

Homegoing Service

for

Sister Lenora M. Wagstaff

November 11, 1946 – December 10, 2005

Sunrise

Sunset



Saturday, December 17, 2005

11:00 A.M.

Shalom Baptist Church

1111 – 24th Street

Newport News, Virginia 23607

*Rev. Derrick Perkins, Sr., D.D., Pastor
Officiating*

The Obituary

Lenora M. Wagstaff, also known as "Cookie", was born November 11, 1946 to Mildred T. Miller and the late Bishop Dr. Vernard Anderson Miller of Greensboro, NC in the L. Richardson Memorial Hospital.

She graduated from Dudley High School in Greensboro, NC and took several classes at Guilford College. She married on June 15, 1968 and was the proud wife of then 2LT Hubert T. Wagstaff, (U.S. Army Armored Officer), and stood by his side through the Vietnam War. She has lived in various places to include Frankfurt, Germany; Columbia, SC; Huntsville, AL; FT. Knox, KY, Stuttgart, Germany; FT. Polk, LA and FT. Bragg, NC until they retired at FT. Monroe, VA. Through those years she worked in various capacities such as Substitute Teacher, Assistant Manager of boutiques, and volunteered with many community service groups. Although she held several positions, her two toughest jobs were being married to a soldier and foremost nurturing the development of her three energetic sons.

Lenora was summoned home, December 10, 2005, on God's chariot. Those left to cherish her memory are a loving husband, LTC. (Ret.) Hubert T. Wagstaff; children: MAJ. Hubert T. Wagstaff, II (Sonia) (U.S. Army Signal Corps), 2nd Engineer Harold E. Wagstaff (U.S. Merchant Marine), CPT. Jeffrey E. Wagstaff (Chevelle) (U.S. Army Transportation Corps); five grandchildren: Rafael R. McKenzie, Suryka D. McKenzie, Giselle A. Wagstaff, Jeffrey E. Wagstaff, II and Maya A. Wagstaff; Mother, Mildred T. Miller of Greensboro, NC and siblings: Vernard A. Miller, Jr. of Baltimore MD; Elder Odell Miller of Greensboro, NC; Elder Ronald Miller (Gail) (MSG. USAR) of Greensboro, NC; Elaine F. Allen (Norman) of Millersburg, KY; sister-in-law, Willie Mae Lucas of Greensboro, NC and many nieces and nephews..

~ The Family ~

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Invocation.....Pastor Derrick Perkins, Sr.

Hymn..... Shalom Choir

Scripture:

Old and New Testament Rev. Arnita Perry

The Prayer of Consolation Rev. Dr. Gary Kerr - Pastor
First Baptist Church, Keysville, GA

Selection Elder Ronald and Gail Miller

Acknowledgements and Resolution..... Church Clerk

Selection Shalom Choir

Remarks (2 minutes, please)..... Elder Ronald Miller
Church Member
Friend

Selection Choir
"His Eye Is On The Sparrow"

EulogyPastor Derrick Perkins, Sr.

Recessional

Benediction

Committal..... Hampton Memorial Gardens

Reception..... Fellowship Hall, Shalom Baptist Church



Floral Bearers

Daughters-In-Law, Grandchildren

Pallbearers

MAJ Hubert T. Wagstaff, II
CPT Jeffrey E. Wagstaff

Harold E. Wagstaff
Rafael R. McKenzie

Acknowledgements

We sincerely thank-you for all of your kind, comforting and thoughtful expressions of sympathy extended to us in Cookie's Homegoing. Most especially:

- Staff of Ambulatory Foot and Ankle Center
- Staff of Davita Dialysis Center and Mary Immaculate Hospital
- Critical Care Unit of Sentara for doing everything they could to relieve her pain
- Shalom Baptist Church Family
- Langley Chapel Gospel Service Family
- Hair Shoppe for laughs and a good time every Thursday

1 Corinthians 15

⁵⁵O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?

⁵⁶The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.

⁵⁷But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

⁵⁸Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not vain in the Lord."

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