The Divine Order

Bishop Thomas D.A. Blue III, Officiant Pastor, St. James M.B. Church | Madison, Florida

Processional.....Eulogist, Clergy, Mortician, & Family Parting Glance & Seating of the Family ... J. P. Moore Staff Prayer of Consolation.....Reverend Delvin T. Boatman **Holy Scriptures:** Old TestamentPastor Reginald Daniels New Testament..... Elder Freddie J. Johnson, Sr. Solo Sister Tawanha Baynard Reflections & Tributes Two Minutes Each, Please

> **Poem For Mother** Sister Jermeca Davis Teel

Family Tribute Brother Harold Johnson III Open (One Max)

Acknowledgements &	Resolutions
Selection	
Words of Comfort	Pastor Albert L. Barfield
Mortician's Brief	Mr. Jamarien "J.P." Moore, LFD
Recessional	Clergy & Family

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith." - II Timothy 4:7

Earthly Bed of Humber

Hymn | Committal | Mortician's Brief | Final Presentations Bethlehem Church Cemetery | Madison, Florida

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Anthony Teel Cordele "Smitty" Anderson

Malcom Miller **Daniell Grimes**

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Marcus Jackson Roscoe Wilson **Matthew Combes Amarian Bunion**

Jacoby Robinson Kenyon Teel Orville Fisher Kerry Brooks

REPAST

St. James Missionary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall 497 SW Georgetown Road | Madison, Florida 32340

THE FAMILY'S MESSAGE OF GRATITUDE

Mere words are inadequate to let you know just how grateful we are for your many acts of kindness shared with us during the passing of our beloved Joni. While we mourn her passing, we find comfort in knowing that family and friends like you are so supportive. Your florals, food, visits, and prayers have all helped to sustain us. We ask that you continue to pray for us; for surely, we will be praying for you. May God bless and keep you in His care.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude for the trust you have placed upon us during the Homegoing Services of your loved one. Our fondest hope is that all measures of assistance rendered your family have been completed in detail. For all your confidence placed in our staff and me, we will be forever grateful.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES **ENTRUSTED TO**



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Forever in Our Hearts
CELEBRATING THE HOMECOMING OF



ANDERSON

THE LORD GIVETH June 30, 1965

THE LORD TAKETH AWAY

August 9, 2024

Saturday, August 17, 2024 | 1:30 Post Meridiem

Pineland Missionary Baptist Church 205 SE Old County Camp Road | Madison, Florida 32340

Pastor O'Hara C. Black, Gracious Host Reverend Albert L. Barfield, Eulogist Pastor, First Antioch Missionary Baptist Church Valdosta, Georgia

J.P. Moore Undertaking Company, Directing

TONI LANETTE ANDERSON JOHNSON JUNE 30, 1965 - AUGUST 9, 2024

"Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness which the Lord, the righteous judge shall give me at that day..." ~ II Timothy 4:8

Joni Lanette Anderson Johnson was a bright-eyed bundle of joy who delighted her parents, Jimmy Thompkins and Diane Anderson, when she came into the world on June 30, 1965. Her bright-eyed smile lit up any room, and it was not long before she became "the apple of their eye". However, later in life, she was also blessed to have received love and parental guidance from her other dad, Reverend Matthew Combes. She was a resident of Madison, Florida.

Preceding Toni in death were her brothers, Michael Bevel and Octavious Thompkins, Sr.

"This joy that she had, the world didn't give to her and the world couldn't take it away." Her dazzling smile attracted people to her. For that reason, she never encountered strangers. She regarded them as individuals she would eventually meet.

Just as she had room to share her light with friends, she shared a special place in her heart for the blending of siblings and relationships within the family. She also saved a special place in her heart for her husband of six years, Harold Johnson, III.

Her joy reflected the light and love of Jesus. She received in faith what He offered in grace. She began her work for Him as a servant leader who worshipped Him in spirit and truth. Her love for singing gave her the opportunity to make a joyful noise in the choir and to later assume the leadership role as choir president at New Bethel Primitive Baptist Church.

furthered her education by receiving her Associate of Science degree at Keiser University and the Ultimate Medical Academy for medical billing and coding, and substitute teacher. Each experience was another opportunity to give her God given talent in a more excellent way.

Determined to seek employment opportunities, I had a variety of memorable work experiences, including Reeves Romper Room Daycare teacher/mom and Royal America (Greenville Pointe and Southern Villas) Property Manager. She was also employed at her dad's company, M.C. Logging, as a secretary.

She was an intelligent young lady who gave her best effort to whatever she attempted on and off the job. She enjoyed cooking and baking, and her specialties were always sought after. In addition to her being regarded as the "casserole queen". She likewise got raving reviews for

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her mouthwatering pound cakes.

When *Joni* settled down after a busy day, she was a bookworm who would lose herself in the pages of a delightful book. On the other hand, whenever she wanted a good laugh or to offer sensible advice to the actors, she watched Tyler Perry television series and movies – "Sistas", "House of Payne", "The Oval", "Diary of a Mad Black Woman", and "Madea Goes to Jail" – are just a few.

The joy of the Lord was her strength, and joy was her key to her victory. Because her soul was anchored in the Lord, she, in the twinkling of an eye, joyfully answered the Master's call. She was welcomed into the Kingdom to receive her heavenly reward on Friday, August 9, 2024. Her soul is now resting in the presence of the Almighty in Paradise.

Because Coni uniquely impacted each loved one's life in her distinct way, they will continue to hold close to their hearts the everlasting memories that unite them as family. Sharing her forever love are her husband, Harold Johnson III; parents, Jimmy Thompkins of Miami, FL, Diane Anderson Combes, and Reverend Matthew Combes, both of Madison, FL; daughters, Jermeca (Anthony) Davis Teel of Tampa, FL, Shontaye Clemons of Madison, FL, Tere'sa (Ferry) Philip of Fall River, MA, Sherrice Thompson and Alicia Thompson, both of Boston, MA, and Lashadra Woody of Tampa, FL; son, Jarmaine Johnson of Cincinnati, OH; brother, Matthew (Laquisha) Combes of Miami, FL; sisters, Bridget Gamble of Jacksonville, FL, Sophia Thompkins, Gloria Thompkins, Veronica (Isadore) Thompkins-Johnson, and Suzette Thompkins, all of Miami, FL, Devona (Lavetta) Martin Thompkins-Frazier and Laquatta Thompkins, both of Atlanta, GA; grandchildren, Tiyana Teel, Tristen Teel, Serenity Clemons, Carmen McQuay, and a host of bonus grandchildren and great-grandchildren; god-daughters, Tanesha Simmons and Ca'Shiya Gallon; god-sister, Latonya McIntosh; special friend, Betty Jean Brown Davis; special aunt, Linda Jackson; along with many other sorrowing relatives, loving friends, and consoling neighbors.

A Mother's Love

Your beautiful round eyes and your contagious smile always lit up the room whenever you were around.

Your joyful laughter and warm felt love, always kept me going whenever I felt like giving up.

You loved your family and loved your friends You've always had our backs until the very end.

Mother, you taught me so many life lessons from praying and cooking and saying the blessing.

You loved the Lord with all of your heart, The love that you showed to others will never depart.

I'm going to miss our heartfelt conversations, Lord knows I will, But I will always cherish and remember all of the love that you had to give.

No more pain, no more suffering. Take your rest, good and faithful servant.

Love, Jermeca