



### Only Us — A Granddaughter's Goodbye

It was always just you and me,  
In our little world of two,  
From the cradle to your gentle touch,  
Every heartbeat led me to you.  
You held my hand before I could walk,  
And wiped away each tear,  
You taught me life with steady love,  
And calmed my every fear.  
Your laughter filled these quiet rooms,  
Your humming warmed the air,  
Each corner holds your tender touch,  
A whisper still lingers there.  
Now this house feels soft and still,  
Yet somehow full of you,  
The chair you rocked, the prayers you prayed,  
The love that saw me through.  
Eighty-five years of kindness and care,  
And all my life you gave,  
Not just a grandmother, but my mother,  
My heart, my home, my brave.  
I was your baby, your joy, your pride,  
And you, my guiding light,  
The one who never left my side,  
In every dark or bright.  
So how do I go on alone,  
In this quiet, tender space?  
I search for you in morning sun,  
And feel you in its grace.  
I'll carry you within my soul,  
Your voice, your touch, your care,  
And every step I take from now,  
I'll know you're walking there

Love You Forever,  
Tiara

### Pall Bearers

Starvos Middleton  
Jamarial Brown  
Willie Amous  
Joey Brown  
Jordan Middleton  
Amare Middleton



### Interment

Bethlehem Baptist Memorial Cemetery  
Greentown Rd.  
St. Stephen, SC 29479



### Acknowledgements

The Sorrell Family expresses their heartfelt appreciation for your sympathy in our time of grief. Thank you for your love and support. Your thoughts and prayers after Daisy's passing were felt by us all. Thank you for your sympathy during this time.

The Family of Daisy Sorrell

### Repast

Alvin Recreation Center  
2191 Santee River Rd  
St. Stephen, SC 29479



*Daisy L.  
SORRELL*

June 7, 1939 - March 28, 2025

**TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 2025**

Bethlehem Baptist Church

2449 Santee River Rd. | St. Stephen, SC, 29479

# Remembering DAISY

JUNE 7, 1939 - MARCH 28, 2025

Daisy "Willie Mae" Lee Sorrell, the beloved daughter of the late Dan and Janie Brown, was born on June 7, 1939, in the Alvin community of South Carolina. She peacefully departed this life on Friday, March 28, 2025, at her residence in Baltimore, Maryland. Daisy attended Laurel Hill Public School in Alvin, South Carolina, and was a member of Bethlehem Baptist Church. She spent her early years raising two children in Alvin, later relocating to Baltimore, Maryland, where she married Melvin Sorrell Jr and reared four children. While in Baltimore, she worked as a seamstress, and after relocating back to South Carolina, she worked as a home healthcare aide. Daisy dedicated herself to raising her children and was also a loving grandmother who cherished the opportunity to raise one of her grandchildren as her own.

Affectionately known as "Willie Mae" by her friends and loved ones, she was known for her many talents and her warm, caring spirit. She loved to bake, sew, watching the "stories" and had a remarkable green thumb. Her home was often filled with laughter, joy, and the shared company of family and friends. Daisy's heart was always open, and she found great joy in being surrounded by others and making lasting memories.

Daisy was preceded in death by her parents, Dan and Janie Brown; siblings, Emma Huey and Jesse Lee Brown; children, Loverta Middleton, Melvin "Fella" Sorrell, Sharon Sorrell, and Harvey Sorrell. She is survived by her children, Larry (Brenda) Brown, Antonio Sorrell, and Tiara Harris; her siblings, Dan (Clara) Brown Jr and Lawrence (Lougenia) Brown; grandchildren, Chasity Brown Springs, Larialmy (JaQuin) Brown Allen, Jamarial (Courtney) Brown, Nakayla Brown, Starvos (Alicia) Middleton, Alex (Shentta) Middleton, Alexis (Willie) Middleton-Amous, Myra Sorrell, Symmone Sorrell, and JeVaughn Sorrell; 14 great-grandchildren, 2 great great-grandchildren and a host of other beloved family members and friends.

Daisy leaves behind a beautiful legacy of love, kindness, and cherished memories. Though she is no longer with us, her heartfelt spirit will forever live in the hearts of those who knew and loved her.

# Order of Service

Revered O'tis C. Prioleau, Officiating

## PROCESSIONAL

## OPENING HYMN

## SCRIPTURE READING

Old Testament / Psalm 23:4

## SCRIPTURE READING

New Testament / John 14:1-3

## PRAYER

Rev. Alphonso Richardson

## MUSICAL SELECTION

Lucy Kelly

## REFLECTIONS

Any Family & Friends - 3

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## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

## MUSICAL SELECTION

Ivary Grate

## WORDS OF COMFORT

Rev. Otis Prioleau

## COMMITAL

## BENEDICTION

## VIEWING OF REMAINS

## RECESSIONAL



## *The Broken Chain*

*We little knew that morning that God was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly, In death we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you, You did not go alone; For part of us went with you, The day God called you home. You left us peaceful memories, Your love is still our guide; And though we cannot see you, You are always at our side. Our family chain is broken And nothing seems the same, But as God calls us one by one, The chain will link again.*

*Love,  
Your Family*