

*To Sarah's family,
We offer our deepest condolences and heartfelt prayers. May the memories of her love and joy comfort you during this difficult time. She may be gone, but we will never forget Sarah. Rest in peace, Pastor Sarah Sanders. You have touched our lives in ways words cannot express, and you will be deeply missed.*



Flower Bearers & Casket Bearers Family & Friends

Acknowledgments

The Sanders Family wishes to express our sincere appreciation for your acts of kindness and love shown during our loved one's illness and our time of bereavement. Your thoughtfulness will always be appreciated. May God bless each of you.

~The Family

Interment

Resthaven Cemetery is located at the end of Burke Street in Dunn. The physical Address is 500 S. Burke Street, Dunn, NC 28334.

Repast

Four Oaks Civitan
109 W Hatcher St.
Four Oaks, NC 27524



A Celebration of Life



Sarah Sanders

Devoted Woman of God

JUNE 9TH 1955



MARCH 31ST, 2023

Order of Service

PresidingPastor Louise Royal

Prelude.....Choir

Processional.....Ministers & Family

Selection.....Choir

Scriptures:

Old Testament.....Elder Tony Sanders

New Testament.....Elder Derrick Sanders

Prayer of Consolation.....Pastor Gertie Stevens

Solo.....Sylvester Stokes

Remarks.....Two Minutes Please

Acknowledgements

& Obituary.....Dr. Terry Hampton Jones

Solo.....Elder LaMale Williams II

Eulogy.....Apostle Wilma Ward Hampton

Recessional Choir



Dear friends and family,

Today we gather here to honor and celebrate the life of Sarah Sanders. She was a beloved wife, sister, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, pastor, and devoted woman of God.

Born on June 9th, 1955 in Johnston County, N.C., Sarah attended Hilltop School in Four Oaks and met and married the love of her life Jacob “Jake” Sanders, on June 9th, 1971. Sarah joined Johnston Grove Church of God in her early years, marking the start of her lifelong commitment to serving her Lord and Savior. After becoming a member at Hampton Memorial, Sarah went on to join Miracle Temple where she served as a Youth Pastor. Sarah’s unwavering dedication to establishing a permanent home church led her to become the Pastor of Power House of Praise Bible Church of God, alongside her husband Bishop Jacob Sanders.

Sarah was a strong and loving woman who touched the lives of everyone she met. She was always there to lend an ear, offer advice, or lend a helping hand. She was a surrogate pastor to many, and all will miss her kind spirit and compassionate heart



Sarah was preceded in death by her parents Abraham and Faye Hampton, three children (Jacona Michelle Sanders, Fondenia C. Sanders, and Jacob B. “Nottie” Sanders), and one brother, James R. “Yoogie” Hampton. Sarah’s guiding light continues to live through her husband, Jacob “Jake” Sanders, and grandson by Fondenia, Amani Jasigh King of the home; three daughters, Jacqueline Michelle “Jackie” Sanders (Freddie) of Newton Grove, Carmellia Faison (Tony) of Four Oaks, and Tammy L. Sheppard (Shep) of Willow Springs, N.C.; one bonus daughter, Cynthia White of Wilson Mills, N.C.; two sons, Antonio Sanders (Justina) and Derrick Sanders (La Tonya) of Dunn, N.C.; two bonus sons, Anthony Mckoy of Dunn, N.C., and Tony Ward of Four Oaks, N.C.; two brothers, Terry Lee “Buddy” Hampton of Benson, N.C. and Samuel “Tootsie” Hampton of Dunn, N.C.; one sister, Samantha “Sam” Harmon (Bryan) of Lexington, KY; a special friend, Patricia Ward of Newton Grove, N.C.; and two special cousins, Shirley M. Stokes of Benson, N.C. and Bishop Ray Hampton of Zebulon, N.C. In addition, she had 24 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren, as well as many other family members and friends.

Sarah Sanders departed this earthly home on Friday, March 31st, at Wake Memorial Hospital at 5:36 pm. Sarah’s legacy of love, faith, and kindness will continue to live on through the lives of those she touched. We will never forget her beautiful singing voice, little dances, and infectious laughter. She was a light in this world, and now she shines brightly in heaven.

