

## *I'm Free*

Don't grieve for me, for now I am free  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took His hand when I heard Him 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 place at the 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 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 ones touch.

Perhaps my time seems all to brief;  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free!

## *God Took Her To His Home*

God saw her getting tired, a cure was not to be.  
He wrapped her in His loving arms and whispered 'Come with me.'  
She suffered in much silence, her spirit did not bend.  
She faced her pain with courage, until the very end.  
She tried so hard to stay with us but her fight was not in vain,  
God took her to His loving home and freed her from the pain.  
~Anonymous

### *Pallbearers*

Family and Friends

### *Floral Attendants*

Family and Friends

### *Expressions of Thanks*

We, the family, wish to thank you for your caring thoughts and acts of kindness. Your comforting words, cards, telephone calls, food, visits, and prayers have served as reminders that we are not alone during our loss. We shall always remember how your love sustained us and shall pray that God will continue to bless you as you have touched us. Special thanks to Candler Hospital and Hospice of Savannah.

Final arrangements for our loved one entrusted to:  
**Adams Funeral Services, Inc.**  
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Honoring Her Spirit  
**Ms. Lena Mae**

*Virgil*



Alpha  
November 20, 1942

Omega  
August 31, 2018

Saturday, September 8, 2018  
11:00AM

The Adams Chapel of Adams Funeral Services, Inc.  
510 Stephenson Avenue  
Savannah, GA 31405

Prophet Alfred Reed, Jr., Eulogist



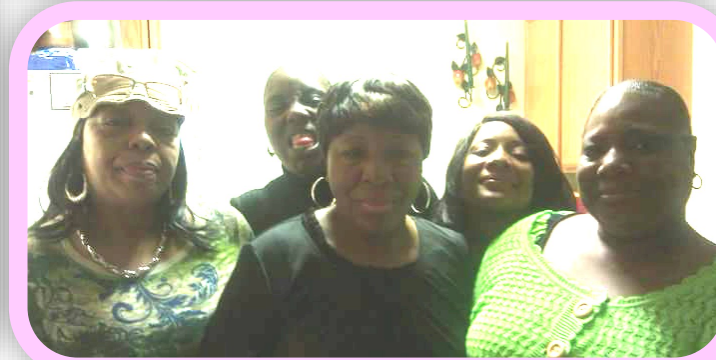
# Obituary

*"The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want."~Psalm 23:1*

Ms. Lena Mae Virgil was born on November 20, 1942 in Jerrod, GA to the late Ms. Christine Jackson and the late Curly Cooper. Lena entered into eternal rest on August 31, 2018. She was preceded in death by her mother, Ms. Christine Jackson; her father, Mr. Curly Cooper; her husband, Mr. Joseph Virgil Jr.; her brothers, Mr. Roosevelt Brown and Mr. Wilbert Cooper; her son, Mr. James Wayne Reed; her granddaughter, Shameka Reed; and her grandson, Marvin Hills.

Lena was educated in the Screven County School System. Her family later relocated to Savannah, GA. She was a member of Tree of Life Holiness Church where she received the gift of the Holy Ghost at the age of 20. Lena was united in Holy Matrimony to the late Alfred Reed. Their union produced five children. She was later united in Holy Matrimony to the late Joseph Virgil Jr. until his death.

Lena leaves to cherish her memory, her sons, Marvin (Lynn) Jackson, Alfred Reed Jr., and Gregory (Melanie) Reed, all of Savannah, GA; her daughters, Sandra Carson, Patricia (Anthony) Jackson, Andrea (Edward) Mikell, and Regina (Ernest) Middleton, of Savannah, GA; her sister, Sacreta Cooper, of Savannah, GA; her brothers, Marvin Cooper, Archie Cooper, Willie Cooper, Curly Cooper, Jr., and James Williams, all of Savannah, GA; 27 grandchildren, 45 great grandchildren, 3 great-great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends



# Order of Service

Evangelist Antonio Gregory, Presiding

*"I have fought a good fight,  
I have finished my course,  
I have kept the faith:"  
2 Timothy 4:7*

Prelude

Processional with Parting View

Scriptures

Old Testament ~ Minister Eddie Lawson

New Testament ~ Evangelist Adam Jenkins

Prayer ~ Evangelist Antonio Gregory

Solo ~ Shayfonia Wilson

Reflections

As A Friend and Neighbor ~ Ruby Groover

Obituary ~ Read Silently

Acknowledgements ~ Elder Darrell Williams

Solo ~ Rose Anderson

Eulogy ~ Prophet Alfred Reed, Jr.

Recessional

Internment

*Service of Interment*

Lincoln Memorial Cemetery

Hunter Army Airfield

Savannah, GA

*Repast*

Veranda Multi-Purpose Room

1414 East Anderson Street

Savannah, GA 31404