

In Loving Memory Of



Rosa Victoria Edmonds

Sunrise

September 24, 1923

Sunset

November 27, 2019

Friday, December 6, 2019

Viewing - 10:00 a.m.

Service - 12:00 Noon

FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

98 Levey Blvd. • Wyandanch, New York

Reverend A.G. Chancellor, Jr, Pastor

Officiating

Obituary

Rosa Victoria Edmonds was the twelfth of thirteen children born to the late Abram, also known as Adron Barksdale and Rosa Bailey Barksdale in Halifax County, Virginia on September 24, 1923. She departed this life to join the Lord on November 27, 2019.

In her early years, she was an active member of New Bethel Baptist Church where she served as a junior usher. Even after relocating, she always made a point to visit her original church home while in Halifax, VA.

Following graduation from high school, she migrated north stopping briefly in Philadelphia before reuniting and later marrying her devoted husband Early Edmonds in New York. After the birth of her only child Rhonda, the family ultimately settled in North Babylon, NY. After a lengthy employment with Dell Laboratories, she retired to assist in raising her grandchildren. Rosa, affectionately known as “Gaggy” to close family members was known for her quick wit and deep inner strength. She was a willing participant in any and all family activities and would pitch in where needed.

Rosa was a dedicated, hard-working member of Fellowship Baptist Church lending her energy in service on the Usher Board, Gospel Choir, Trustee Board and the Pastor’s Aid Society. Although she encountered a number of physical and health related challenges in recent years, she never let them effect or dampen her spirit.

Rosa was preceded in death by her husband, Early; stepson, Samuel; great grandson, Anthony; her twelve brothers and sisters, Lethia, Willie, John Henry, Ursula, George Edward, Katie Louise, Mary, Henry, James, Lenwood, Martin Luther and Frank.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her loving daughter, Rhonda; son-in-law, Carlos Parris; grandsons, Jason, Christopher and Anthony Parris; great grandsons, Jason, Jaxson, Christian and Chase; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and others.

Order of Service

Processional Clergy & Family

Prayer Reverend A.G. Chancellor, Jr.

Hymn

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Clergy

New Testament Clergy

Obituary Chanel Parris

Remarks Christopher Parris

Selection Sheilah Barksdale

Eulogy Reverend A.G. Chancellor, Jr.

Final Viewing

Recessional Clergy & Family

Interment

Pinelawn Memorial Park
Farmingdale, New York

Repast

Bread of Life World Outreach Center
1345 Straight Path, Wyandanch, NY 11798

ALL ARE WELCOME!

At Rest

God saw that you were getting tired
And the cure was not to be,
So He put His arms around you
And Whispered, "Come to Me."
With tearful eyes we watched you
And saw you pass away,
Although we loved you dearly
We could not make you stay.
A golden heart stopped beating,
Hard working hands now at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us,
It's time to take your Rest.

Acknowledgement

The family of Rosa Victoria Edmonds wishes to express their deep appreciation and sincere thanks for all acts of kindness and support shown during our time of sorrow. We thank you for your expressions, presence and prayers.

The Family

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