



Mrs. Annie Mae Addison

February 19, 1926 - June 1, 2021

Mrs. Annie Mae Addison, 95, departed this life on 1 June 2021 in the comfort of her own home with her children at 510 Society Avenue, Hartsville, SC. She was born on 19 February 1926 in Hartsville, South Carolina to Emma McCall Coker and Colonel Dowdy.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at the Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Kay Branchk Baptist Church.

Annie, affectionately known as Ma, had only a fourth-grade education, but self-respect, commonsense, a no-nonsense attitude, and her willingness to fight and win caused many doors to open for her and her family. At 10 years of age, she began working alongside her mother in housekeeping and as a nanny. When she turned 19 years old, she started working at Coker College when it was an all-girls school. In 1991, Annie retired after 47 years of hard work and dedication. Over the course of those 47 years, she also continued housekeeping and caring for the children of others at Westley United Methodist Church. Although her plate was full, she and her husband managed to raise their six children. In 1991, after her retirement, she worked an additional 15 years for Psychology Professor Berry Litsey as his housekeeper until his demise in 2006. Aside from hard work, she played hopscotch and jumped rope with her grandkids and taught them how to pray. She shared the

knowledge and wisdom of her life experiences with her children and grandchildren. Her personal joys were dancing, going shopping, cooking Sunday dinners, and Holiday dinners. Her handmade biscuits will forever be missed.

Annie was a member of Kay Missionary Baptist Church. She enjoyed hearing the word of God and listening to gospel music. She attended church every Sunday until her health impeded her attempts to go. Although she could no longer attend services, she made time for God in her own home and kept his word in her heart.

Annie was preceded in death by her son, Eugene Addison; daughter, Dorothy Addison; husband, Robert Addison; stepdaughter, Sara Wingate; stepson, Willie Addison; brothers, Willie Dowdy, Clinton Blanton, W.J. Blanton; grandsons, Shelton Addison and Andre Addison; and great-great-grandsons, Demetrius Sowell and Ja'noah McDaniel.

Surviving to cherish her beloved memories are daughters, Leatha Wilds of Hartsville, SC; Emma (Joseph) Scott of Darlington, SC; Robin Williams of Hartsville, SC; Annie Mae Wilkins of Florence, SC; son, Johnny Addison of Hartsville, SC; brother, Billy Blanton of Washington District of Columbia; granddaughters, Carolyn Dukes, Miranda W. Douglas, Sheena Williams, Whitney Andrews, Denise S. McDaniel, Tinisha Wilkins; step-granddaughters, Sharon Addison, Michelle Pough, Veronica Jamison; grandsons, Anthony Wilds, Fredrick Dukes, Marcus Addison, Herbert Benjamin, and Levi Benjamin, Joseph Scott, Jr.; step-grandsons, Dr. Michael Addison, Dennis Addison and Bobby Wingate. Also, surviving are 68 great-grandchildren and 19 great-great grandkids. Lastly, but certainly not the least, a very special and dedicated son-in-law, Walter Wilds; and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

Cemetery Details

Kay Branch Baptist Church Cemetery

1801 N. 5th St.
Hartsville, SC 29550

Previous Events

Service

JUN 8. 2:00 PM (ET)

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel
306 W Home Ave
Hartsville, SC

Tribute Wall



“ *Brown - Pennington - Atkins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Annie Mae Addison*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - June 08, 2021 at 11:09 AM

TP

Aunt Annie you will be missed and the love you gave wont Be forgotten

thaddeus pendergrass - June 08, 2021 at 04:05 PM



“ *3 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - June 08, 2021 at 11:07 AM



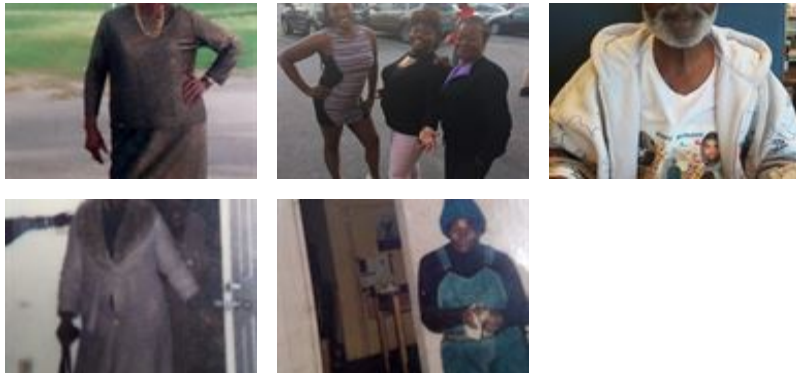
“ PRAISE GOD FOR THE LONGEVITY LIFE OF MRS ANNIE, RIP 🌹, YOU DEFINITELY WILL BE MISSED AROUND THE HILL...I REMEMBER AS I WAS ATTENDING CHURCH ALONG WITH MRS ANNIE SOMETIMES YOU SEE HER WALKING TO CHURCH.. REMEMBERING SOMETIMES GIVING HER A RIDE..SHE WAS ALWAYS A GENTLE SOUL.. REMEMBERING MRS ANNIE GIVING GOD PRAISES...SHE BEGINS TO THROW THE ARMS UP AND LET GOD HAVE HIS WAY. SHE BEGINS THANKING JESUS.. .IT WAS ON THEN 😊...SHE WAS ALWAYS A SWEET PERSON... HER CHILDREN AND ALL OF US GREW UP TOGETHER ON THE HILL,...MANY MANY YEARS AGO.. TO HER FAMILY PRAYING FOR YOU ALL THAT THE ANGELS OF God comfort your hearts at this time in Jesus Name.....



Marilyn, Linda George (Rabbit) Bishop - June 07, 2021 at 04:39 PM



“ 73 files added to the album Life Tributes



Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home - June 07, 2021 at 01:38 PM

JJ

“ *John Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annie Mae Addison*



john johnson - June 06, 2021 at 07:21 PM

LF

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May your memories console you in the days to come.*



Lucinda Fountain - June 05, 2021 at 10:06 PM

GB

“ *Gloria Bell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annie Mae Addison*



Gloria Bell - June 05, 2021 at 06:40 PM

WY

“ *My condolences to her family and friends.*

Wilma Gainey Yarborough - June 05, 2021 at 12:26 PM



“ *Annie and Family, I am so saddened to learn of Ms. Annie's passing. I always look forward to seeing her smile and getting a hug. She was always in my prayers. I hope God's love and your wonderful memories will give you comfort and strength during this time.*

Sylvia Ward - June 05, 2021 at 08:25 AM

CM

“ *Condolences to the family!*



Carol Mitchell - June 04, 2021 at 10:59 PM

MD

“ *MIRANDA WILDS DOUGLAS lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annie Mae Addison*



MIRANDA WILDS DOUGLAS - June 04, 2021 at 10:11 PM

MD

Love You Grandma 🥹💜🙏

MIRANDA WILDS DOUGLAS - June 04, 2021 at 10:12 PM

GC

Richard and I fondly remember Mrs. Annie when she worked at Coker. She was a very sweet lady, and I am glad God blessed her with a long life.

Gail Culyer - June 05, 2021 at 05:27 PM