



I LEAVE  
YOU IN  
THE  
HANDS  
OF THE  
LORD!

**Pall Bearers & Floral Bearers**  
Friends of the Family

**- Acknowledgements -**  
The family of  
***Carolyn Bridgers Leake***  
acknowledges with deep appreciation and grateful hearts all expressions of sympathy extended to our family during our time of bereavement. Your kindness and thoughtfulness have enabled us to bear the loss of one we held so dear. You have given us comfort and strength as we prepare to say our final farewell. Thank you for your loyalty and support. May the Lord continue to bless each of you and keep you forever in His grace and mercy.

**- THE LEAKE FAMILY -**

Professional Services Entrusted to:

  
**Carrons**  
FUNERAL HOME

726 SW Tarboro Street | Wilson, NC 27893  
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**IN LOVING MEMORY**

**November 18, 1949**      **September 19, 2022**

***Carolyn***  
***Bridgers***  
***Leake***

**Sunday, September 25, 2022**  
**- 2:00 PM -**  
**Robert King, Sr. Memorial Chapel**  
**Carrons Funeral Home**  
726 S. Tarboro St., Wilson, NC  
**Pastor Tevin Boykin, Eulogist**



- ORDER OF SERVICE -

Evangelist Diane Artis, *Presider*

Processional.....Clergy & Family

Musical Selection.....Union View Church Choir

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Old Testament.....Pastor Donald Anderson

New Testament.....Deacon Tyrone Battle

Prayer of Comfort.....Trustee Jimmie Bagley

Musical Selection.....Union View Church Choir

Remarks/Tributes

Acknowledgements/Obituary  
Minister Otisteen Brunson

Musical Selection.....Union View Church Choir

Eulogy.....Pastor Tevin Boykin

Funeral Director's Brief

Recessional & Viewing

- INTERMENT -  
Rest Haven Cemetery  
Bishop L.N. Forbes Street  
Wilson, NC

- OBITUARY -

*Carolyn Bridgers Leake*

daughter of Turner Bridgers and Ethel Anderson Bridgers, was born November 18, 1949 in Wilson, North Carolina. She peacefully departed her earthly life on Monday, September 19, 2022 as she was called to eternal rest. Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, George Leake; one sister, Sherry Williams Eatmon; three brothers, Turner Bridgers, Jr., James Williams and Jimmy Williams; and one grandson, John Mercer. Carolyn was reared in Wilson County where she received her education from the Wilson County Public Schools. She was reared in a home where the love of family was very important. A dedicated and resourceful worker, Carolyn was employed by Sampson Sewing Factory and the healthcare industry where she worked faithfully for many years until her health declined. Having the love for children, she later became a babysitter for parents who worked and needed childcare assistance.

Loving, kind and devoted, Carolyn enjoyed life and the many pleasures she received from her family and friends. She was always willing to assist if she could. Her grandchildren were the joy of her life. She was a great mother, grandmother, sister and friend who will be dearly missed but always remembered with love and thankfulness. Having the love for Jesus Christ, Carolyn joined Light of the World Baptist Church in Wilson, North Carolina. She enjoyed the fellowship and ministry until her health would not allow her to attend.

Loving memories are forever cherished by her daughter, Teresa Leake of Wilson, NC; her son, Samone Leake of Wilson, North Carolina; ten grandchildren, Ra'jon Leake, Samone Leake, II, Lovely Leake all of Selma, NC, Samondrey Leake of Coats, NC, Xzavion Leake, Paris Leake, Timothy Mercer, Tiffany Mercer all of Wilson, NC, Jamya Allen of Virginia Beach, VA, and Christopher Mercer of Bailey, NC; seven great grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends, including two special friends, Monica Harris and Curtis Jackson of Wilson, NC.



*I'm  
Free!*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,  
I'm following the path that God made for me.  
I took his hand when I heard him called,  
Then turned, and bid farewell to all.  
I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to sing or play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way,  
I've found my peace at close of the day.  
If my parting has left a void,  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened..deep with sorrow  
I wish you sunshine of tomorrow  
My life has 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 grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me FREE!*