



Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown

December 27, 1946 - July 7, 2019

I am now ready to be offered
And the time of my departure is at hand,
I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course
And I have kept the faith. 2 Timothy 4:6-8

Annie Ray Tyson Gainer-Brown was born on December 27th, 1946 to the late Charlie and the late Lulu Tyson in Greene County, NC. After a long and courageous battle with cancer, Annie transitioned from labor to reward on July 7th, 2019 at Vidant Medical Center in Greenville, NC. She was surrounded by her family and friends.

Annie was reared in a Christian home and attended Lewis Chapel Free Will Baptist Church in Farmville NC. She later became a member of Faith Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church, in Stamford, CT where she was a Deaconess. After she moved to Williamston, NC, she then joined Cedar Hill Baptist Church and she joyfully sang in the choir and served as a Deaconess. Annie was a faithful member and an active participant in the advancement of God's kingdom. She enjoyed studying God's word by attending Sunday School and Bible Study.

Annie received her education from H.B. Suggs High School in Farmville, NC. She relocated to Stamford, CT where she met the love of her life, the late

Nathaniel Gainer. After her children were grown, they decided to relocate to Williamston NC, during their later years. Upon the passing of her husband Nathaniel (Pop Pop), she then was blessed to marry William Edward Brown, who was by her side until the time of her passing.

Annie was always involved with children. She was self-employed for many years successfully running her own at home day care. She also worked for the Stamford Public School system. In addition, she was a nanny to several families and the most recent was in the daycare center at First United Methodist Church in Williamston, NC. Annie had a natural love for children and the love was reciprocated by the children even into their adulthood.

In addition to her parents, Annie Ray Tyson Gainer-Brown was preceded in death by her sister, Dorothy Wills.

To rejoice in her memory and mourn her passing, she leaves her loving husband, William Edward Brown of the home; three children, Kenneth (Kim) Strickland of Clayton, NC, Darren (Tammy) Strickland of Janesville, WI and Lakeisha (Michael) Tyson-Williams of Durham, NC; eleven grandchildren; five great grandchildren; one sister, Linda (Gaston) Wills; brother-in-law, Nathan Wills and a host of immediate family to include sisters and brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

The Family

Cemetery Details

Rodgers Family Cemetery

1054 William Henry Lane
Williamston, NC 27892

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Cedar Hill Missionary Baptist Church
2131 Rodgers School Rd
Williamston, NC 27892

Celebration of Life Service

JUL 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *Congleton Funeral Home And Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown*



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - August 11, 2019 at 12:52 PM



“ *Sending eternal love and my deepest condolences to the entire family. Your pain is no longer! Rest well, Sweet Angel. Love Always, Renee, Zenobia, and Daniel*

Renee Robinson - July 17, 2019 at 02:49 AM



“ *GERTIE LEWIS lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown*



GERTIE LEWIS - July 12, 2019 at 07:57 PM

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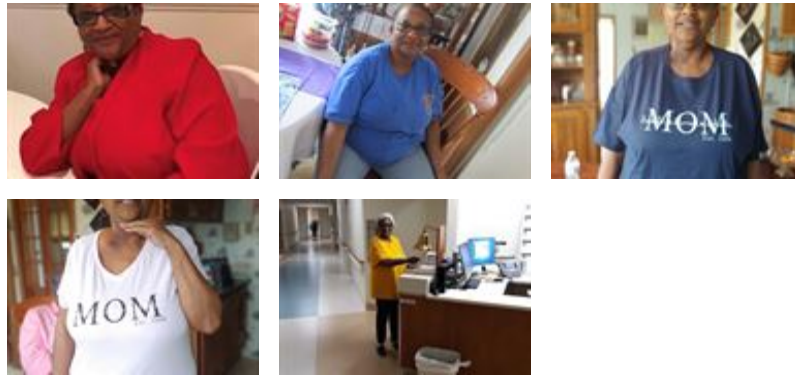
“ Sharmin Evans lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown



Sharmin Evans - July 12, 2019 at 11:51 AM



“ 109 files added to the album LifeTributes



Congleton Memorial Mortuary - July 12, 2019 at 10:39 AM

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Annie you are In the Arms of Jesus right now. you are sweet woman took care of your kids, love people. I will always remember you and always have you in my heart. you was there for me you and your sisters when no one else was to God be the glory. father God got you now... West Washington crew much love Cessie

Cessie - July 13, 2019 at 12:34 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown.*



July 12, 2019 at 10:25 AM



“ *Patricia Battle And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown*



Patricia Battle and Family - July 11, 2019 at 10:19 PM



“ *Rev. Glen & Wanda Vines lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annie Gainer Brown*



Rev. Glen & Wanda Vines - July 10, 2019 at 12:52 PM