FLORAL BEARERS

Sophia Sullivan Sonya Thompson

Lakeida Hunter Ciera Hunter

Kami Byrd Linda Browning

HONORARY FLORAL BEARERS

Woodruff High School of the Class of 1994

CASKET BEARERS

Al Humbert Reggie Thompson

Carlos Elmore Mont Beaty

Christopher Williams Thomas Simpson

Najarus Hunter

HONORARY CASKET BEARERS

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EXPRESSIONS OF GRATITUDE

The family would like to thank and acknowledge everyone for all heartfelt and comforting messages, visits, prayers, phone calls, positive energy, and love that we have received during our time of bereavement. It is greatly appreciated. Your kindness will always remain in our hearts.

~The Family ~

Arrangements Entrusted to:

The W. J. Gist Mortuary

519 Workman Avenue – Woodruff, South Carolina Telephone 476-3411

Alexander, Casey & Gist Funeral Service

1223 Old Anderson Mill Road - Spartanburg, South Carolina Telephone 574-5464

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In Loving Memory Ms. Omeka Lashaun Mays



Sunrise September 24, 1976

Sunset October 10, 2019

Thursday, October 17, 2019 Two O'Clock in the Afternoon

> First Baptist Church Woodruff, SC

Rev. JJ Sarratt, Presiding Minister



Afterglow

By: Helen Lowrie Marshall

I'd like the memory of me
to be a happy one.
I'd like to leave an afterglow
of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo
whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times
and bright and sunny days.
I'd like the tears of those who grieve,
to dry before the sun;
Of happy memories that I leave
when life on earth is done.













































You Can Only Have One Mother

You can only have one mother Patient kind and true; No other friend in all the world, Will be the same to you. When other friends forsake you, To mother you will return, For all her loving kindness, She asks nothing in return. As we look upon her picture, Sweet memories we recall, Of a face so full of sunshine, And a smile for one and all. Sweet Jesus, take this message, To our dear mother up above; Tell her how we miss her, And give her all our love.



LIFE PROFILE

Omeka Lashaun Mays, 43, of 237 Fairview St., Woodruff, SC departed October 10, 2019 at Spartanburg Medical Center in Spartanburg, SC.

A native of Spartanburg County, she was the daughter of Elder Helen Ann Mays Irby and the late Calvin Irby. She was a graduate Woodruff High School, Class of 1994. She was employed at Adidas America for over 10 years.

She was a faithful member of the New Prospect Baptist Church in Enoree S.C. She was a past choir member. She was the Youth Choir Director. She was a former Magarette Bell Dancer. Omeka attended USC Upstate. She was loved by everyone. She had a gentle, loving, sweet spirit.

Leaving to cherish her fond memories; one son, Austin Miguel Mays of Boiling Spring, SC; two daughters, Aquila Temiya Mays of Woodruff, SC and A'Sydney Linetria Robinson; one grandson, Zayden Nahtyriean Wedman; two sisters, Ursula (Carl) Wright of Roebuck, SC and April (Tory) Watkins of the home; two aunts, Debra (R.D) Byrd and Betty Beaty of Woodruff, SC; two, Great Aunt, Maggie Hunter, Mary Bland; four great Uncles, Odell Hunter, Nathaniel Hunter, JW Mays, Roosevelt Kelly; one niece, Chasity Watkins and three nephews, Deven, Deitrich and Davison Wright; and host of other relatives and friends.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Rev. JJ Sarratt, Presiding New Prospect Baptist Church

Processional	Family & Friends
Selection	Family & Friends
Scriptures:	
Old Testament	Pastor Derrick Scurry
New Testament	Rev. Reggie Casey
Prayer	Pastor Timothy Hunter
Selection	Family & Friends
Acknowledgements	Sandy Norman
Remarks	Kim Borges
	April Watkins
Poem	A'Sydney L. Robinson
	Aquila T. Mays
Selection	Family & Friends
Words of Comfort	Bishop Terry M ^c Caskil
Closing Prayers	Rev. C.C. Evans
Recessional	Family & Friends

COMMITTAL, BENEDICTION & INTERMENT

New Prospect Baptist Church Cemetery Enoree, SC





