

I'M FREE

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God has chosen for me.
I took His hand when I heard him call;
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way;
I've now found peace at the end of day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss;
Oh yes, these things, I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow
Look for the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I've savored much;
Good friends, good times, a loved ones touch.*

*Perhaps my time seems all to brief;
Don't lengthen your pain with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and peace to thee,
God wanted me now-He set me free*

-Unknown

Flower Bearers
Deaconesses, Friendship Missionary Baptist Church

Pall Bearers
Deacons, Friendship Missionary Baptist Church

"She Was Special"
*She was different, she was special and unique in a thousand ways.
She was giving, she was loving and we will miss her all our days.
She knew sorrow in great measure and was stung by illness too.
But neither could defeat her; nothing her faith subdue.
And when she heard death coming, she did not cower in fear.
Instead she called out boldly, "My Lord, I'm here."
-Unknown*



We are Grateful for ...
Your kind expressions of sympathy
Your loving demonstrations of friendship and
God's peace, which passing all understanding
THE FAMILY

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HOME-GOING CELEBRATION FOR *Mrs. Sudie Christine Thompson*



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2017
11:30 AM

FRIENDSHIP MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1317 NORTH CHERRY STREET
WINSTON-SALEM, NORTH CAROLINA

REVEREND DR. LESTER BOYD, PASTOR
REVEREND KEVIN GIBSON, EULOGIST

OBITUARY

***“Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain:
but a woman that feareth the Lord ,
she shall be praised.” Proverbs 31:30***

Mrs. Sudie Christine Adams Thompson, affectionately called Christine by family and friends, was born to the late Jessie B. Adams, Sr. and Susie Redfern Adams in Lumberton, North Carolina on July 15, 1923. She was the youngest of thirteen children. At an early age, Christine professed her belief in Jesus Christ and was baptized at First Baptist Church in Lumberton.

She graduated from Redstone Academy in Lumberton on May 27, 1941. Christine and Lenwood M. Thompson were married on November 23, 1945 and shortly thereafter, moved to Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Their marriage was blessed with the birth of four children.

The family joined Friendship Missionary Baptist Church and became leaders in the worship experiences. At the time of Mr. Thompson's death in 1999, the couple had been married for fifty-four years.

Christine's love for the piano made her instrumental in starting the church's Junior Choir. She served as a Deaconess and was an active member of the Senior Choir, Sunday School and Missionary ministries of the church until declining health prevailed. She was also a dedicated Bible Study student. She enjoyed word search puzzles and cooking but most of all she loved her family

Mrs. Sudie Christine Adams Thompson died suddenly at Woltz Hospice Home in Dobson, North Carolina on Thursday, November 23, 2017. In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by six brothers and six sisters.

Those family members who survive and are left to mourn her passing include her children, Lenwood Thompson, Jr. of Pfafftown, NC, Brenda Thompson of the city, Curtis M. (Delores) Thompson, Sr. of Windsor, CT and Beverly J. Thompson of Greensboro, NC; six grandchildren, Franklin Eaton of High Point, NC, Darren M. (Rita) Tate of Humble, TX, Monica D. (Conway, Sr.) Campbell of Worcester, MA, Renee Sherman of Hartford, CT, Curtis M. Thompson, Jr. of Vernon, CT and Lenwood Thompson, III of the city; ten great grandchildren; two great-great grandchildren; a sister-in-law, Ms. Alice Wine of Lumberton; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives.



Mrs. Sudie Christine Adams Thompson
July 15, 1923 - November 23, 2017

**And when that final, sacred moment came
Mother slipped just beyond our grasp
And Dad embraced her with open arms
Welcoming her "Home At Last"**

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Processional

Clergy and Family

Gathering of Family and Friends
11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Order of Service

The Holy Scripture

Old Testament Reading

Reverend Gilbert Banks, Sr.

New Testament Reading

Reverend Robert L. Moore, Sr.

Prayer of Comfort

Reverence Lawrence Carvana, Sr.

Solo

Mr. Clarence Davis

Special Tributes

Church Resolution

Mrs. Robin Watson

Community Resolution

Mr. Tyrone Anthony

Reflections

Mrs. Mildred Griffin

Solo

Mr. Purnell Turner

Eulogy

Reverend Kevin Gibson

Recessional

The Interment

Piedmont Memorial Gardens
Winston-Salem, NC

