

# Obituary

Zannie Princess Walker Chestnut, was born May 29,1944 in Waynesboro, Georgia to the late Ella Mae Walker. She was one of eight children. The family relocated to Broward County with their mother. Zannie attended and graduated from Dillard high School.

She worked as a Nursing Assistance because she enjoyed being around people and assisting anyone that needed help. Zannie later attended Sheridan Technical College East Campus to obtain her Licensed Practical Nurse degree and worked with varies nursing agencies, in hospital settings, home health nurse and rehab center throughout the Broward County. She became a Christian very early in life, and able to share her belief where ever she went. She loved to give from her heart, and sharing the word of God was important to her.

Zannie and Samuel Chestnut were also the proud parents of Jerome V. Chestnut and the late Dwayne Eric Chestnut. She enjoyed being a mother, friend, cooking, decorating, entertaining, reading her Bible, and dressing for any event to look her best. She has an eye for style, but most of all she loved Jesus with all her heart, she had an eye to help point people to Jesus. To be the light for Jesus in a dark world. She's a member of Temple Aron Hakodesh in Lauderdale Lakes.

Sister Zannie departed this life Thursday January 2, 2025, "to be absence from the body is to be present with the Lord!"

She was preceded in death by her Mother Ella Mae Walker. Bothers: Tommy Lee Walker, Toney Walker. Sisters: Dorothy Lane, Angela LaVerne Walker. Son Dwayne E. Chestnut.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories, her son Jerome Chestnut, Sr., brothers James Walkers, Eugene Walker, Sister-in-laws Jacqueline Walker & Eddie Sue Walker, daughter-in law Vanessa Chestnut. Grandchildren: Jerome Chestnut, Jr., Christopher Harlis, Champagne Chestnut, Isaiah Chestnut, Rozalyn Gentry and Destiny Chestnut.

Great grand kids: Janiya Harlis, Armani Brown, Jerome Chestnut Ill, Kamara Gentry, Angel Gentry, Angela Gentry, Sidney Tatum, Dashawn Tatum. God-Daughter Deedee Bender and a host of Aunts, uncle, nieces, nephews, cousins, friends Oscar and Joanna Chestnut, Jose & Lisa Magdeleno. Special friends Myrna Loy Currie, Eartha Perry, Renae Thomas and so many more.

# Order of Service

*Presiding Rev. Doctor Oscar L. Chestnut*

Processional.....

Selection.....When the Saints Go Marching In

## Scripture Reading

Old Testament.....Psalms 23

Minister Dantonio Frazier

New Testament.....John 14: 1-4

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Prayer.....Pastor Oscar L. Chestnut

## Zannie's Journey (Obituary)

Hold to God's unchanging hand .....Silent Reading

Selection.....

## Reflections (Limit Two Minutes Please)

As a Sister in Christ .....Sister Myrna Loy Currie

As a God-Daughter .....Deedee Bender

Open (Family and friends)

## Acknowledgements

Selection.....Blessed Are You

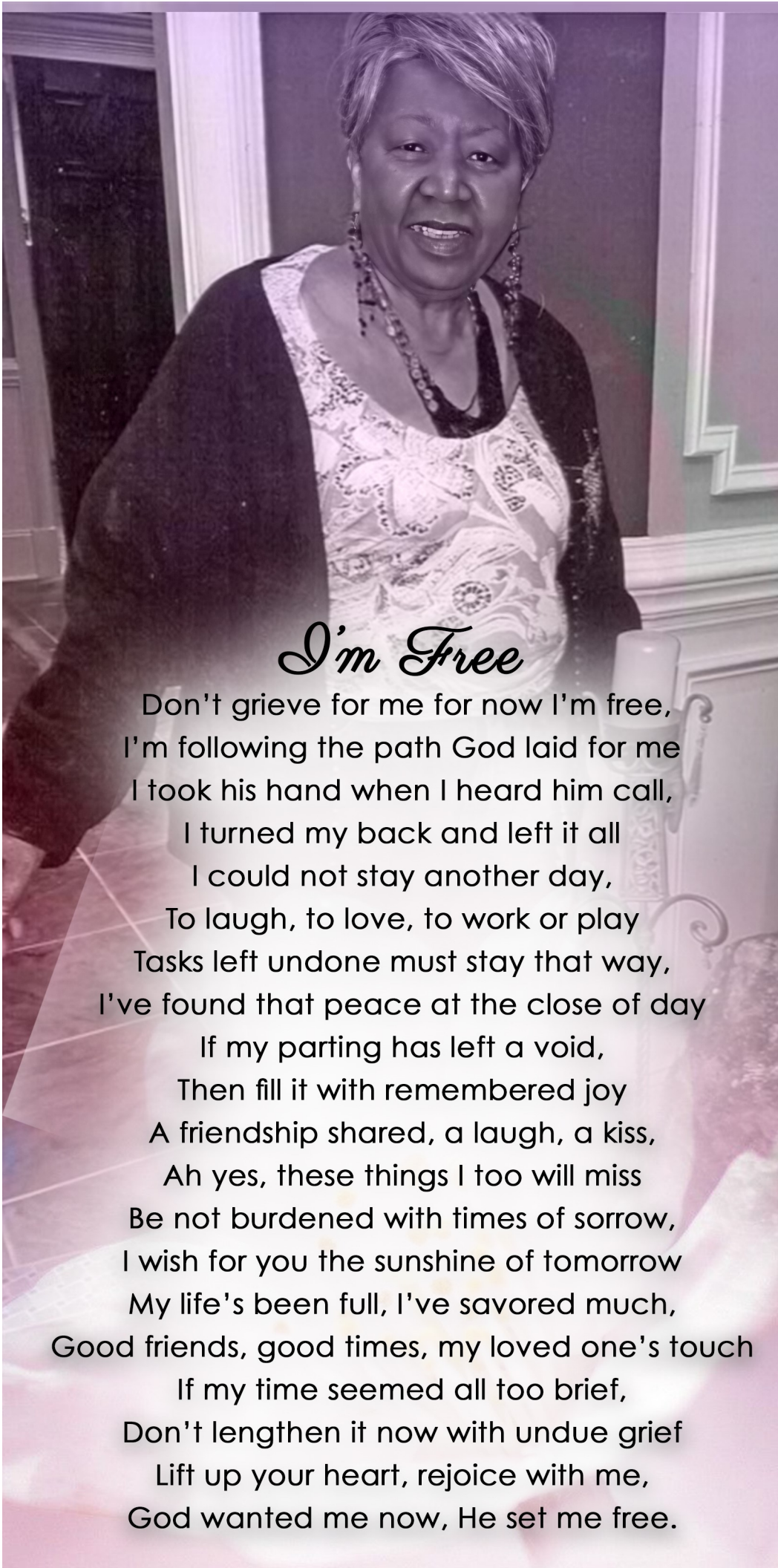
by Paul Wilbur

Words of Comfort.....Rabbi Daniel

Kehilat Bet Avinu

## Recessional





### *I'm Free*

Don't grieve for me for now I'm 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've found that peace at the close of 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 for you the sunshine of tomorrow  
My life's been full, I've savored much,  
Good friends, good times, my loved one's touch  
If my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief  
Lift up your heart, rejoice with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.

*Pallbearers*  
Friends and Family

*Acknowledgements*  
The family wishes to thank all  
our friends and extended  
family for you sincere offerings  
of love, support and sympathy  
expressed in kind gestures,  
payer, conversations, your gifts  
of food, cards and flowers.

*Interment*  
Forest Lawn Central  
499 North West 27th Avenue  
Fort Lauderdale, FL

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*Homegoing Celebration For*



*Zannie Princess Chestnut*  
May 29, 1944 - January 2, 2025

Tuesday, January 7, 2025  
1:00 PM

*McWhite's Funeral Home Chapel*  
3501 West Broward Boulevard  
Lauderhill, FL 33312