PALLBEARERS

HONOR GUARD DETAIL

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

TIMOTHY FORD
TRISHAWN FORD
COMA JAMAL WESTON
VICTOR HOLLOWAY
LEON JACKSON

ANTONIO WALKER
GERALD MCFADDEN
KENNY PATTON

FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND

ONE NIGHT I DREAMED I WAS WALKING ALONG THE BEACH WITH THE LORD, MANY SCENES FROM MY LIFE FLASHED ACROSS THE SKY. IN EACH SCENE I NOTICED FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND. SOMETIMES THERE WERE TWO SETS OF FOOTPRINTS. OTHER TIMES THERE WAS ONE ONLY. THIS BOTHERED ME BECAUSE I NOTICED THAT DURING THE LOW PERIODS OF MY LIFE. WHEN I WAS SUFFERING FROM THE ANQUISH, SORROW OR DEFEAT, I COULD SEE ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS, SO I SAID TO THE LORD, "YOU PROMISHED ME LORD, THAT IF I FOLLOWED YOU. YOU WOULD WALK WITH ME ALWAYS. BUT I HAVE NOTICES THAT DURING THE MOST TRYING PERIODS OF MY LIFE THERE HAS ONLY BEEN ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND. WHY WHEN I NEEDED YOU THE MOST, HAVE YOU NOT BEEN THERE FOR ME?" THE LORD REPLIED, "THE YEARS WHEN YOU HAVE SEEN ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS, MY CHILD, IS WHEN I CARRIED YOU."

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

THE FAMILY OF MS. DVANNE M. CLAY GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGES ALL EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY EXTENDED TO US DURING OUR TIME OF BEREAVEMENT WE APPRECIATE YOUR CALLS. VISITS, CARDS, FLOWERS OR EVEN A THOUGHT AND ESPECIALLY YOUR PRAYERS.

SPECIAL THANKS TO MR. AND MRS. RANDY CONYERS. ADAMS FUNERAL SERVICES AND THE HONOR GLARD DETAIL. WE PRAY FOR GOD'S GREAT SUSTAINING GRACE AND BLESSINGS ON EACH OF YOU. "THANK YOU"

And god shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away. Rev 21:4

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

DYANNE LAVERNE MITCHELL CLAY



OCTOBER 5, 1955-OCTOBER 21, 2020

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2020 12 NOON

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PRAYER.....REV. AUTHOR LEE

SOLO......SIS. LUCILLE HOLLOWAY

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"OBITUARY"

TODAY WE MUST LEAVE A LOVING, KIND AND GENOROUS WOMEN OF GOD, OUR SISTER AND THE LOVE OF OUR LIFE. WE THANK OUR LORD AND SAVIOR FOR ALLOWING HER TO LIVE, TO LIVE IN ALL OF OUR LIVES. HER NAME IS:

DYANNE LAVERN MITCHELL CLAY.

DYANNE LAVERN MITHELL CLAY WAS BORN IN SAVANNAH, GEORGIA ON OCTOBER 5, 1955 TO THE LATE ETHEL STINSON AND WILLIAM CAMPBELL.

DYANNE WAS BAPTIZED AT NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH AT A EARLY AGE. SHE WAS DUTIFUL IN SERVICE TO THE MINISTRY. SHE SERVED IN MANY MINISTRIES AT NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH. SHE LOVED HER SERVICE WITH THE ADULT CHOIR. SHE SERVED ON THE TRUSTEE BOARD. SHE HAD A HEART FOR THE CHILDREN IN THE YOUTH MINISTRY WHICH SHE LOVED.

DYANNE WAS EDUCATED IN SAVANNAH CHATHAM-COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, WHERE SHE GRADUATED FROM SAVANNAH HIGH SCHOOL IN 1973. SHE OBTAINED HER ASSOCIATES DEGREE FROM DRAUGHON'S PRACTICAL BUSINESS COLLEGE.

SHE SERVED IN THE 165TH AIRLIFT WING GEORGIA AIR NATIONAL GUARD WHERE SHE RETIRED AS A TECHNICAL SERGEANT. DURING THAT TIME, SHE DEVELOPED A FRIENDSHIP WITH A SPECIAL GROUP WHO AFFECTIONATELY CALLED THEMSELVES "THE POSSE". ALL ARE RETIRED, CCMSGT BETTY L. G. MORGAN, SMSGT JANICE M. GORGAN, SMSGT LINDA W. HARRIS, MSGT SHIRLEY B. CAMACHO, MSGT PEGGY M. FISHER, MSGT JANICE E. KELSEY, MSGT JOYCE A. THOMAS, TSGT BARBARA W. BROWN.

DYANNE WAS PRECEDED IN DEATH BY HER MOTHER, ETHEL STINSON, HER FATHER WILLIAM CAMPBELL, HER BROTHERS WILLIAM HAROLD MITCHELL AND MICHAEL MITCHELL.

ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2020, SHE ANSWERED THE MASTER'S CALL. DYANNE LEAVES TO CHERISH HER MEMORIES A BROTHER, HAROLD "DINKY" (BERICE) LAWTON OF MIAMI, FL; THREE (3) SISTERS, DELORES (JULIUS) JONES OF NEW YORK, NY; DEBORAH JACKSON AND HARRIETT C. HILL BOTH OF SAVANNAH, GEORGIA; TWO (2) NEPHEWS; BERTRUM CAMBRIDGE AND LEON JACKSON, THREE (3) NIECES AUNDREA LAWTON, CHANTAN HOLMES, MEGHAN LEIGH KING; COUSINS, MICHAEL GATHERS SHERMAN AND HARRIETT JOHNSON. FIVE (5) CHILDHOOD FRIENDS: CYNTHIA BRISBON, LINDA WELLS, BRENDA HOLLOWAY, ANGELA WALKER, LUCY HOLLOWAY AND FROM THIS FRIENDSHIP FIVE (5) GODCHILDREN; ONE (1) GODDAUGHTER, TAWONNA BRISBON-ELLISON, FOUR (4) GODSONS, GERALD MCFADDEN, COMA JAMAL WENSON, VICTOR PATTERSON, ANTONIO WALKER; ONE (1) SPECIAL GODDAUGHTER KEN'NIYA COLE; AND A HOST OF GRAND NIECES, NEPHEWS, COUSINS, OTHER RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.