

*A Celebration
In Loving Memory
Of*



Mattie Lee Fullwood Davis

August 13, 1933 — February 19, 2021

Memorial Zoom Service:

Saturday, February 27, 2021 - 3pm

Meeting ID: 862 8075 9137 Password: 327451

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In-Person Viewing:

Monday, March 1, 2021 - 4pm - 7pm

Live Zoom Stream: 4:30pm to 5:30pm

Meeting ID: 827 6407 5510 Password: 806535

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(Between 126th and 127th Streets)**

Obituary

Mattie Lee Fullwood Davis, passed away on February 19, 2021 at Dawn Greene Hospice Facility of Mary Manning Walsh Home, New York City, New York. She was born in Sumter County on August 13, 1933. She was the first of six children born to the late David and Viola Benjamin Fullwood.

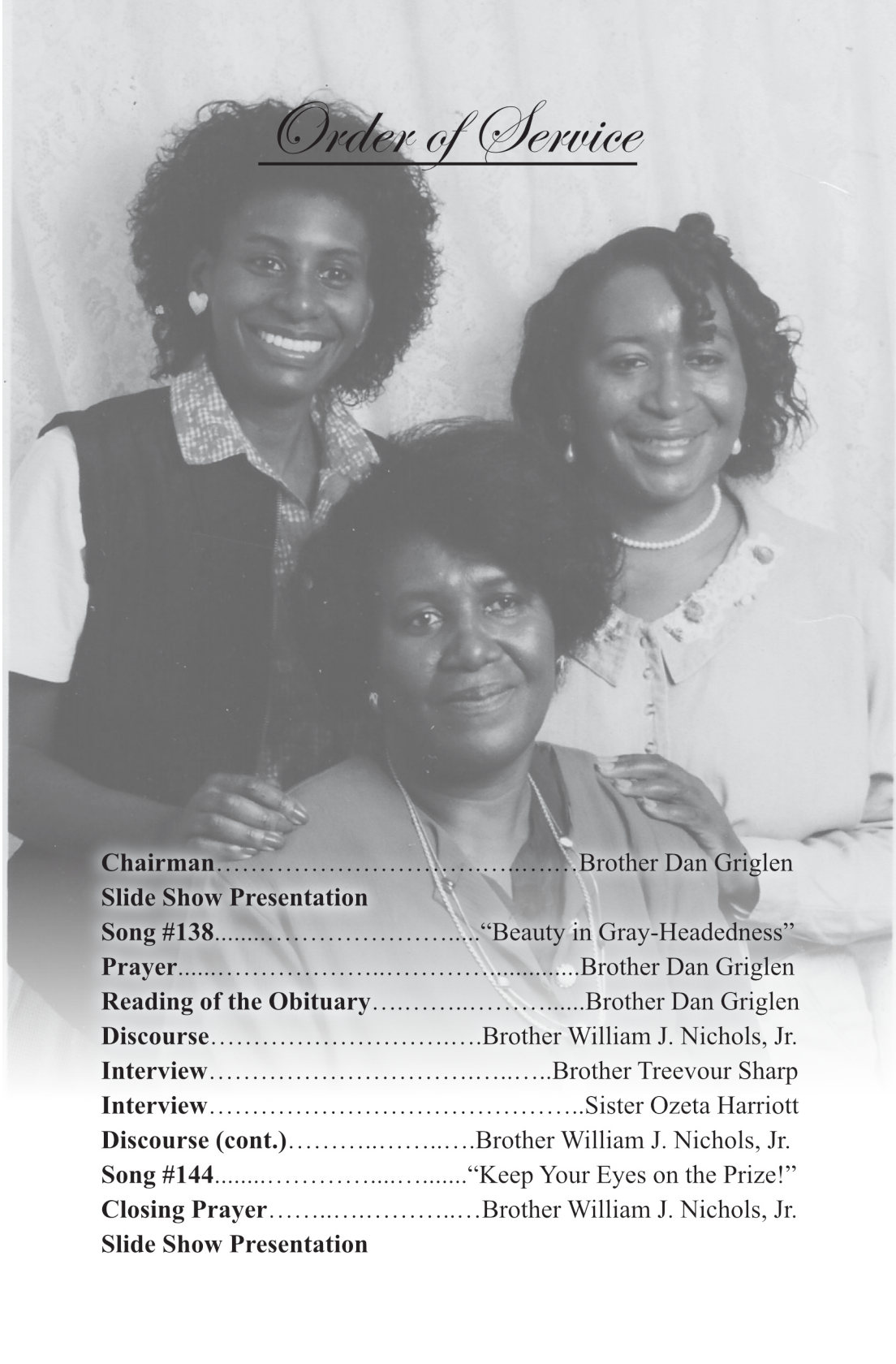
Mattie was a feisty strong-willed woman. She was known for her skills as a business woman. She was a top seller of Studio Girl Products, winning prizes for exceeding standards in her hometown of Mayesville, South Carolina. Mattie's generosity was well known, she would cook and feed the whole town on special occasions by sending everyone plates. Friends and neighbors always gathered at the family's house. She also loved plants and was very good at growing them. The neighbors would come to pick her flowers especially from the gardenia tree in the front yard. She also used to work at a factory in New York City and was always trying to support her family.

Sister Fullwood was a lifelong member of The Christian Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. She enjoyed following Jesus command at Matthew 24:14 which indicates the importance of preaching and teaching Bible truth to anyone who would listen. Sister Fullwood participated in this Witnessing work until her health declined...and this did not stop her unwavering faith. She continued to share upbuilding conversation with all family members who would visit.

In addition to Sister Fullwood parents, she was preceded in death by two sons, Larry Ulysses and Cantfield Jr.; two brothers-in-law, Harvey Cheeseboro and Calvin Toussaint.

In 1955, she was married to Cantfield E. Davis, Sr. and to this union six children were born.

She leaves to cherish his precious memories: two daughters, Vannessa Davis of Jersey City, NJ and Pamela Davis of NYC, New York; two sons, Donald L. Davis (Lillie) of Sumter, SC and Demetrius E. Davis (Dorothy) of Lynchburg, SC; a daughter-in-law, Deloris Davis of Sumter, SC; a brother, William "Lawrence" Fullwood (Mary Lou) of Mayesville, SC; four sisters, Dorothy Cheeseboro of Orangeburg, SC, Josephine Fullwood of Bronx, NY, Pearline York (Franklin) of Bronx, NY and Thomasina Toussaint of NYC; a special grandson, Treevour Sharp (Sarina) of NYC; and a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.



Order of Service

Chairman.....Brother Dan Griglen
Slide Show Presentation
Song #138.....“Beauty in Gray-Headedness”
Prayer.....Brother Dan Griglen
Reading of the Obituary.....Brother Dan Griglen
Discourse.....Brother William J. Nichols, Jr.
Interview.....Brother Treevour Sharp
Interview.....Sister Ozeta Harriott
Discourse (cont.).....Brother William J. Nichols, Jr.
Song #144.....“Keep Your Eyes on the Prize!”
Closing Prayer.....Brother William J. Nichols, Jr.
Slide Show Presentation

Song # 138: Beauty in Gray-Headedness (Proverbs 16:31)

1. Here with us are aged ones,
Those whose youth has passed.
Here among us they endure;
Still they're holding fast.
Loss of strength besets them all;
Loss of mates for some.
Father, please confirm their faith,
In the life to come.

(CHORUS)

Father, you remember
How in faith they've run.
Give them your assurance;
May they hear, "Well done!"

2. Splendid is gray-headedness
Found in ways of right.
Beautiful are faithful ones;
In Jehovah's sight.
May we always recognize;
They were once young too.
Loyally they gave their best;
When their strength was new.

(CHORUS)

Father, you remember
How in faith they've run.
Give them your assurance;
May they hear, "Well done!"

Song # 144: Keep Your Eyes on the Prize! (2 Corinthians 4:18)

1. When the eyes of blind ones see again;
And the ears of deaf ones hear again,
When the songs of children fill the air;
And joy and peace are ev'rywhere,
When our loved ones will return to life,
To an earth that's free from sin and strife,

(CHORUS)

You will see how God these things supplies,
If you keep your eyes on the prize.

2. When the wolves and lambs will feed as one,
When the bears and calves bask in the sun,
Then a mere young boy will lead them all,
And they will heed his childish call.
When our tears belong to yesterday,
When our fears and pain have passed away,

(CHORUS)

You will see how God these things supplies,
If you keep your eyes on the prize.

Special Acknowledgment

The family of Mattie Fullwood wishes to acknowledge with heartfelt appreciation the many prayers, messages, and other expressions of kindness and of loving concern shown to us at this time of sorrow.

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