

Floral Bearers

Chanita Wilson Mary Kidwell
Beth Williams Shaquana Brodie
Amber Hill Cynthia Hill
Miyisha Bouie

Pall Bearers

Edward Hill Scottie Moore
Marcus Hill James Derr
Rev. Charles Young Charlie Derr



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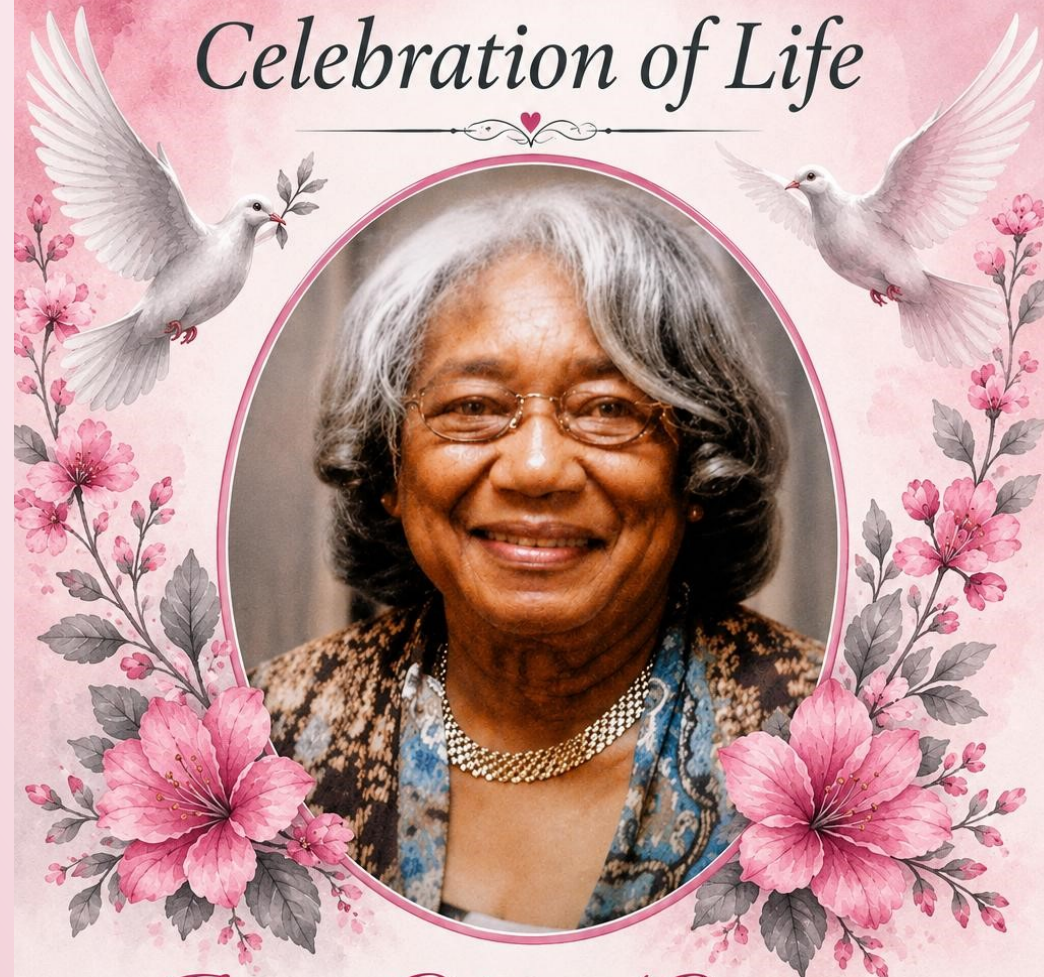
The family of Ms. Jessie Mae Derr Caldwell acknowledges with sincere appreciation, your understanding, your prayers, and all acts of kindness shown at this time of bereavement.

Very special thanks to Miyisha Bouie and Shaquana Brodie for taking really good care of my mother and showing your love and compassion.

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Celebration of Life



Jessie Mae Caldwell

Friday, May 22, 2026
1:00 pm

St. Paul Church at the Lake
Mooresville, North Carolina

Dr. Calvin L. Miller, Eulogist

Moments of Sharing

Processional

Clergy and Family

Receiving of Family and Friends

12:00 P.M. – 1:00 P.M.

Order of Service

Rev. Charles Young, Officiating Pastor

Call to Worship

Selection

Rev. Charles Young

“What a Friend We Have In Jesus”

Old Testament Scripture

Dr. Karen Roberts Miller

New Testament Scripture

Rev. Charles Young

Prayer of Comfort

Rev. Sharon Adams

Selection

Rev. Charles Young

Remarks

Dr. Ronnie Beamon

Bob Amon

Edward Hill

Marcus Hill

Reading of Obituary

Vanessa Victor

Selection

Rev. Charles Young

Eulogy

Dr. Calvin L. Miller

Recessional

“Let the Church Say Amen”

Committal/Interment

St. Paul Church at the Lake Cemetery

Mooresville, North Carolina

Reflections of Life

Ms. Jessie Mae Derr Caldwell was born July 22, 1938 in Lincoln County, North Carolina to the late Edward Derr and Nadean Mundy Derr. Jessie entered into eternal peace on Saturday, May 16, 2026 at Glenwood Rehab & Nursing.

She was born and raised in Lincoln County and attended Newbold High School in Lincolnton, NC. She later moved to Charlotte, North Carolina, where she attended West Charlotte High School. Jessie worked for many years as a factory worker at Leslie Faye. In 1972, she earned her certification as a nursing assistant she was employed at Lowrance Hospital in Mooresville and Huntersville Oaks. She also worked as a private duty aide. In 1980, she began working at Davidson College Presbyterian Church as a custodian. After 20 years of dedicated service, she retired, but still continued working as a caregiver until her health declined.

Jessie was a giving person who loved helping those in need. She enjoyed joking to bring a smile to people's faces. She loved baking cakes and making chow-chow. Jessie would stand at the stove all day, put chow-chow in jars, and give it all away. She loved the Lord and always read her Bible. Jessie ministered to people who called for prayer and encouragement. When she became homebound, she tried her best to get on her knees to pray before bed. She was a beloved mother and grandmother. She will be truly missed.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Wilbur G. Caldwell; her son George T. Adams, four sisters; and five brothers.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories: her son, Darryl Caldwell (Kimberly) of Valrico, Florida, two daughters, Thomasa Adams of the home and Phyllis Curry of Lincolnton, NC.; two grandsons she raised in the home, Travis Adams of Aldi Virginia, and Marty Adams of Cary, NC; four additional grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; one sister, Margie Caldwell of Virginia Beach, Virginia; sister-in-law, Fannie Hill of Cincinnati, Ohio; and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.