



Forever In My Heart

Mom,

You had a conversation with God that will never be told. Shortly, thereafter; you began to sing, "It is Well With My Soul." You left me clues throughout the week, but now I realize that you had secret conversations that only you and God would keep. You had a strong determination to reopen the church. You always stated, "I need to get back there to complete God's work!" God's plans are never our plans.

I heard you say over and over, "God has me, I'm going to be fine"; I never imagined we would be together for the last time on Saturday. You kept asking me in the form of a question, "Are you alright?" However, on

Saturday evening, you made a statement,

"Terrell, you're going to be alright."

As I reflect, you were letting me know that you were going away, but during that time I really didn't comprehend what you were trying to say. Without a warning on Sunday morning, you were gone. I didn't realize that you were preparing me for your Heavenly exit.

I saw peace all over your face as I held your hand; I wanted you to return to me, but God had his own plans for you. My beloved Mother,

I will always cherish the ending of our last conversation Saturday

evening, as you said, "Love you my baby boy. I then replied,

"Mom, I love you more." Forever in my heart Mom!

Love Always,

Terrell

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Holy Spirit Lutheran Church

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Savannah, GA



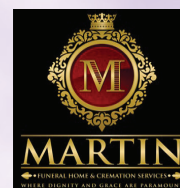
Acknowledgement

The family of Pastor Ollie M. Jones would like to extend our
thanks and appreciation for your prayers,
kindness and acts of love.

May the Lord bless each and everyone of you
and keep our family in prayer.

The Family

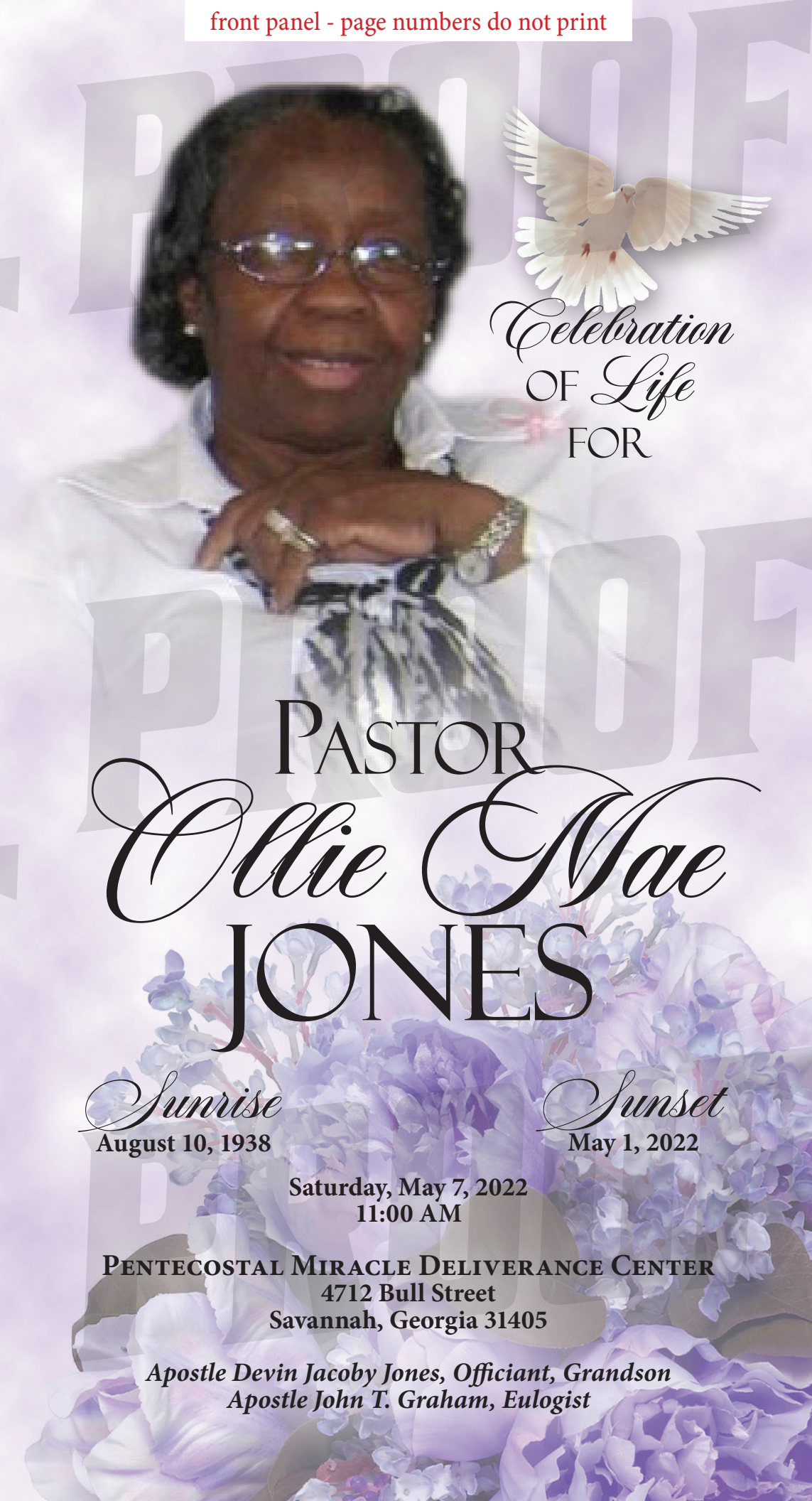
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Celebration OF Life FOR

PASTOR Ollie Mae JONES

Sunrise
August 10, 1938

Sunset
May 1, 2022

Saturday, May 7, 2022
11:00 AM

PENTECOSTAL MIRACLE DELIVERANCE CENTER
4712 Bull Street
Savannah, Georgia 31405

Apostle Devin Jacoby Jones, Officiant, Grandson
Apostle John T. Graham, Eulogist

A Triumphant Journey

“Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.”

I Corinthians 15:51-52 (KJV)

An amazing and anointed gift from God, Pastor Ollie Mae Jones was born on August 10, 1938, in Moncks Corner, South Carolina, to Fred and Ethel Taylor Gadsden. She was the youngest of seven children. Ollie Mae as she was affectionately called attended the Berkeley County Public School System for elementary, junior high, and high school.

While working for the US Postal Service in New York, she met Samuel L. Jones. They were married in 1965, and soon thereafter they were blessed with their son, Lionel Terrell Jones. From there, Ollie and Samuel moved to Harrisburg, Pa, where she accepted the Lord as her personal Savior in 1968, at New Jerusalem COGIC. She served faithfully with her husband until God called him to begin and pastor Lighthouse of Prayer Church of Deliverance in 1970. It was there that the church flourished and had one of the greatest youth departments in the city of Wilmington, Delaware. Always a lady with compassion and a caring heart, she was led to take care of her deceased eldest sister’s five grandchildren. She moved to Savannah, Georgia, in 1983, with her son while her husband stayed in Wilmington, Delaware, making preparation to relocate the church. Upon total relocation to Savannah, the family worshipped at St. James Church of Christ in Midway, Georgia, until God showed them a building. Bishop Jones and she started Holy Temple Church of Deliverance located on Park Avenue. Her husband was the pastor, and she was assistant pastor. The church remained on Park Avenue until they moved to the current location on Ott Street in Savannah, Georgia.

After the death of her husband, Bishop S. L. Jones on December 12, 1994, she became pastor of Holy Temple Church. She served as pastor to a band of faithful saints

until the pandemic forced the church to temporarily close its doors. However, Pastor Jones was highly determined to reopen the doors of Holy Temple, even if there were two or three gathering in the midst to serve the Lord. Although she had to go into the hospital due to an accidental fall, she stated that she was alright, and her work will be completed. During recovery after surgery, she briefly sang the hymn, *“It is Well with My Soul,”* moving her feet and often uttering “I’m alright, God has me!”

The Lord called Pastor Jones home on Sunday morning May 1, 2022. She was preceded in death by her mother, Ethel Taylor Gadsden; father, Fred Gadsden; her husband, Bishop Samuel L. Jones; sisters, Frances Johnson and Alma Gadsden; brothers, Fred Jr., Jimmy Gadsden, and Matthew Attles; and grandson, Perry Herbert.

Pastor Ollie Mae Jones leaves to rejoice her memories: son, Bishop Lionel Terrell Jones (Frances), bonus children, Rita Johnson, Frances “Nova” Howard (Torrance) Lukyah Hatcher, Jerry Johnson, and Joseph Johnson; twenty-five grandchildren, Apostle Devin Jacoby (Brittany), Branden Javar, and Jaia Samantha Jones; Destinee, Hope, Kasi’ and Faith Johnson; Damir Johnson, Taurus Jr., De’ juan, Aiahna, and Ziaire Howard; Jo’neisha Nicole, Joseph Jr., Solomon Jacobs Johnson and Samuel Lee Gordon; JeQuan and Kameron Hatcher; Jamarry, Shaniya, Joshua Kema Johnson Jadonn Thomas and Jakob’s Dunham; great-grandchildren, Jaila, Jordyn, Journee, Baileigh Jones, and Kaismer Johnson; sisters, Earnestine Gadsden and Ethel Robinson; sisters-in-law, Charity Gadsden, Mildred Chamberlain, Francia Lindsey Ruby Ashbury, and Malaika A. Rahman; brothers-in-law, Ivey Jones, Jr., Will Jones, and Reverend Rubin Tendai; godchildren, Christal Cole, Shameka Hawkes, Quamea Hawkes-Shaw, Sabrina Mims, Josephine Nickerson, and Alisha McKiver-Carson; and a host of nieces and nephews, including her beloved niece, Linda Harris, cousins, friends, and the faithful members of Holy Temple Church of Deliverance, Inc.

Order of Service

Musical Prelude	Soft Music
Processional Viewing	Ministers, Family, and Friends
Scripture Readings:	
Old Testament	Apostle Clarence Gadson
New Testament	Elder Martin Palmer
Prayer.....	Apostle Devin Jacoby Jones
Selection.....	FAN Ensemble
Reflections — <i>Limit to Three Minutes, Please</i>	
As a Goddaughter	Mrs. Alisha McKiver-Carson
As a Niece	Ms. April Scott
As an Assistant Pastor	Evangelist Deborah Jackson-Oliver, Asst. Pastor
Solo	Branden J. Jones, Grandson
Special Tributes	Ms. Destinee Johnson, Granddaughter Ms. Samantha Jones, Granddaughter Mr. Torrence Howard, Son-in-law Ms. Destinee Johnson, Granddaughter Mr. Torrence Howard, Son-in-law Ms. Samantha Jones, Granddaughter
Acknowledgements.....	Martin Funeral Home
Poem	Bishop Lionel Terrell Jones, Son
Special Remarks/Musical Tribute	Apostle Frances A. Nix <i>“It’s Is Well With My Soul”</i>
Words of Comfort	Apostle John T. Graham
Mortician’s Brief	
Recessional	FAN Ensemble

SERVICE OF COMMENDATION
 COMMITTAL — PRAYER — BENEDICTION
 Monday, May 9, 2022
 12:00 Noon
 Magnolia Memorial Garden
 Silk Hope Road
 Savannah, Georgia