# Memorial Service Celebrating the Life of



Sunrise: August 14, 1950 - Sunset: January 21, 2019

### **Memorial Service:**

Saturday, February 16, 2019 ~ 4:00 – 8:00 pm

## **American Legion Post #229**

115 Grove Street Roselle, New Jersey 07203 **Gathering:** Jesus said, I am the resurrection and I am life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, yet they shall live, and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die.

**Greeting:** Friends, we have gathered here to praise God, and to witness to our faith as we celebrate the life of Ronda Joyce Wray, and to honor her memory. Our departed loved one, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin and friend. May God grant us grace, that in pain we may find comfort, in sorrow hope, in death resurrection.

**Hymn:** "We've Come this Far By Faith"

#### **Scriptures**

Old Testament: Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

Gospel Lesson: John 14:1-6

#### Witness of Family and Friends

Remarks to voice their thankfulness to God for the memories of love, joy and hope they have received in the life of Ronda Wray.

Hymn: "What A Friend We Have in Jesus"

Closing Prayer: God of us all, your love never ends. When all else fails, you still are God. We pray to you for one another in our need, and for all, anywhere, who mourn with us this day. And now with the confidence o children of God let us pray: Our Father in Heaven....



#### "We've Come this Far By Faith"

We've come this far by faith, leaning on the Lord. Trusting in His holy word, He's never failed me yet. Oh, oh, oh, can't turn around, We've come this far by faith.

Just the other day, I heard someone say,
He didn't believe in God's word,
But I can truly say that God had made a way,
And He's never failed me yet.
That's why we've...

#### **Old Testament Scripture: Ecclesiastes 3:1-8**

- 1. There is a time for everything,
- a season for every activity under heaven.

  2. A time to be born and a time to die
  - A time to plant and a time to harvest.
    - 3. A time to kill and a time to heal.
- A time to tear down and a time to rebuild.
  - 4. A time to cry and a time to laugh.
  - A time to grieve and a time to dance.
  - 5. A time to cry and a time to laugh.
- A time to embrace and a time to turn away.
  - 6. A time to search and a time to lose. A time to keep and time to show away.
    - 7. A time to keep and time to show away
- A time to be quiet and a time to speak up.
  - 8. A time to love and a time to hate.
  - A time for war and a time for peace.

#### Gospel Lesson: John 14:1-6

Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me.

In my Father's house there are many dwelling places.

If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you?

And if I go and prepare a place for you,

I will come again and will take you to myself,

so that where I am, there you will be also.

#### "What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

What a Friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and grief's to bear!
What a privilege to carry Every-thing to God in prayer!
O what a peace we often forfeit, O what need-less pain we bear,
All because we do not carry. Every-thing to God in prayer!



The family of **Ronda Joyce Wray** would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation for the many thoughtful acts of kindness, support and concern extended to us during our time of bereavement. Thank you and May God richly bless you.



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