

The Obituary
Of
Mrs. Lucy Washington Gay

Mrs. Lucy Washington Gay was born on October 29, 1954, to the late Hattie and Frank Nix. She was a graduate of Lowndes High School in 1972. Lucy started her career at Levis Stratus in which she was employed for 20+ years until their closing. Shortly after Lucy pursued a career in Early Childhood Development and became a Daycare Teacher at Kat's Preschool, Open Door's Preschool and First United Methodist Church where she loved and became mom/grandma to the children. Lucy's most recent career was a Care Giver for Home in Stead for 10 years. Lucy left her earthly home on February 11, 2024 surround by family. Lucy was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother aunt and sister.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Hattie Nix; father, Frank Nix; sisters, Betty Nix Jackson and Irene Smith; brother, Leroy Nix

She leaves to cherish her memories her husband, William Gay, Sr; daughter, Lateasa Sanchell (Akinlawon); son, William Gay, Jr. (Shermek); niece/daughter, Velma McGill; nephew/son, Juan Waymon (Shanna); aunts, Sylvia Bellamy (Willie) and Pamela Wilson (Nathan); uncle, Arthur Waymon (Arletha); grandchildren, Donte Hicks, Ashanti Murray, Amiyah Murray, Sharandon Gay, Brandon Gay, Mya Gay, Shontia McGill, Justin McGill, Akina Thornton (Belle) and Akinlawon Sanchell, Jr.; her great granddaughter, Chyna Reynolds who had a very special place in her heart; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other family members, and friends.

Special Thanks

Home Depot Management and Associates.
Scott and Roberts Mortuary and Staff, Inc.
To everyone who touched Lucy's life in a special way.

Home Going Celebration
For
Mrs. Lucy Washington Gay

Sunrise:
October 29,
1954

Sunset:
February 11,
2024

Saturday February 24, 2024
11:00 A. M.

River Hill Missionary Baptist Church
2884 James Road • Valdosta, Georgia 31601

Rev. Joe Troope Pastor
Officiating

~Order of Service~

Processional and Final Viewing

Selection
River Hill Choir

Prayer
Minister Appointee

Scriptures
Old Testament ~ Akinlawon Sanchell
New Testament ~ Pastor Dexter Burch

Selection
River Hill Choir

Memorial
Tribute to Mom-Lateasa Sanchell

Open Remarks
Limit Three People ~ Three minutes

Acknowledgments
Scott and Roberts Staff

Selection
River Hill Choir

Words of Comfort
Rev Joe Troope

Acknowledgments of Flowers

Recessional

~ Acknowledgements ~

The family of the late Mrs. Lucy Washington Gay would like to extend our sincere appreciation for the phone calls, visits and most of all your prayers during this difficult time. May God bless all of you.
The family

Pallbearers
Family and Friends

Flower Attendants
Friends of the Family

Interment
Pallbearer Cemetery
2660 Riverside Road
Valdosta, Georgia 30601

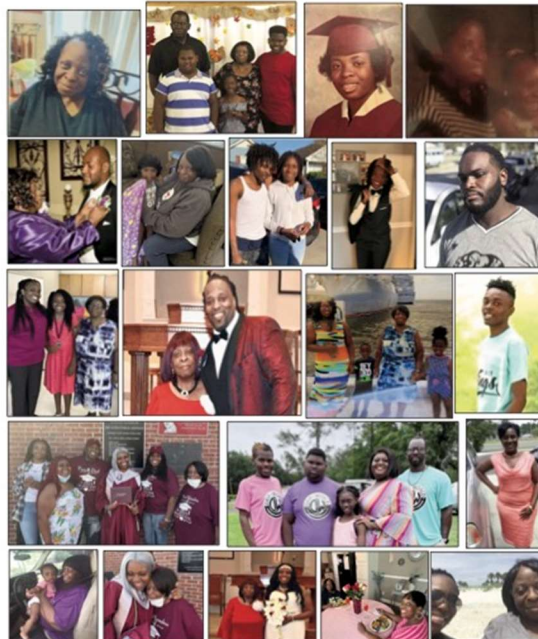
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River Hill Baptist Church Annex
2884 James Road
Valdosta, Georgia 31601



To The Family of the late Mrs. Lucy Washington Gay.
We deeply appreciate having the privilege to serve you with love, humbleness and dignity.
We will endeavor to continue these services to the people of the community and surrounding areas with personal concern of the funeral arrangements. We remain thankful for serving you.
Respectfully

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Memories



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"God's Garden"

God looked around his garden
and found an empty place
He then looked down upon the Earth
and saw your tired face
He put his arms around you
and lifted you to rest
With the help of his angels
they flew you to your heavenly place

God's garden must be beautiful,
he always takes the best
He knew you were suffering,
he knew you were in pain
He knew that you would never
get well on Earth again

He saw the road was getting rough
and the hills too hard to climb
He closed your weary eyelids
and whispered "Peace be Thine"
It broke our hearts to lose you
but you didn't go alone
For part of us went with you the day
God called you home.

