

HOME-GOING SERVICES

FOR

Nellie (Neely) Ladson Brown



SUNRISE: FEBRUARY 19, 1926

SUNSET: APRIL 9, 2014



12:00 NOON

ST. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

1314 SECESSIONVILLE ROAD

CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA 29412

REV. DR. CHARLES C. HEYWARD, SR. AND REV. CAROLYN K. HEYWARD

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2014

INTERMENT:

ST. JAMES MEMORIAL GARDEN

CHARLESTON, SC 29412

Obituary

Neely Brown was the seventh child born to the late Willie and Matilda Ladson on February 26, 1926 on James Island, South Carolina. God called her home on Wednesday, April 9, 2014. She was preceded in death by both parents at age two and her six siblings; William, James, George, Elizabeth, Sarah, Mary and Julie.

She attended school at Society Corner School. She was multi-talented and gifted in singing soprano, self taught piano playing, sewing, embroidery, gardening, writing and directing skits/plays and loving and giving to everyone.

At an early age she "seeked" in the wilderness and later became a member of St. James Presbyterian Church, under the pastoral leadership of Rev. Marion A. Sanders. She served as a choir member, Sunday School teacher, drama teacher and performer while continuing her services at the "Meeting Class House" on Cutbridge.

She later became the wife of the late Abraham Brown, Sr. for forty-two years. Her occupation was that of a domestic worker and rearing children.

She leaves to cherish in memory six children. (Willie and William, twins, preceded her in death); Junior Ladson (former wife, Roslyn Bishop Ladson) and children, Shenda, Angela, Bernard, Daryl, Brian, Francis and Curtis; Abraham Brown, Jr. (Martha) and children, Kimberly and Abraham, III; Nellie Chaplin (Nathan) and children James, Jessica and Nathan, III; Virginia Smith (Paul) and child, Lisa; Ruth Seabrook (James) and children, Jermaine and Ciara; and Evelyn Bailey (William) and children, Ronald, Anthony and Donzell. She leaves a host of grand, great, and great grandchildren.



Order of Service



A Service of Witness to the Resurrection

For

Nelly (Nellie) Brown



Prelude	-----	Minister Jerome L. Myree, Musician
Processional	-----	The Family
Call to Worship	-----	Rev. Dr. Charles C. Heyward, Sr.
Hymn of Praise	-----	"Solid Rock" ----- Mass Choir and Congregation
Prayer of Adoration and Comfort		
Choral Response		
Solo	-----	Deacon Gerald Fludd
Acknowledgements from the family	-----	Deacon Junior Ladson
Shepherd Leader's Statement	-----	Elder Corine Byrd
Remarks	-----	Jermaine S. Brown
Resolution	-----	Elder Shondell Middleton Clerk of Session
Tribute by the Family	-----	Donzell Bailey
Scripture Lessons	-----	Rev. Carolyn K. Heyward
	Old Testament	II Kings 20:1-7
	New Testament	John 14:1-7
Choir Selection	-----	Mass Choir
Sermon	-----	Rev. Dr. Charles C. Heyward, Sr.
	Sermonic Text:	Luke 18:1-8
	Sermon Title:	"Faith When He Comes"
Closing Hymn	-----	"When We All Get To Heaven" ----- Mass Choir
Committal Service	-----	St. James Memorial Garden
Charge and Blessing	-----	Rev. Dr. Charles C. Heyward, Sr.

*** Repass in Fellowship Hall after the burial ***



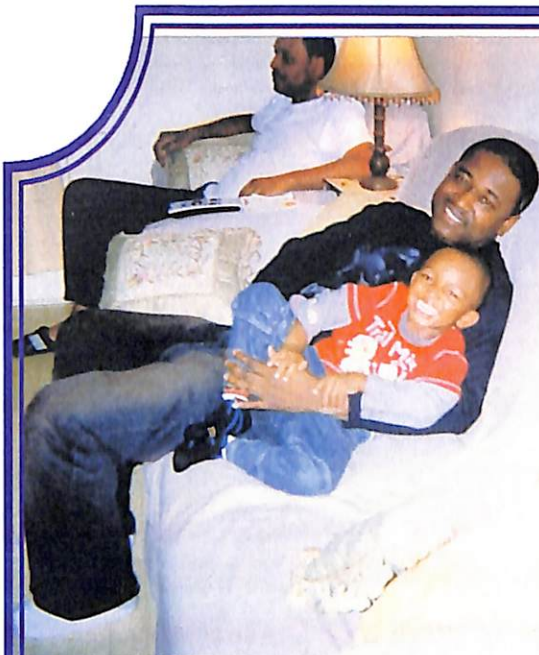
To Grandmother

Whenever I think back on my childhood you always come to mind. I remember the sleepovers when we watched The Simpsons and Murder She Wrote. I'm truly going to miss your sassiness, stories and loving voice. You've been a fighter all your life. Memories of you will always be associated with lots of laughs and unconditional love. Your burdens are over and I know you're shouting in your white robe.

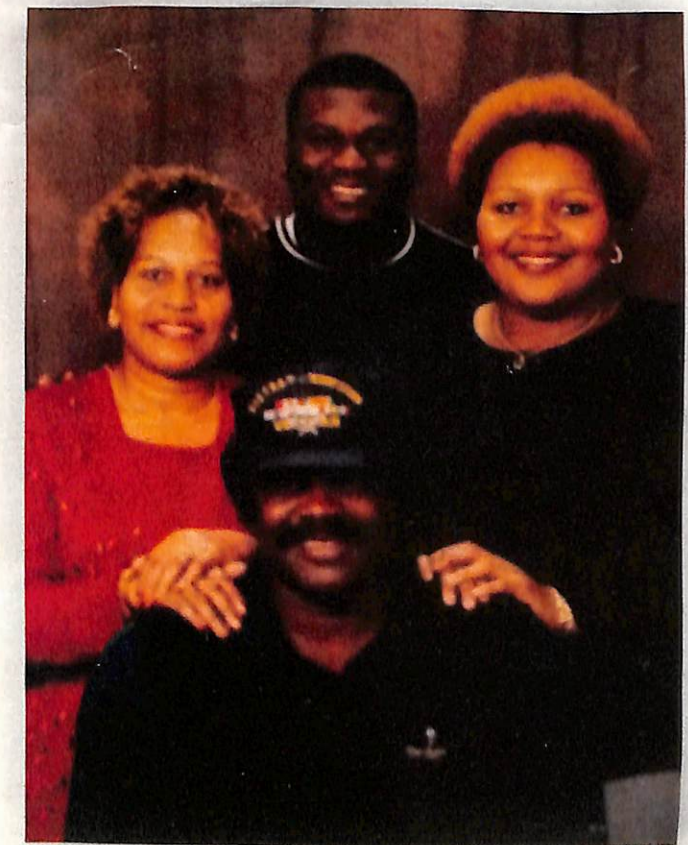
Love Ciara

My journey is complete
I've done all that I've come here to do.
I've laughed and cried through this past year
But never once had to have no fear.
I've stayed obedient to the Lord
And with faith I'm leaving and I'm going home.
So take this time to remember me
Because in my heart, I carry you all.

Love Lisa



WE HAVE MANY
WONDERFUL
MEMORIES





PALLBEARERS

ANTONIO BROWN
RONALD BROWN
RICKY BROWN

MACIO JACOBS
JESSE THOMPSON
AL WESTON

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

SHAUN BROWN
JAMES BROWN

GERNARD LADSON
EDWARD GREEN

FLORAL BEARERS

USHERS



ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

THE FAMILY OF THE LATE NEELY BROWN WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS OUR SINCERE LOVE AND APPRECIATION TO ALL WHO HAVE SHARED IN LOVING AND COMFORTING US. YOUR LOVE FOR AND OF GOD IS WITNESSED THROUGH YOUR ACTS OF KINDNESS. TRULY WE ARE LOVED.

THE FAMILY

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