

In Loving Memory



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Funeral Services at

Callaway Funeral Home Chapel

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Rev. Mark Yearwood Officiating

New Day

Keith Rhodes

A new way is coming. We begin to understand.

A new life is offered. Atonement is at hand.

No longer will we look through
shadowed glass and hope to see.

A new day is coming, and it's coming
now to set the captive free.

Lord, as you have cared for us,
let us learn this is the way we are to give.

Please, lead us to service, Lord.

In our communion teach us how to live.

Beginning now, I think

I see the dawn of a new day.

Holy arms are opened wide
they welcome you to stay.

Within His loving countenance,
by grace we are transformed.

Children of the risen Lord; new creatures,
by His power we're new born.

A new day is dawning,
I can feel it drawing near.

A new sun is rising on
this morning bright and clear.
The struggles of our yesterdays
are coming to an end.

A new day is dawning and
it's dawning now
for you and me my friend.

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Through this service, may we be comforted by the Holy Scriptures and songs. May this service bring Honor and Glory to God, to our parents, and to our families...as we reflect on the Love, Joy, Hope and Peace we share as Christian brothers and sisters.

Processional

Hymne

Vangelis

New Day

Keith Rhodes

Accompanied by Jodi and John Swint

Prayer

Rev. Mark Yearwood

Scripture

Rev. Mark Yearwood

Pastoral Comments

Rev. Mark Yearwood

In The Garden

Daughters

Glory For Me

Prayer

Rev. Mark Yearwood

Recessional

Sweet By and By

Hymne

INTERMENT SERVICES AT

Greenlawn Cemetery

Union Point, Georgia



The family thanks the many friends and relatives who have offered their love, support and prayers.

The Wife of Noble Character
Proverbs 31:10-31

*A wife of noble character who can find?
She is worth far more than rubies.
Her husband has full confidence in her
and lacks nothing of value.
She brings him good, not harm,
all the days of her life.
She selects wool and flax
and works with eager hands.
She is like the merchant ships,
bringing her food from afar.
She gets up while it is still dark;
she provides food for her family
and portions for her servant girls.
She considers a field and buys it;
out of her earnings she plants a vineyard.
She sets about her work vigorously;
her arms are strong for her tasks.
She sees that her trading is profitable,
and her lamp does not go out at night.
In her hand she holds the distaff
and grasps the spindle with her fingers.
She opens her arms to the poor
and extends her hands to the needy;
When it snows, she has no fear for her household;
for all of them are clothed in scarlet.
She makes coverings for her bed;
she is clothed in fine linen and purple.
Her husband is respected at the city gate,
where he takes his seat among the elders of the land.
She makes linen garments and sells them,
and supplies the merchants with sashes.
She is clothed with strength and dignity;
she can laugh at the days to come.
She speaks with wisdom,
and faithful instruction is on her tongue.
She watches over the affairs of her household
and does not eat the bread of idleness.
Her children arise and call her blessed;
her husband also, and he praises her:
Many women do noble things,
but you surpass them all.
Charm is deceptive, and beauty is fleeting;
but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised.
Give her the reward she has earned,
And let her works bring her praise at the city gate.”*

O That Will Be Glory For Me

Charles H. Gabriel

When all my labors and trials are o'er
And I am safe on that beautiful shore
Just to be near the dear Lord I adore
Will through the ages be glory for me

When, by the gift of His infinite grace
I am accorded in heaven a place
Just to be there and to look on His face
Will through the ages be glory for me

Friends will be there I have loved long ago
Joy like a river around me will flow
Yet just a smile from my Savior, I know
Will through the ages be glory for me

O that will be glory for me
Glory for me, glory for me
When by His grace I shall look on His face
That will be glory, be glory for me

Gladys Leona Yearwood Rhodes

Gladys Leona Yearwood Rhodes of Union Point, GA, died on Saturday, March 28, 2015 at Greene Point Health Care and Rehabilitation at the age of 81. Gladys was born in Coweta County on November 8, 1933, a daughter of the late William Cale Yearwood, Sr. and Mamie Lee Dingler Yearwood. She graduated from Alexander Stephens Institute in Crawfordville, GA, the Salutatorian of her class. On December 9, 1950, she married Albert Wilson Rhodes, Sr. and they made their home in Union Point, GA where she has lived since 1952. In addition to being a homemaker, Gladys was an employee at Chipman Union for over 40 years in the seaming department. Gladys was a member of Margaret's Grove Baptist Church. She was known for her kind and gentle nature and was loved by everyone who knew her. Not only was she a wonderful wife, mother and grandmother, but she also gave freely of her time to care for others. She loved the unique things found in nature and saw the beauty in simplicity. A lady of many talents, Gladys loved gardening, cooking, and sewing. She generously shared her talents with her family, friends, and neighbors.

In addition to her husband, Wilson Rhodes, she was preceded in death by two sons, Albert W. Rhodes, Jr. and W. Keith Rhodes; and siblings; Mattie Lunceford, W. C. Yearwood, Jr., Allison Yearwood, Daniel Yearwood, Frank Yearwood, Emmett Yearwood, Clinton Yearwood and George McCollough. She is survived by three daughters Paula Rhodes Swint (John) of Warthen, GA, Wilma Rhodes Nichols (Kevin) of Greensboro, GA and Kelly Rhodes Hanes of Union Point, GA; sister, Dorothy Yearwood Burdette of Baldwin, GA; brother Ralph Yearwood of Monroe, GA; two daughters-in-law, Edna Rhodes of Watkinsville, GA and Mackie Rhodes of Greensboro, NC; eight grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; many other relatives and friends, including her wonderful caregivers from Greene Point Health Care.

Funeral Services will be held Monday, March 30, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at Callaway Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Mark Yearwood officiating. Burial will follow in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Rhodes Street, Union Point, GA 30669. Serving as pallbearers are grandsons and great grandsons: John Swint IV, Luke Hanes, Jed Hanes, Alan Rhodes, Randy Miller, Gary Sanders, Joe Miller III and Sam Miller. The family will receive friends Monday from 1:00 p.m. until time for the service at Callaway Funeral Home in Union Point. The family request that any memorials be made to the Margaret's Grove Baptist Church, c/o Dorothy Rhodes, 2730 Bethany Church Road, Crawfordville, GA 30631 or The Gideons International, P. O. Box 214, Madison, GA 30650. Callaway Funeral Home, 208 N. Rhodes Street, Union Point, GA, (706) 486-4138, is in charge of arrangements. Visit us at www.mccommonsfuneralhome.com to sign the online guest register.

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