

## *A Life Well Lived!*

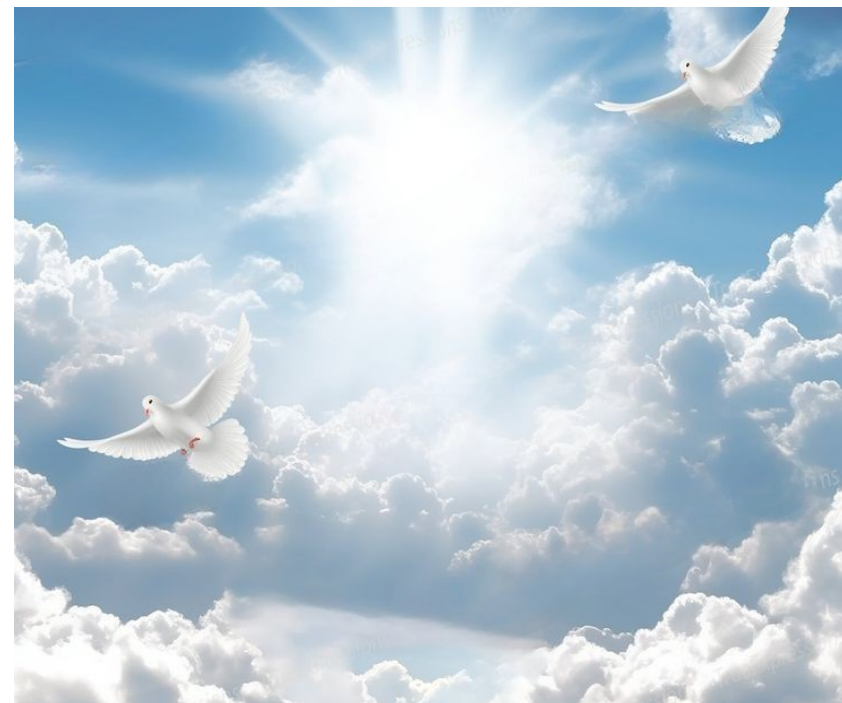
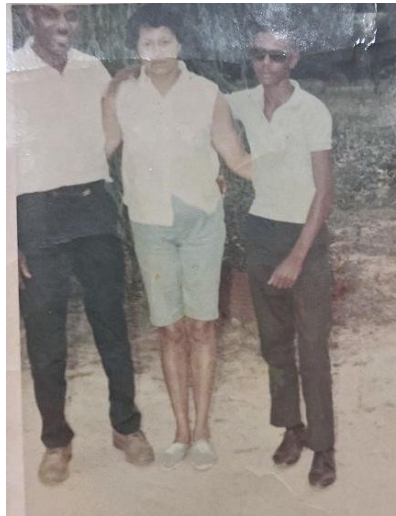
Mrs. Amanda Hopper, 90, passed away on Sunday, May 11, 2025, at Peak Resources of Shelby. She was the third oldest child of the late Luther Long and Minnie Lattimore Long. She was born on April 3, 1935, in Cleveland County, NC.

Amanda grew up in Boiling Springs and attended Green Bethel School. She was employed by Sadie Mills in Kings Mountain, NC and Doran Mills, from where she retired from. She joined Green Bethel Baptist Church at an early age. She served as a Foster Grandparent at Elizabeth Elementary School through United Way. She also fostered her niece.

Amanda loved cooking and was known for it, inviting her whole neighborhood to come and feast with her. She was also known as the 'Candy Lady'. She was always joyful, laughing, and loving. She cared for everyone and was known as 'Aunt Mandy'. She was very generous; no matter what it was, she was always giving or sharing. Her presence will be greatly missed. *She was "light" to the community.*

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, Charles Hopper; Charlie Lattimore, Easter Huskey, and Martha Stover.

She leaves her precious memories to her son, Charles Hopper of Shelby, NC; sister, Dorothy Wilson of Boiling Springs, NC; five grandchildren, Annette Hopper, Erica Hopper and Roman Hopper (Esheka) all of Albany, GA, Eric Hopper of Atlanta, GA, and Sherponica Tate of Durham, NC; four great grandchildren, Keezi'a Hopper, Gabriel Hopper, Moriah Hopper, and Nahji Brown; three great-great grandchildren, Aaliyah Bush, Jakaarra Brown, and Corey Jolley, Jr.; special niece, Deborah Davis of Shelby, NC, whom she thought of as a daughter; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.





# Order of Service



- Prelude
- Processional
- Officiating Minister.....Rev. Wade Wallace
- Receiving of Friends.....4:00 p. m. – 4:30 p.m.
- Congregational Hymn.....Congregation
- Scripture Reading
- Old Testament.....Rev.
- New Testament.....Rev.
- Prayer of Comfort.....Ms. Sherponica Tate
- Selection .....Mr. Jerry Degree
- Remarks (two minutes).....Mr. Jerry Degree  
Ms. Debra Davis
- Acknowledgements
- Reading of Obituary.....Silently
- Selection .....Congregation
- Words of Comfort.....Mr. Roman Hopper
- Recessional Selection .....Congregation

Interment  
Green Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery  
Shelby, North Carolina



## Flower Bearers

Nieces

## Pall Bearers

Nephews

### A Letter from Heaven

*When tomorrow starts without me, and I'm not here to see,  
If the sun should rise and find your eyes filled with tears for me  
I wish so much you wouldn't cry, the way you did today.  
While thinking of the many things we didn't get to say.  
I know how much you love me, as much as I love you  
And each time you think of me, I know you'll miss me too.  
But, when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far  
apart. For every time you think of me, I'm right there in your  
heart.*

## Acknowledgement

The family of Mrs. Amanda Patricia Long Hopper wishes to express our sincere thanks and gratitude for the many comforting acts of kindness and sympathy shown during the passing of our loved one.



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# HOME GOING CELEBRATION Mrs. Amanda Patricia Long Hopper



*Sunrise*  
April 13, 1935

*Sunset*  
May 11, 2025

Saturday, May 17, 2025  
4:00 p.m.

Green Bethel Baptist Church  
Shelby, North Carolina

Rev. Wade Wallace, Pastor

