

I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, For now I'm free
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took his hand when I heard his 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 found that peace at the close end of the 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.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and peace to thee;
God wanted me now. He has set me free.*

Flower Attendants
Family and Friends

Pallbearers
Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to them during this hour of bereavement.
May God Bless and Keep You!



Please be advised that the Greenville County Sheriff's Department and the City of Greenville Police Department no longer provide escort services for funeral processions. Therefore, all drivers should obey traffic signals. Persons who are not riding in the funeral



In Loving Memory of



Mrs. Annette Marie Sherman

**Sunday, October 27, 2019 ~ 2:00pm
Watkins, Garrett & Woods Mortuary
1011 Augusta Street
Greenville, South Carolina 29605**

**Pastor Harold L. McPhail, Eulogist
New Hope Christian Fellowship**

Order of Service

Pastor Richard Martin, Presiding
Change with Praise Ministries

Prelude

ProcessionalClergy, Family and Friends

Scripture Readings:

Old TestamentMinister Janie Nance

New TestamentMinister Doris Gamble

PrayerMrs. Betty McPhail

SoloMrs. Joi Valentine

Remarks (Please limit to 2 minutes.)

Ms. Stephanie Sherman (Niece)
Family and Friends

SoloMs. Kesha Williams

Words of ComfortPastor Harold L. McPhail

Recessional

Interment

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church Cemetery
Fairfield Road
Greenville, South Carolina

Obituary

Mrs. Annette Marie Sherman was born in Baltimore, Maryland, to the late Harvey and Helen McInyre and lived her early childhood years in Asbury Park, New Jersey, with her older brother, John. After the passing of her father her family moved to Greenville, South Carolina, to the White Horse and Crestfield Road sections of town. She then developed a lifelong friendship with Jackie Ladson (Henderson) who was her best friend and was also her maid of honor in her wedding. In 1971, until his passing in 2010, Annette was married to the late Lucius P. Sherman, from this marriage she became a loving mother of 4 children and 7 grandchildren.

Annette was a 1969 graduate of Joseph E. Beck High School. After graduating, Annette continued a lifelong journey of self development through reading, writing and pushing herself to learn at a higher level by going to college in her later years. She was an entrepreneur having owned and operated two businesses, Net's Hair Care and AMS Enterprises. She also worked for and retired from the County of Greenville as an Administrative Assistant for the Clerk of Court.

Annette was a faithful and active member of New Hope Christian Fellowship where she served as the church administrator. She was also ordained as a minister to preach the Gospel of her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Annette Sherman was loved by many and will be missed dearly by her family, friends and former co-workers.

Left to cherish many fond and loving memories are one daughter, Sonya (Curtis) Mayfield of Minneapolis, MN; three sons, Chris (Ingrid) Sherman of Greenville, SC, Jason (Monique) Sherman of Los Angeles, CA, and Kevin (Sherneka) Sherman of Greenville, SC; seven grandchildren, Chanele Sherman, Cierra Gambrell-Talley, Tiana Smith, Erick Sherman, Kennedy Sherman, Jahnya Mayfield and Joshua Sherman; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Memories...

