

In Loving Memory of



Ageline Strachan Prendergast

July 5, 1915 - February 20, 2021

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Obituary

Ageline was born to Charles and Rhoda Strachan on July 5, 1915 in Boxers Mount, St. Mary, Jamaica, W. I. She was the fourth of seven children. Ageline married Edwin Prendergast on August 5, 1936 in Springvale, St. Mary, Jamaica and would later go on to have 13 children. Learning Bible truths at an early age from her parents, Ageline was baptized on April 2, 1961 and remained a faithful and devoted servant of Jehovah until her death. One of her daughters recalled some advice that her mother gave her, "always stay faithful to Jehovah and your husband." Her extensive spiritual life was seen in everyday acts of faithfulness to her Heavenly Father, family, and neighbors.

Ageline was a hard worker. At an early age she worked as a seamstress which included embroidery work. When separated from her husband, she transitioned over to agriculture work where she raised livestock and planted ground provisions. She also worked as an entrepreneur processing and selling coconut oil and sugar. All of which she sold in the market to raise money to support her family.

On reflection of her life, one of her daughters stated: ""...we don't know how she managed to take on so much. The scripture at Proverbs 31 reflects her: "...She watches over the activity of her household and the bread of laziness she does not eat. Her children rise and declare her happy and her husband rises and praises her. There are many capable women but you, you surpass them all. Charm may be false, and beauty may be fleeting but the women who fears Jehovah, will be praised." Everyone in our family can find something there from this scripture that describes her. We will never have another mum like her. It is like a big slice missing from the cake which cannot be replaced. Tears will not be enough.""

We all can agree that Ageline will be missed for her jovial personality. She was a teaser and with no harm intended always made light of a bad situation. She had a quiet demeanor. She was an uncomplaining, hardworking mother who loved her children dearly. She loved to dance and was very witty. Overall, Ageline was a fun-loving person. She was the matriarch of the family and will be missed very much.

Ageline was preceded in death by: her husband, Edwin Prendergast; sons, Derrick and Wendell Prendergast; granddaughter, Lisagaye Hermitt-Mazzeo; and grandson, Maxwell Prendergast. She is survived by: her sons, Granville Prendergast (wife, Kathleen), Allan George Prendergast and Renford Prendergast (wife, Audrey); daughters, Edna Prendergast and Matilda Hermitt (husband, Errington), Millicent O'Connor (husband, Donald), Emogene Prendergast, Josephine Prendergast, Valrie Cohen, Collen Boutte (husband, Joseph) and Elaine Prendergast; stepson, Roy Prendergast; a host of grandchildren, great-grands, great-great grandchildren, cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Chairman

Milton Hermitt

Song

139 - "See Yourself When All Is New"

Prayer

Steven Madden

Obituary

Rohan Vaughan

Memorial Service

Errington Keith Hermitt

Chairman

Milton Hermitt

Closing Remarks

Song

147 - "Life Everlasting Is Promised"

Prayer

Franz Witter

Reflection of Psalm 23:

Jehovah is my Shepherd.

I lack nothing.

In grassy pastures he made me lie down.

To well-watered resting-places I was led

And there I was refreshed.

He led me in the paths of righteousness for the sake of his name.

Though I walked in the valley of deep shadow,

I feared no harm,

For he, Jehovah was with me.

His rod and staff reassured me.

A table he prepared for me before my enemies.

My head was refreshed with oil.

My cup was well-filled.

Surely goodness and loyal love had

pursued me all the days of my life,

And there, in the house of Jehovah

I have dwelled till the end of my days.

Acknowledgement

The family of Ageline Strachan Prendergast would like to thank you all for your love and support. We look forward to the day when we will see our dear mom and grandma again.

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