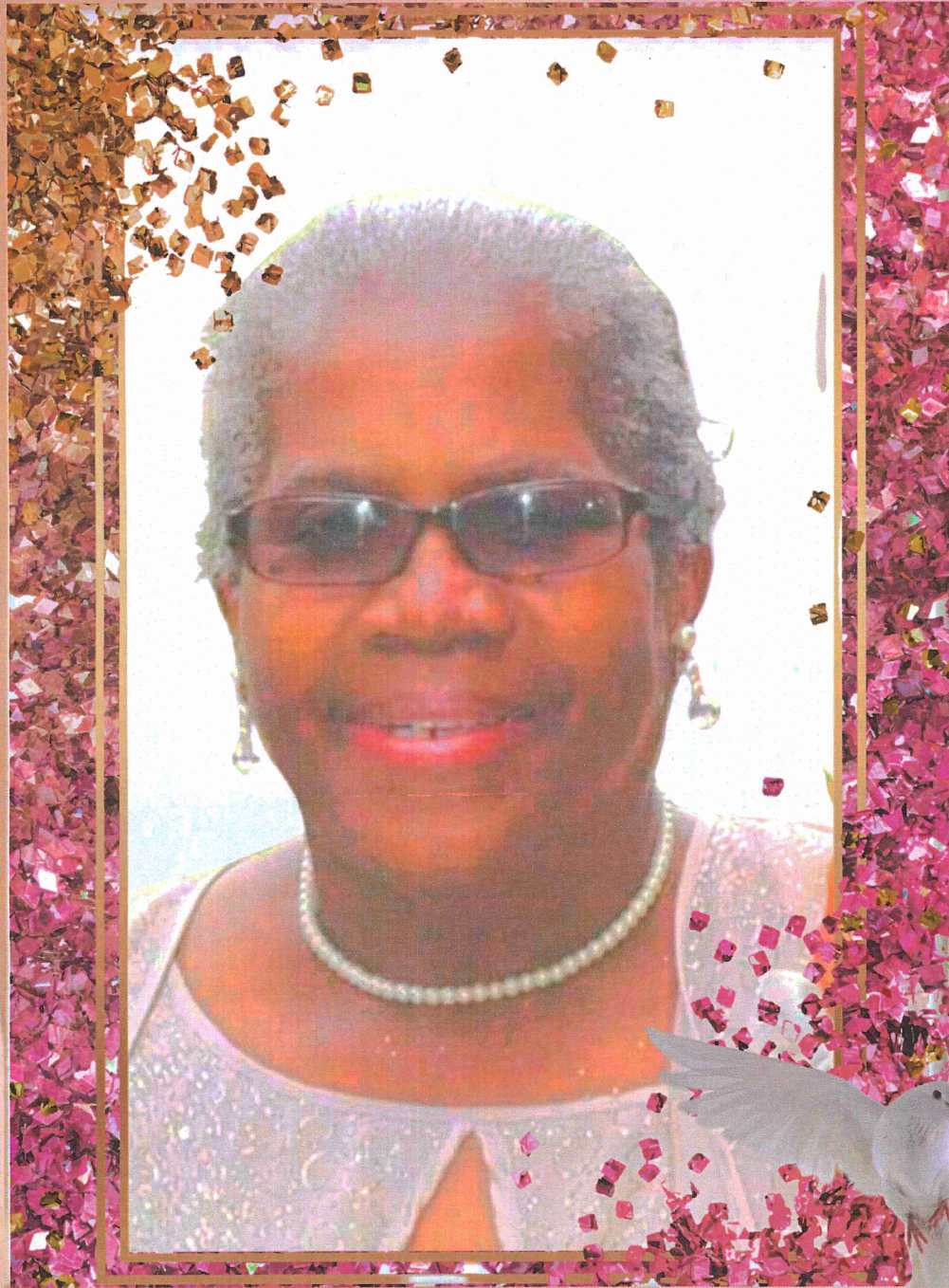


# Celebrating *Ms. Evonia Cummings*



To Earth  
January 15, 1942

To Glory  
September 17, 2023



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LITTLE BRYAN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
SAVANNAH, GEORGIA  
Rev. Marvin L. Lloyd, Pastor

# The Life & Legacy



## *To Earth*

Ms. Evonia Cummings was born to Lafayette and Dorothy Cummings in Warren County, Georgia and later moved to Columbus, Ohio. She graduated from East High School. When Evonia returned to the south, she moved to Savannah, Georgia to be closer to family. Evonia was a faithful member of Little Bryan Missionary Baptist Church, serving as an usher and a member of the Virtuous Women Ministry. She retired after working for many years at Savannah's Bea's Bon Ton Restaurant on Waters Avenue where she greeted many customers with her warm smile. Evonia was known for her kind and gentle spirit and for helping others.

## *To Eternity*

Ms. Evonia Cummings peacefully transitioned on Sunday, September 17, 2023 at the blessed age of eighty-one. She was under the care of Pruitt Health Hospice Services.

## *Evonia's Legacy*

Evonia leaves to cherish her memories: her twin brother, Geon Cummings {Columbus, Ohio}; sons, Reginald Cummings, Ronald Cummings, Nathaniel Cummings {Stephanie}; and daughters, Gwendolyn Moore {Reginald} and Rosalind Grant {Samuel}. She was blessed to be a special auntie to Montye Benjamin {Atlanta, Georgia}, Penelope Hill {Gary} {Effingham County, Georgia}, Collette Johnson {Atlanta, Georgia}, and Bradford Rhett {Shaniqua} {Jacksonville, Florida}. She forever cherished her special cousin, Mattie Dixon, with whom she shared daily calls about the soap operas, food they loved to eat, and their aches and pains. Evonia also leaves a host of loving grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews, other relatives, and beloved friends.



*"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing" 2 Timothy 4:7-8.*



# The Celebration



Rev. Marvin L. Lloyd, Pastor  
Presiding

*Processional & Viewing*

*Invocation*

*Musical Selection*

Little Bryan Missionary Baptist Church Choir

*The Holy Scriptures*

*Old Testament*

*New Testament*

Rev. Keynard Campbell, Sr.  
Min. Karla T. Campbell

*Musical Selection*

Little Bryan Missionary Baptist Church Choir

*"A gracious woman gets honor..."*

*Reflections on Evonia*

*Limit to 3 Minutes Please*

Gardess Sullivan  
Church Member & Friend

Radhiya Akua Mosi Jones  
Oldest Grandchild

Patricia Johnson  
Church "Daughter"

Mary Gray

*Resolution & Acknowledgements*

*Sermonic Selection*

Little Bryan Missionary Baptist Church Choir

*Words of Comfort*

Rev. Marvin L. Lloyd  
Pastor

*Benediction*

*Recessional*

*Interment*

Magnolia Memorial Gardens  
5532 Silk Hope Road  
Savannah, Georgia 31405

*"There is a time for everything and a season for every activity under the heavens."*



# Thank You

*"Whoever believes in Me will live even if he dies; and everyone who lives and believes in Me will never die. Do you believe this?"*

## Thank You to Our Dear Mother

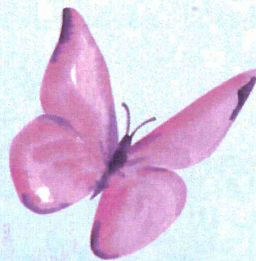
*We appreciate the lessons taught and the many sacrifices that you made for us to become adults who could make you very proud. You worked hard for us and demonstrated work ethics that we are able to pass on to our children. Dear Mother, your kind and gentle spirit will always be revered. You showed compassion and respect for all regardless of stature. We commit to representing your legacy in the best manner possible. We will always love you and will forever be grateful that God chose you to be our Mother.*

## To Our Auntie/Mother

*Our prayer for you is that you may rest in the comfort of God's presence. You did your very best praying to God that we would always take care of one another. As adults you were our friend, confidant, and biggest cheerleader. We will miss your calls, your encouragement, and your advice. The 36th Street Crew will always remember you and what you have done for all of us.*

## To Our Grandmother

*We thank God for your kind words and love. Your sweet smile will be missed. We, your loving grandchildren, are sad to see you leave us but are happy that you are no longer in pain. We will make you proud of us and will be great warriors and strong women.*



The family of Ms. Evonia Cummings wishes to thank everyone for their beautiful acts of kindness and expressions of love during our time of bereavement. Our prayer is for God to bless each of you. Thank you for your comforting words, calls, texts and visits. Special thanks to Pruitt Health Services, Pruitt Health Hospice, and Memorial Hospital nurses, staff, doctors, and specialists. We would like to thank Adams Funeral Services for their professional and compassionate services.

~The Cummings Family