

## Acknowledgments

The family is grateful to their many friends for their comforting words, kind deeds and prayers extended during this time of bereavement.

The family would especially like to thank: Dr. Travis Novinger, Nightingale Home Care, Reverend Samuel Richardson, Tri-County Day Care and Cheraw Rehab Center for all the assistance and care you gave our beloved

Reverend Rosa Lee Pulliam.

May God continue to bless each of you.



## Floral Attendants

Ms. Ruth Morris Mrs. Daisy Eckels Mrs. Annie B. McQueen Mrs. Barbara Kearney

## Casket Attendants

Deacon Robert Marshall Deacon James N. Sweeney Deacon Carolyn Addison Mr. Ray Dogan Mr. Willie L. Jones, Sr. Mr. Albert Teal



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# Celebration of Life for

## Reverend Rosa Lee Pulliam



**Sunrise** Aug. 11, 1921 **Sunset** Feb. 15, 2021

Sunday, February 21, 2021 One o'clock in the afternoon

Pee Dee Union Baptist Church 92 Chestnut Street Cheraw, South Carolina 29520

The Reverend Dr. Samuel Richardson III, Pastor

## Order of Service The Reverend Dr. Samuel Richardson III, Officiating

The Prelude Musician

The Processional Holy Scriptures

Scripture Readings:

Old Testament: Psalm 23 Reverend Franklin Flowers New Testament: II Timothy 4: 1-8 Prophetess Mattie Nichols

Solo "I Shall Wear a Crown" Mrs. Ya'Londa Ashe Freeman

Prayer Bishop Jerry T. Hardison

Remarks (Two minutes please) Deacon Ted Bradley

Deacon James N. Sweeney Dr. Travis Novinger Mr. Chris Bridges

Obituary (Read Silently)

Acknowledgments Deacon Carolyn Addison

Solo "I Want to Take a Ride" Mrs. Ya'Londa Ashe Freeman

Words of Comfort Reverend Dr. Jerry Corbett

Pastor of Mt. Anna Baptist Church, Aiken, SC

Solo "I Know I've Been Changed" Reverend Dr. Jerry Corbett

The Funeral Director's Brief

Prayer/Benediction Reverend Dr. Samuel Richardson III

The Recessional Deacon Ted Bradley "Who Shall Abide in Thy Tabernacle"

The Postlude Musician

### Service of Committal and Interment

Montrose Cemetery Cheraw, South Carolina

## Obituary Reverend Rosa Lee Pulliam

**Reverend Rosa Lee Pulliam**, daughter of the late Reverend Benjamin Franklin Johnson, Sr., and Hattie Lucas Johnson was born August 11, 1921 in Marlboro County, South Carolina. She peacefully transitioned into eternal rest on Monday, February 15, 2021.

She attended the public schools of Cheraw and attended high school in Charlotte, North Carolina. **Reverend Pulliam** attended Charlotte Bible College for one year and completed a two year Bible course at Chesterfield Marlboro Technical College. She is a 1996 graduate of Morris College School of Religion and was ordained as a Minister of the Gospel.

At an early age, **Reverend Pulliam** accepted Christ as her Lord & Savior and became a member of Pee Dee Union Baptist Church where she faithfully attended worship service and supported the church all her adult life. Due to her failing health, she attended her last worship service in 2019. **Reverend Pulliam** served as a member of the Pee Dee Choral Ensemble, former Sunday School teacher, former President and Treasurer of the Pastor's Aide Ministry and Nursery Ministry.

For several years, **Reverend Pulliam** had a Ministry in Mount Gilead, North Carolina, Cheraw Healthcare, and Chesterfield Convalescent Center in Cheraw. She was past Treasurer of the Young Mothers in Action, past member of the African American Ministerial Alliance, past Chaplain for the Good Samaritans for All People, past member of Venus Chapter #51 Order of the Eastern Star and past member of the Cheraw Branch NAACP. For several years, she was a broadcaster with WLWL Radio Station, Rockingham, North Carolina and Radio Station WKDX, Hamlet, North Carolina every Saturday morning.

**Reverend Pulliam** was married to the late Fred Short and to this union, five children were born. She later married the late Walter Pulliam

She leaves to cherish fond memories: **daughters**, Doris Porter, Thelma (Wallace) Funderburk and Louester Hooks; **son**, Clifton E. Short; **special daughters**, Grayce D. Smith, Mary R. Jackson, Daisy Eckels, Barbara E. Smith, and Margaret Ford; **grandchildren**, Cynthia (Jerome) Johnson, Felicia Hooks, Thomas V. Kitt, Maurice Short, Candra Short, Tamika Short, Chrishonda (Dominique) Pearson, Willie (Ingrid) Hooks Jr.,

Jonette Dixon, Reginald Jackson, and Iscaria (Eddie) Dows; thirteen **great grandchildren** and seven **great great grandchildren**; **sister-in-law**, Arie Williams; a host of nieces, nephews, extended family, church family, and friends.

**Reverend Pulliam** was also preceded in death by a daughter, Virginia M. Short; siblings, Lillie M. Little, Bertha Moore, Benjamin F. Johnson, Jr., Hattie Singleton and Odell Johnson, Sr.

Reverend Pulliam's motto is:

"TALKING ABOUT A CHILD WHO
REALLY LOVES JESUS,
HERE IS ONE."

#### "The Laborer's Task Is O'er"

Now the laborer's task is o'er Now the battle day is past Now upon the farther shore Lands the voyager at last.

Father, in Thy gracious keeping
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.
There the tears of earth are dried;
There its hidden things are clear,
There the work of life is tried
By a juster Judge than here
Father, in Thy gracious keeping
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.

