

Acknowledgements

The family of Idella Aridge is grateful for your expressions of love and kindness. Please keep us in your continued prayers.

Active Pallbearers

LaDon Aridge • Byron Scott • Antwane Scott
Markus Harris • Michael Ray • Bobby Ball

Honorary Pallbearers

Richard Hoston • Mychael Evans, Jr. • Timothy Thompson
Anthony Collier • Brennan Ball (in memoriam)
Ronphael Kennedy • James L. Smith (in memoriam)

Flowerbearers

Trina Harris • Natasha Wilson • Amber Aridge-Ray
Carnisha Aridge • Candace Scott • Betsy Scott
Jane Aridge • Ann Murphy • Tonja Kennedy
Equiller Taylor • Sami Jo Henderson (in memoriam)



Her Smile

*Though her smile is gone forever
And her hand I cannot touch
I still have so many memories
Of the one I loved so much.
Her memory is now my keepsake
Which with I'll never part.
God has her in His keeping,
I have her in my heart.*



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A SERVICE OF MEMORY CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

Idella Aridge

January 26, 1930 — April 2, 2022



Friday, April 8, 2022

Visitation – 10:00 a.m. • Service – 11:00 a.m.

CORINTHIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

1920 Tennessee Avenue • Cincinnati, OH 45237

Pastor Kazava Smith, *Officiating*

Obituary

Beloved Idella Aridge, whose Sunrise was January 26, 1930 in Stringtown, Mississippi, blessed the lives of everyone that she touched for an amazing 92 years throughout her journey. Her Sunset was April 2, 2022 in her home of 50 years, surrounded by her loving family.

Idella relocated from Mississippi to Illinois, then to Cincinnati, Ohio. Always trusting God, she joined the First Baptist Church of Evanston under Reverend Bates and then moving on to Corinthian Baptist Church under Pastor Kazava Smith, where she served on the Nurse's Guild and was an active member for over 40 years.

Always with a heart of love and a smile, Idella was an adventurous spirit and loved to travel. She found joy in the generations of families that rose from her own children.

Idella was preceded in glory by: her mother, Irene (Ada Bea) Hentz; her brother, William Buchanan; her sister, Frozine White; grandchildren, James L. Smith and Brennan Ball; and her daughters-in-law, Angelia Aridge and Gwen Scott.

Those left to celebrate the memories of her life are: her children, Bruce Scott (Jennifer), Brenda Ball, Andre Aridge (Linda), Angela Aridge (Anthony), Darrell Aridge (Annette) and April Anderson; her grandchildren, Byron Scott, Trina Harris, Antwane Scott, LaDon Aridge, Bobby Ball, Jr., Natasha Wilson, Amber Ray, Timothy Thompson, Mychael Evans, Carnisha Aridge, Richard Hoston, Ann Murphy, Tonja Kennedy, Equiller Taylor, Giovanni Myers, Rodney Johnson, Jahmarr Johnson, Michael Johnson, Naaman Robinson and Nathaniel Robinson; and many great-grandchildren, cousins, great-nieces and nephews.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude	
Parting View	
Prayer	Pastor Kazava Smith
Scripture	Minister Earl Bray, Jr.
	Old Testament – <i>Ecclesiastes 3:1-4</i>
	New Testament – <i>Matthew 11:28-30</i>
Selection	Corinthian Baptist Church Praise Team
Acknowledgements	Church Clerk
Remarks	Bruce Scott, Andre' Aridge Angela Aridge & Darrell Aridge
Obituary	Read Silently
Selection	Phillita Kahr & Morris Mingo
Eulogy	Brenda Ball & LaDon Aridge
Benediction	
Recessional	

Interment

Walnut Hills Cemetery
3117 Victory Parkway • Cincinnati, OH 45206



*A precious one from us is gone, a voice we loved is stilled.
A place is vacant in our homes, which never can be filled.*

*But after a lonely heartache and many silent tears;
There's always a beautiful memory of one we loved so dear.*