

Mother

There's no power like it on this earth, no treasure equal to its worth, the gift of a mother's unconditional love. I know I could never repay you back for the love, commitment, and dedication you gave, but my plan was to show you that I loved you and I understood.

*You were appreciated! I love you mommy.
Rodney*

"If I could have one more talk!" Love on yourself! You are beautiful, fearfully and wonderfully made. Mourn but please move grief from your spirit. Learn to express your feelings. Allow God in the mist of your life. Know that God heals broken wounds. Enjoy life, it's worth living. "If I could have one more talk!" - Carrie



PALLBEARERS

Family & Friends

FLOWER BEARERS

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

*The family of Carrie Pearl Gary Priestley would like to thank everyone for their kind expressions. Your phone calls, visits, flowers, thoughts, and prayers have all helped greatly during our time of bereavement.
May God continue to bless each of you, is our prayer.*

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A CELEBRATION OF LIFE
FOR OUR BELOVED



Carrie
PEARL
GARY
Priestley

SUNRISE
May 28, 1947

SUNSET
July 29, 2023

August 5, 2023
2:00 PM

OBITUARY

Ms. Carrie Pearl Gary Priestley, daughter of the late Wille Young and Mazella Gary, was born Wednesday, May 28, 1947, in Clinton, SC. She was called home to glory on Saturday, July 29, 2023.

Carrie became a member of Fairview A.M.E. Church as a child. Later in life, she became a member of Bethlehem Grove Baptist Church. She's a graduate of Bell Street High School, Class of 1965. In 2010, she retired from The Clinton Presbyterian Community.

Upon retirement, she dedicated and devoted her time to her mother, aunt, and spending time with her children, grandchildren, family, and friends. Her home was always open and welcoming to anyone who visited. Her heart was pure, loving, and caring for everyone. She loved listening to gospel music, Lee Williams being one of her favorite artists.

Carrie was preceded in death by her grandson, Batavious Davis. She leaves to cherish her memory: four sons, Rodney Priestley of Laurel, MD, Keith Priestley of Greenville, SC, Mark Priestley of Duncan, SC, and Todd Priestley of Clinton, SC; two daughters, Lisa Priestley/O'Daniel Vance of Clinton, SC, and Crystal Priestley/Alexander Moses of Laurens, SC; two brothers, Reggie Gary of Laurens, SC, and Ray Young of Philadelphia, PA; one sister, Tasha/Dave Rogerson of Tallahassee, FL; nine grandchildren, Malika Allgood, reared in the home, Amber Callahan, Rosanna Harris, Jaquala Peake, Tyrekkus Priestley, Adre'vious Peake, Adoraim Priestley, Ayauncey Peake, and Joshau Priestley; ten great-grandchildren; two brothers-in-law, Oscar Priestley and Darius Priestley; two sisters-in-law, Rosie Nelson and Susan Priestley; devoted cousins, Lillian Johnson, Sally Blakely, Bettye Doggett, George Gary, and Roger Gary; special friends, Gloria Cheeks and Diane Gary; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.



ORDER OF SERVICE

*Reverend Henry Mansel, Presiding
Bethlehem Grove Baptist Church
Clinton, South Carolina*

- Prelude
- Processional..... Clergy and Family
- Final ViewingFamily and Friends
- Selection..... Musician
- Scripture
 - Old TestamentMinister Chris Coleman
 - New Testament Reverend Henry Mansel
- Prayer..... Reverend Reggie Gary
- Selection..... Reverend Henry Mansel
- RemarksFamily and Friends
- Selection..... Ayauncey Peake, Granddaughter
- Eulogy Reverend C. A. Wallace,
Mt. Sinai Baptist Church | Gaffney, South Carolina
- Recessional

GRAVESIDE SERVICES
Orchard Park Memorial Gardens
Apple Orchard Road
Clinton, South Carolina 29325

Committal Rites ~ Parting Prayer ~ Interment