

*Celebrating The Life
of
Anzilla Weems*

Sunrise
August 18, 1914

Sunset
October 15, 2014



Wednesday, October 22, 2014 -7:00 p.m.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST CHURCH

640 South Springfield Avenue
Springfield, New Jersey

Pastor Clarence Alston, Officiating

Obituary

Anzilla Weems, beloved daughter of the late Wylie Culver and Lottie Culver Lambert was born on August 18, 1914 in Newville, Alabama.

Anzilla attended the Newville Rosenwall Public Schools in Henry County. At an early age, she joined the Center Baptist Church in Newville, Alabama where she accepted Christ.

In 1933, she married the late Isiah Weems. From their union God blessed them with five loving children, Ruth Hawk, Queenie Saunders, their late baby daughter, Clementine, and their late sons, Jimmie and Ottis Weems.

Ann and her family relocated to Vauxhall/Union in 1943, where she joined True Holiness COGIC in Vauxhall and later joined Antioch Baptist Church in Springfield, NJ. She loved the Lord and could often be heard singing, “One day at a Time Sweet Jesus” or “Precious Lord”. Close to her being called home she would sing hymns all night long to her Lord and Savior.

Ann worked as a factory worker and domestic engineer before retiring.

Fondly called Nanna by her grandchildren and their friends, she would love to make you laugh all the time. Ann loved to sing and dance and was always full of life and excitement. Her grandchildren as well as her great grandchildren, would love to visit her because they knew that there would be a reward for their visit in the form of candy and change.

Anzilla was called to eternal rest by God, Wednesday, October 15, 2014 at Overlook Hospital Medical Center. She leaves to cherish her memory: two daughters, Ruth Hawk and Queenie Saunders; grandchildren, Vanessa Hamilton, Jeffrey Powell, Dwayne Miller, Steven Weems, and Brian Weems; eighteen great-grandchildren; six great great grandchildren; and a host of relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Seating The Family.....Funeral Director

Hymn of Praise.....“Blessed Assurance”

Prayer of Comfort

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 121

New Testament - John 14:1-6

Selection.....Music Ministry

Reflections.....Antioch Baptist Church
Family

Obituary.....Jeffrey Powell

Meditation

Selection.....“Precious Lord Take My Hand”

Eulogy.....Pastor Clarence Alston

Committal

Closing Selection.....“One Day At A Time”

Recessional.....Clergy and Family

Interment

Hollywood Cemetery

Union, New Jersey

A Mother's Love

A mother's love is something that no one can explain, it is made of deep devotion and sacrifice and pain, it is endless and unselfish and enduring come what may for nothing can destroy it or take that love away...

It is patient and forgiving when all others are forsaking, and it never fails or falters even though the heart is breaking... it believes beyond believing when the world around condemns, and it glows with all the beauty of the rarest, brightest gems ...

It is far beyond defining, it defies all explanation, and it still remains a secret like the mysteries of creation ... a many splendor miracle man cannot understand and another wondrous evidence of God's tender guiding hand.

Pallbearers

Dyran Weems Darrin Weems
Donald Barrow Steve Weems
Brian Weems

Acknowledgement

*The family of **Anzilla Weems** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to our family during our time of bereavement.*

May God bless and keep you.

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