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JaVaughn Herman
Jabari Weldon

Alfred Smalls
Edward Berry

Charles Lattimore
Ricky Lattimore

Honorary Pallbearers

Chad Lemons
Tiaun Berry

Larry Scott
Cierra Smalls

Celebration Of Life
For

Sister Irene J. Green

October 23, 1925 ~ October 14, 2020



Acknowledgements

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Saturday, October 24, 2020

1:00 PM

Hillcrest Abbey West Cemetery

1320 Dean Forest Rd

Pastor Anthony Maxwell, Officiating

Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church

*And while she lies in peaceful sleep,
her memory we shall always keep!*

A Proverbs 31 Woman

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“Strength and Honor are her clothing;
and she shall rejoice in time to come.”
Proverbs 31:25

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Who can find a virtuous woman? For
her price is far above rubies. Proverbs
31:10

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She look’eth well to the ways of her
household, and eateth not the bread
of idleness. Proverbs 31:27

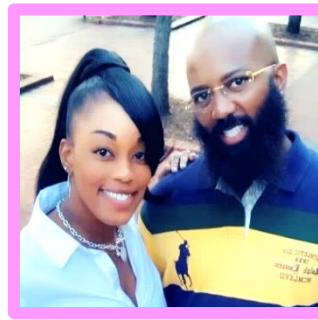
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She stretcheth out her hand to the
poor; yes, she reacheth forth her hand
to the needy. Proverbs 31:20

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“Many daughters have done
virtuously, but thou excellest them
all.” Proverbs 31:29

“Give her of the fruit of her hands;
and let her own works praise her in
the gates.” Proverbs 31:31



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I Am Always With You

I am always with you

When I am gone, release me, let me go.

I have so many things to see and do,

You mustn't tie yourself to me with too many tears,

But be thankful we had so many good years.

I gave you my love, and you can only guess

How much you've given me in happiness.

I thank you for the love that you have shown,

But now it is time I traveled on alone.

So grieve for me a while, if grieve you must

Then let your grief be comforted by trust

That it is only for a while that we must part,

So treasure the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away for life goes on.

And if you need me, call and I will come.

Though you can't see or touch me, I will be near

And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear

All my love around you soft and clear

And then, when you come this way alone,

I'll greet you with a smile and a "Welcome Home".

~ Jabari, Celeste, JaVaughn, All Family
& Friends.

2 Timothy 4:7

"I have fought a good fight. I have finished my course. I have kept the faith."

Sister Irene Johnson Green, born Irene Alston to the late Lady Rosalee and Rev. Wilson Alston, Sr., on October 23, 1925 in Estill, S.C.

Sister Irene began her education in Estill, S.C., and relocated to Savannah, Ga. where she completed high school at Saint Anthony's Catholic School now known as Blessed Sacrament.

At the age of 29, she was employed by US Army Corp Of Engineers until retiring at the age of 65.

In 1941 Irene met the love of her life, Willie Johnson. In 1942 the two became one and from this a blended family of three started. Six children were produced from this union, two girls; Juanita & Brenda, four boys; Willie, Alfred, Frank & Ronald, one stepson; James Johnson.

After 10 years this marriage relinquished and in 1960, she married George Green to become a blended family of nine. On January 1, 2010, Mama Irene's love transitioned to glory.

Mama Irene lived and breathed for her church. She was a devoted member of Zion Hill M.B.C that loved making sure her pastor was taken care of.

At a young age she was the prime example of what a servant should be, so under the leadership of Rev. J.B. Bates Irene became the president of the Pastor's Aide Board. Serving so well that she assisted all the pastors that came after him, Rev. E. Jordan and Rev. Anthony Maxwell until her health begin to fail. Because of Sister Irene's heart of servitude, she served in several positions in the ministry, The Senior Choir, Missionary Board and Sunday School. She expressed her love of God by showing love to everyone she met. Telling them about her Pastor, Deacon, ministry and how God is love so we are to love one another regardless of our color, nationality are creed.

Irene is preceded in death by her parents; her husband, George Green; one brother, Wilson Alston, Sr.; her six children and stepson; Juanita, Willie, Alfred, Frank, Ronald, Brenda & James; two grandsons, two great-grand sons & one great-grand daughter.

She leaves to cherish her memories a Special Grand-Daughter Celeste Weldon, Special Great-Grands JaVaughn Herman, Jabari (Gina) Weldon Jalaya & Jabria Weldon, Ja'Vonni Herman, all of Savannah, Ga., & Ricky (Kevin) Lattimore of Orlando, Fl. A nephew; William F. Julian of Teeneck, NJ, & a niece Cheray Scott of Woodland Hills, CA. 25 Grands, 44 Great's, 15 Great-Great's and 15 Great-Great-Great's. Honorable mentioned son Harold Johnson, a good friend Sister Mamie Mincey and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

“Reflections Of Life”

I have a place in Heaven
 forget your grief and fears, for I am in.
 a perfect place, away from pain and tears...
 I have a place in heaven, with the Master
 at my side.
 My life on earth was very good, as earthly lives
 can go, but paradise is so much more than
 anyone can know...
 My heart is filled with happiness and sweet
 rejoicing too.
 To walk with God in perfect peace and joy
 forever new.

~ Celeste Weldon, Her Grand-Daughter
 Mama was a woman of great faith and will
 be dearly missed.



A Time Of Celebration

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“As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.”
 Joshua 24:15

Minister Maria Young, Presiding

- Musical Prelude
- The Processional
- Scripture
 - Old Testament Appointee
 - New Testament Appointee
- Prayer Of Comfort Appointee
- Solo Sister Margarite Johnson
- Reflection's (2 Minutes)
 - As A Member Deacon Larry Scott
 - As A Son/Neighbor Harold Johnson
 - As Family Charles Lattimore
- Acknowledgements/Resolution Ricky Lattimore
- Solo Sister Margarite Johnson
- Eulogy Pastor Anthony Maxwell
- Committal
- Benediction



Psalm 62:7



In God is my salvation and my glory: the rock of my
 strength, and my refuge, is in God.

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