



Annie R. Weems

June 24, 1953 - May 14, 2020

Annie Ruth Weems was called home peacefully on May 14, 2020, at Sinai Hospital in Baltimore, MD.

Annie was born on June 24, 1953 in Baltimore, Maryland to Martha Lewis and Willie Lewis. She graduated from Edmondson High School in 1970. She also attended Family Bible School of Divinity where she received her certificate of divinity. She received her certificate of ordination in 2003. Annie worked for the City of Baltimore and Baltimore Culinary Institute. She married her best friend Julius S. Weems on July 31, 1979. They were the beautiful example of love & loyalty. That was the beginning of 41 years of marriage.

Annie and Julius were a foster care family for the city of Baltimore, with over 20 children coming through their home. Annie believed that God's love could conquer all and with her husband's support, she loved and cared for every child that came through her home.

Annie was passionate about her service to her church family. Prayer was a part of her daily life and gospel music was the beat of her home. She was an active member at Jericho Baptist Church until she became ill. She was known to plan community events, support church activities with her children, and give her all to help others in her church family.

Annie's hobbies and activities included spending time with her family, taking care of her mother who lived with her until she passed in 1996, shopping at the Avenue clothing store, and playing Pokeno & Spades.

Annie is survived by her husband, Julius S. Weems; daughters-Shannon I. Weems and Chanda M. Weems of Baltimore, Maryland; sons - Barrett R. Weems of Chicago, Illinois, and Julius K. Weems of Navarre, Florida; stepdaughters - Cheryl Gross and Wanda Dewitt of Baltimore, Maryland; daughter-in-law Genevieve Nixon-Weems of Navarre, Florida; sisters - Jacqueline Lee and Marie Cole of Baltimore, Maryland; brothers - Willie Lewis,

Melvin Lewis, and Jeffery Lewis of Baltimore, Maryland. Annie has 11 grandchildren, Deshae, Isaiah, Anwar, Christian, Stephen Jr., Jabari, Jayden, Karter, Julius-Raymond, Kaylei, and Kylie. She also had a host of great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. She is preceded in death by her mother Martha Lewis, father Willie Lewis, brother Jerome Lewis, and stepdaughter Janice Weems.

Her children will remember her as a loving and strong mother that would discipline you, hug you, and pray for you all at the same time. Her love of God was the heartbeat of who she was. She was also a loving wife to Julius S. Weems. It was normal to see her hugging, talking, and laughing with her best friend.

2 Timothy 4:7-8

7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

8 Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day—and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

I'M FREE

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free

I'm following the path God has laid you see.

I took His hand when I heard him call

I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day

To laugh, to love, to work, to play.

Tasks left undone must stay that way

I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void

Then fill it with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss

Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow

I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow

My life's been full, I savored much

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief

Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your hearts and peace to thee

God wanted me now; He set me free

Cemetery

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD,

Events

MAY **Visitation** 09:00AM - 09:45AM

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March Life Tribute Center - Randallstown
5616 Old Court Rd, Windsor Mill, MD, US, 21244

MAY **Service** 09:45AM

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Comments



“ I will miss my Aunt Annie, We had so many special times together. From my birth until she fell ill, I can not count the times she would make me laugh or have an encouraging word. She will always hold a special place in my heart.

Sean Lee

Sean Lee - May 22 at 09:52 PM



“ We couldn't wait to see you when we came to visit from Oklahoma we love you dearly and you will be missed.

Anthony Wade - May 22 at 12:39 PM



“ Your life was a blessing, Your memory a treasure
You are loved beyond words and missed beyond measure.

Bettye Parker - May 22 at 09:59 AM



“ As we draw near to saying goodbye! May the comfort of the love of God and the memories of our precious Annie help to soothe our souls and dry our eyes.

May God give us peace and she now has everlasting peace! In Jesus name I pray!



Geneviève Nixon-Weems - May 21 at 04:15 PM



“ From Derek & Shawn McEwen purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Annie R. Weems.



From Derek & Shawn McEwen - May 20 at 06:51 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Annie R. Weems.



May 20 at 11:12 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Annie R. Weems.



May 19 at 08:22 AM



“ I will never forget the first time I met mama. Her eyes were warm and inviting, and her smile was wide and welcoming. Our time together was amazing. Yet, what is most memorable was the way she looked at Mr. Weems her husband. The way she caressed his hand and looked into his eyes it was evident the love that brought them together, continue to be just as strong, and they were both just as committed to one another. Rest in peace mama. I love you ma, Dianne Lewis



Dianne Lewis - May 19 at 01:12 AM



“ Aunt Annie always talked straight to me. Prayed, hugged n loved me. Gave me good advice. She was giving n loving.

Holly Rowe - May 19 at 12:27 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Annie R. Weems.



May 19 at 12:23 AM



“ My heart felt condolences to her husband, and entire family .

James T Harris Jr - May 17 at 08:38 PM



“ 2 of my favorite pictures of you and your loving devoted husband Julius! He's been right by your side Ms. Annie! We all Love and miss you dearly!
(I'm proud to have taken these pictures)



Geneviève Nixon-Weems - May 17 at 12:30 PM



“ The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

2 He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

3 He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

5 Thou preparast a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.



Geneviève Nixon-Weems - May 17 at 12:25 PM



“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



Julius K Weems III - May 17 at 12:10 PM



“ Barrett graduation from undergraduate school!



Julius K Weems III - May 17 at 12:06 PM