

Remembering the Life of

Mrs. Gladys Ruth Daniels Lackey

Her Children Arise and Call Her Blessed...



Mrs. Gladys Ruth Daniels Lackey, 88, the beloved daughter of the late Joe Roy Daniels and Eula Mae Hickman Daniels, was born in Iredell County on May 16, 1932. She entered into eternal rest on February 7, 2021, at the Gordon Hospice House, following a short illness. She was married to William Carter Lackey, Sr., who preceded her in death. In addition to her parents and husband,

she was also preceded in death by a son, William Carter Lackey, Jr., a son-in-law, Rev. James C. Campbell, Jr., a grandson, three, great grandchildren and twelve siblings.

Mrs. Ruth attended Unity High School, and later after her children were married and moved out, she received her GED. She was a breast cancer survivor and was member of St. Joseph Baptist Church where she was the oldest member and served as a Deaconess. She retired from Broyhill Furniture Company and was a caregiver to others. She enjoyed cooking and baking, watching the Bachelor, Tiger Woods, Soap Operas, and Jimmy Swaggaret. She also loved working word puzzles, gardening.

She leaves to cherish the memory of her life, her children, John (Raynell) Poole of Hiddenite, NC, Sylvia Campbell of Taylorsville, NC, Carolyn (Bobby) Campbell of Douglasville, GA, Gladys (Kenneth) Speaks of Yadkinville, NC, Helen (Scooter) Grinton, Teresa (Richard) Wellman of Taylorsville, Terry (Phyllis) Lackey, Sr. of Hiddenite, NC and Dewanna (Leslie) Howell of Taylorsville, NC; one brother, Larry Daniels of Winston Salem, NC; three sisters, Dolleither Daniels of Statesville, NC, Louise Daniels of Long Branch, NJ, and Mary Jean (Bishop Elect Lonnie) Gray of Charlotte, NC; daughter-in-law, Teresa Wells Lackey; in-laws, Betty Morrison, Belinda Daniels, Julia Lackey, Lona Belle Lackey, Alice Rankins, Russell Lackey, Linda Lackey, Harry (Barbara) Lackey and James Lackey; twenty-two grandchildren; forty-nine great grandchildren; ten great-great grandchildren; a special friend, Betty Millsaps; St. Joseph Baptist Church Family; and a host of nephews, nieces cousins, other relatives and friends.

Friday, February 12, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

St. Joseph Baptist Church
Statesville, North Carolina

Reverend Darrick Clemons, Pastor, Officiating
Bishop Elect Lonnie E. Gray, Eulogist

The Order of Service

- The Processional
- The Invocation Reverend Darrick Clemons
- The Opening Selection SaCred
- The Scripture Reverend Elliot Boston, Pastor
Liberty Grove Baptist Church, Taylorsville, N. C.
- Old Testament: *Psalm 27*
- New Testament: *I Thessaloanians*
- The Prayer of Comfort Dr. Dennis Bishop, Sr., Pastor
First Waughtown Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC
- The Selection Mr. Michael Woods
- The Church Resolution
- The Acknowledgments and Commemorative Presentation
Funeral Director
- The Selection Mr. Gray Speaks
- The Remarks and Family Tribute: *(Limit two minutes please)*
 - ♥ Elder Christopher Daniels
 - ♥ Ms. LaShonda Lackey
- The Selection SaCred
- The Eulogy Bishop Lonnie E. Gray, Pastor
First Resurrection Church of God, Statesville, NC
- The Benediction

Please remain prayerful as we travel to the final resting place.

At The New Zion AME Zion Church Cemetery

Hiddenite, North Carolina
The Placing of the Casket
The Final Departure



Pallbearers – Grandsons
Flowerbearers - Granddaughters

With Our Thanks

...that we through the patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope, (Romans 15) God has given us our church family, neighbors and dear friends, to help us as we go forward. God's Word has been manifested through your many expressions of sympathy and support; we praise God from whom all blessings flow. Thank you for honoring the memory of our beloved Mrs. Lackey and for remembering us during her illness and passing. Special thanks to Gordon Hospice and Iredell Memorial Hospital Staff. In our risen Lord, we have peace that passes all understanding.

The Family





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A Service of Love and Remembrance
For

Mrs. Gladys Ruth Daniels Lackey



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A Gift Returned
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