love leaves an indelible imprint
in our memories.

We find comfort in knowing
that our lives have been enriched
by having shared their love.”

Lovingly submitted by the children

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Floral Bearers

Nieces and Cousins

Call Bearers

Grandsons and Nephews

Acknowledgements

The family of the late Earnestine Cameron Swann wishes to express their deepest appreciation and thanks to the many friends and relatives for your any acts of kindness shown during this time. We would like to thank the members of the Church of God for your unwavering support at this time. The family would also like to thank Dr. Kroll and the staff of P.A.C.E for all the support given to our mother.

~The Family



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Homegoing Celebration
Of

Earnestine Cameron Swann

Sunrise
February 5, 1937

Sunset
June 22, 2018



Saturday, June 30, 2018

1:00 p.m.

Church of God Broadway

416 Rosser Pittman Road

Broadway, NC 27505

Pastor Arthur Simmons Jr.

Officiating Pastor Billy Buie

Order of Service

Musical Prelude.....Musicians

Processional.....Clergy and Family

Hymn.....United Voices of Praise

Scripture

Old Testament: Rev. Shearon M. Miller

New Testament: Mrs. Tamara Hall-Lewis

Prayer of Comfort.....Elder Robert Earl Cameron

Remarks.....Deacon Louis L. Yarborough

Deaconess Kathy V. Sumpter

Selection/Solo.....United Voices of Praise

Eulogy.....Pastor Arthur Simmons Jr.

Selection/Solo.....United Voices of Praise

Recessional

Interment

Church of God Church Cemetery

Olivia, Road



Obituary

“ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.” John 14: 3

Ernestine Cameron Swann, the daughter of the late Daniel Elliot and Ethel Cameron LeGrand was born in Harnett County, North Carolina on February 5, 1937. Ernestine was an only child who grew up surrounded by her mother, grandparents, aunts and uncles.

Ernestine received her education in the Harnett County School System where she attended Johnsonville High School. Upon entering the workforce, Ernestine was employed with the Department of the Army in Fort Bragg, North Carolina where she remained so until her retirement with over 40 years of faithful service.

Ernestine was united in holy matrimony to the late David Swann. “Tine” and David made their home in the town of Olivia, North Carolina. Ernestine became the loving mother of six children, Juanita Cameron Bethea, the eldest son David Fredrick Swann, who preceded her in death, Danny Reginald Swann, Tina Lavonne Swann-Binaxas and twin boys Terry Lynn Swann and Jerry Dean Swann.

At an early age, Ernestine was introduced to the word of God and attended church as a regular member. Accepting Jesus as her personal savior would eventually lead her to join the family church of her husband. Ernestine would later become a member of the Church of God, Broadway where she worked as a dedicated servant. She often worked as an usher, choir member and church secretary.

Even after becoming a widow left to raise five young teens on her own, Ernestine made sure that the children always had a home. There was never a time in her life that she would not be willing to offer a helping hand to anyone who asked. She was fiercely and unapologetically independent and never wanted to be a burden to anyone.

Upon entering the hospital Wednesday, Ernestine said to her family, “I’m all right.” Late Friday afternoon on June 22, 2018 , “Heaven sent angels down to give her wings and to escort her into the arms of her heavenly father. Now she has made it through the storm and is walking in those better days”.

She leaves to cherish her memories; two daughters, Juanita (Daren) Bethea of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina; Tina Swann-Binaxas (Peter) of Fayetteville, North Carolina; three sons, Danny Swann of Atlanta, Georgia; Jerry Swann of Fayetteville, North Carolina and Terry Swann of Tampa, Florida; one sister-in-law, Zettie Sumpter of Sanford, NC; two aunts, Dessie Murchison of Olivia, North Carolina and Marie Bell of Springfield, Massachusetts; ten grandchildren, and a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.