

# Memories



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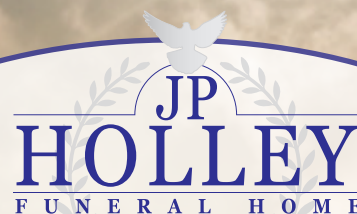
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## Expression Of Gratitude

We, the family of the late Jessica Johnson , wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for your warm embrace of love, words of comfort, prayers and every act of kindness shown to us during this time of bereavement. It has greatly blessed us. May God continue to bless each of you in a special way.

-The Johnson Family



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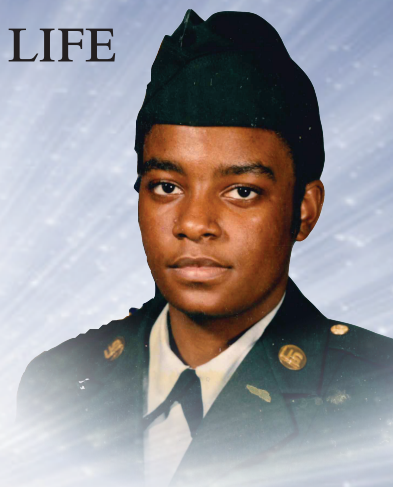
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## CELEBRATION OF LIFE service for



# Jessica JOHNSON

"Queen Jess"

Saturday, September 14, 2019

1:00 pm

**Ladson Chapel Missionary Baptist Church**  
Hopkins, SC

Pastor Stanley R. Ladson Senior



## Life's Reflections

Ms. Jessica Johnson, affectionately known as “Queen Jess” was born on March 7, 1976 in Gadsden, South Carolina. She was the daughter of Ted Bostic and the late Annie Johnson. She peacefully transitioned to be with her heavenly father on Thursday September 5, 2019.

Ms. Johnson was educated in the public schools of Richland County, SC. She graduated from Lower Richland High School, Class of 1994. While enrolled she participated in chorus and JROTC program. Upon graduation, she was drafted into the United States Army where she devoted many years of service. After serving her country, she returned home and enjoyed doing what she loved most enjoying time with family and friends.

Jessica joined Ladson Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, where she was baptized at an early age. She was a member of the SR Ladson Singers & the Musical Choir. While serving she blessed souls with her melodious voice with songs like Order my Steps by Brooklyn Tabernacle, Speak to Me Lord by The Truthettes and so many others.

She nourished everyone around her with love and laughter. Her heart was opened to all children; she took on the responsibility of raising all her younger cousins. Jessica's pots in the kitchen were available to everyone. However, according to the “Queen” Nobody can cook or clean better than she could, so THEREFORE she was the best! She also enjoyed reading, writing poetry, representing her favorite football team The Clemson Tigers, and most of all spending time with family.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Annie Johnson and her lifelong guardians Mr. Frank (Laura) Johnson.

Jessica's memory will forever be cherished by her father, Mr. Ted Bostic of Hopkins, SC; sisters, Aileen Johnson of Rembert, SC, Karissa (Delmar) Lloyd of Eastover, SC, Betsy(Carlus) Anderson, Linda Johnson, Beatrice Clinton, Angela Pitts all of Hopkins, SC and Betty Wiley of Columbia, SC; brothers, Frank (Regina) Johnson of Hopkins, SC and Darrius Johnson of Gadsden, SC a special relative whom she loved as a brother, James “Tank” Rainey Eastover, SC. One aunt Wiliemnia Brailsford of Hopkins, SC; three great aunts, Janie Bell Richardson of Camden, SC and Ida Mae Johnson of Columbia, SC, and Emma Anderson of Hopkins, SC. Host of nieces nephews cousins and other relatives and friends that will miss her dearly.

## Order Of Service

### Prelude

### Processional

**Selection..... Ladson Chapel Musical Choir**

**Old Testament..... Minister**

**New Testament..... Minister**

**Prayer..... Minister**

**Solo..... Karissa Simons-Lloyd**

**Remarks (2 minutes)..... Deacon Zachary Young, Church**

**Levola Rainey, Choir**

**Brian Anderson, Family**

**Poem..... Sadie Lowman**

**Solo..... Greta Jones**

**Words of Comfort..... Pastor Stanley R. Ladson, Sr.**

**Parting/Viewing..... JP Holley Funeral Directors**

### Recessional

### Postlude

**Committal, Prayer, Benediction**

## A Poem To Our Cousin

You never said “I’m Leaving”,

You never said “Goodbye”,

You were gone before we knew it

And only God knew why

Many times we needed you,

A million times we’ve cried

If our love alone could have saved you

You never would have died!

In life we loved you dearly

In death we love you still

In our hearts you hold a place

That no one could ever fill!

It broke our hearts to lose you

But you didn’t go alone

For parts of each one of us

Went with you the day God took you home.

Forever Loved, You Cousins