All is Well

Death is nothing at all.
I have only slipped into the next room.
I am I, and you are you.
Whatever we were to each other, that we are still.
Call me by my old familiar name,
Speak to me in the easy way
which you always used
Put no difference in your tone,
Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow,
Laugh as we always laughed
at the little jokes we enjoyed together.
Play, smile, think of me, pray for me.
Let my name be ever the household word
that it always was,
Let it be spoken without effect,
Without the trace of shadow on it.
Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same as it ever was,
There is unbroken continuity.
Why should I be out of mind
because I am out of sight?
I am waiting for you, for an interval,
Somewhere very near, just around the corner.
All is well.

Love always,
Minnie

A Letter from Pat

P for precious was the love you gave.
A for always there with your caring heart.
T for thanking you for the life you lived.
You played a special role in all our lives
from childhood to adulthood.
Your love and lessons helped us along the way.
I can hear you say, "you better come see me now"
so very loud and clear.
So auntie, I'm holding these words close to my heart.
And I know today I say goodbye with tears in my eyes,
but I know goodbye is not the end.
Your love will live in my heart
until we meet again.

With all my love, Pat

Interment

Second Mt. Calvary Baptist Church
Committal Service, Prayer & Benediction
Allendale, SC

Pall Bearers

Darius Heyward
Travarious Heyward
Zachary Heyward

Floral Attendants

Friends of the Family

Repast

Second Mt. Calvary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
Allendale, SC

Final Care and Arrangements Entrusted To:

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Allendale, SC 29810
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"Where Comfort Is Found In Memories"

Celebrating the Life of



Mother Minnie FLOWERS

Sunrise: June 29, 1933 - Sunset: October 6, 2026

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2026 AT 12 NOON

Second Mt. Calvary Baptist Church

4432 BURTONS FERRY HIGHWAY
ALLENDALE, SOUTH CAROLINA 29810

REVEREND RICHARD V. WALLACE, OFFICIATING

Order of Service

Reverend Dr. Bernice Graves, Presiding

Prelude ..... *Soft Music*

Processional/Final Viewing ..... *Clergy, Family & Friends*

Crowning Ceremony ..... *"I Shall Wear a Crown"*

Opening Selection ..... *Community Choir*

Scripture Readings ..... *Minister Melba Elmore*
Old Testament and New Testament

Prayer of Comfort ..... *Reverend Dr. Bernice Graves*

Selection ..... *Community Choir*

Words of Remembrance
Church ..... *Reverend Richard V. Wallace*
Family Tribute ..... *Tye Heyward*

Acknowledgements ..... *Allendale Community Funeral Home*

Special Selection ..... *Community Choir*

Words of Comfort ..... *Reverend Richard V. Wallace*

Recessional ..... *"Welcome Home"*

Acknowledgements

The family of the late Mother Minnie Flowers would like to extend our heartfelt thanks for the kindness, compassion and support showing during this time of loss. Your thoughtful messages, cards, prayers, flowers and comforting presence have meant more to us than words can express.

The Family



Reflection of Life



Mother Minnie Flowers was born on June 29, 1933 in Allendale County, South Carolina to the late Dave Flowers and the late Christiana Brown Flowers. She entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, October 6, 2026.

She was a sweet, generous, loving, and devoted soul, who cherished her family and friends wholeheartedly. She found joy in caring for her home and yard, but above all, she loved nurturing and supporting each of her nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews, and great-grandnieces and nephews. She played a special and meaningful role in all of our lives, from infancy through adulthood. Her lessons, her wisdom, and her tough but sweet love will live on in each of us forever. She loved the Lord and her church family deeply. She joined Second Calvary Baptist Church at an early age and faithfully fellowshipped there, serving as the Mother of the Church until her health began to decline. Through every season of her life, she continued to love the Lord, remained faithful and kept the faith. Her life was a beautiful example of love, devotion, family, faith and service.

She was preceded in death by both parents; three sisters: Willie Lee Bostick, Louise Scott and Bernice Youmans; two brothers: Wally Flowers and Ernest Flowers.

She leaves to cherish her fond memories, one sister, Ida Mae Riddle of Allendale, SC; three special nieces: Lou Bert (Mack) Coath, Patricia Smith and Louise Bostick all of Allendale, SC; six nephews: Willie (Edna) Youmans, Ben (Wanda) Youmans, Hershey (Fannie) Bostick, Earl (Susie) Bostick and Eulilee Lee (Elise) Riddle all of Allendale, SC; and a host of other loving relatives and dear friends.

Minnie leaves behind a legacy that will continue to live through everyone who had the blessing of knowing and loving her.