### **FLOWER BEARERS**

Senior Missionaries, Emmanuel Baptist Church

### **HONORARY ATTENDANTS - NIECES**

Tori Adams Cheryl Burns Sylvia Thomas-Hancock D'Gina Powell Anitra Powell

#### **PALL BEARERS**

Family and Friends

# Our Sincere Gratitude

Thank you for your kindness, thank you that you cared,

Thank you for the things you did and the friendship that you shared.

Words can never tell you, words can never say, How very much you changed our lives, how much you did each day.

The Family



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# Celebration of Life for Mrs. Fronnie Mae Chomas Stewart



Chursday, November 3, 2016 1:00 p.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church 1075 Shalimar Drive Winston-Salem, North Carolina Reverend Ann Dalton, Eulogist

## **OBITUARY**

Fronnie Mae Thomas Stewart, the daughter of the late Adam Thomas and Minnie Ruth Medley Thomas, entered this life on September 18, 1933 in Anson County, North Carolina.

She attended the local schools and was a graduate of West Ansonville High School. At an early age, Fronnie confessed Christ and joined Popular Springs Baptist Church in Burnsville, North Carolina.

After moving to Winston-Salem, North Carolina, she joined Emmanuel Baptist Church on her Christian experience and she was a faithful member until her health declined. She served on many auxiliaries, including the Ora Hambright Missionary Circle, D. Everett Bible Club, Senior Choir and Sunday School. She was a former member of The William C. Sims Senior Citizens Club. Fronnie retired after thirty-six years as a Nurse Assistant for North Carolina Baptist Hospital.

She was married to the late William "Brown" Stewart for fifty years, prior to his death in 2008. To this union three sons were born. Her kindness, unselfishness, pleasant smile and gentle manner characterized her image in the hearts and minds of her sons.

Mrs. Fronnie Mae Thomas Stewart peacefully passed away at Forsyth Medical Center in Winston-Salem on Friday, October 28, 2016, following a period of illness. In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by two sons, Gregory and Kenneth Leonard; a sister, Emma Ruth Harris; three brothers, Morris, Charlie and Richard Thomas; and a step-son, William Wayne Stewart.

Those left with happy memories and expectations of meeting again include her son, Richard (Manya) Stewart; grandsons, Scott, Brandon (LaToya) and Christopher Stewart, Kenneth "KJ" (Sylvia) Stewart of Tampa, FL and William (Christina) Stewart; granddaughters, Angela (Sly) Ambrose of Charlotte, NC, Tonya McCray and Jasmine (Howard) Gatson of El Paso, TX; nieces, Sylvia Thomas Hancock of Charlotte, NC, Cheryl (Jesse) Burns of Apex, NC and D'Gina (Jesse) Powell of Cary, NC; nephews, Michael Anthony Thomas and Lewis Harris of Odessa, TX; eight great grandchildren; two great, great grandchildren; a brother-in-law, Diggs Harris; and a host of cousins and other relatives and special friends and care-giver Mary Pauling and family, Louester Jackson and Hazel Watson.

## **Fronnie Mae Thomas Stewart**

Sunrise: September 18, 1933 - Sunset: October 28, 2016

## **Afterglow**

I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one.

I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.

I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways.

Of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days.

I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry before the sun;

Of happy memories that I leave when life is done.

**Author: Unknown** 





# Mother's Hands

Hands that rocked the cradle from the moment of my birth, their tender touch remembered by those still here on earth.

Soft as silk those hands that taught me how to pray. Banishing childhood fears; they soothed each one away.

When I grew much older and troubles came my way,
These hands caressing mine did more than words could say.

Mother's hands were gentle, they're missed so very much,
I'd give the world to feel once more
their warm and tender touch.

Those hands were full of comfort; now they lie at rest.

But memories hold them close to the ones they served the best.

Author: Marian Jones



Processional Clergy and Family

Family Visitation Period 12:00 p.m.—1:00 p.m.

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship Minister

Selection Emmanuel Baptist Church Choir

Scripture Readings Reverend Mary Coleman

Old Testament: Psalm 90

New Testament: *II Corinthians 5:1-10* 

Prayer of Comfort Reverend Robert Coleman

Solo Mrs. Gloria Swindell

Church Resolution Emmanuel Baptist Church

# Family Reflections/Tributes Solo – Mrs. Christina Perrin-Stewart

Special Tributes (please limit remarks to 2 minutes)

Silent Reading of Obituary ((with Musical Medley)

Selection Emmanuel Baptist Church Spiritual Choir

Eulogy Reverend Ann Dalton

Associate Minister, Emmanuel Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC

Recessional Choir

#### THE INTERMENT

Oaklawn Memorial Gardens Winston-Salem, North Carolina





