



Anna Johnson

April 29, 1920 - April 10, 2007

Pastor Anna Johnson, daughter of the late Albert and Blanche Cohens, was born on April 29, 1920 in Winnsboro, South Carolina. She was the oldest of six children. She departed from this life to be with the Lord on April 10, 2007. Pastor Anna Johnson, was named Love by her mother and father and was fondly called Aunt Love or Love by many who knew her. Pastor Anna Johnson accepted Christ as a young girl and joined St. Mark Baptist Church in Winnsboro, South Carolina. Pastor Anna Johnson received her education in Winnsboro, South Carolina. She also attended the many educational and religious classes, seminars and workshops throughout her lifetime. She also loved to read. In 1936, she married Flemon Johnson at the age of sixteen. They were married fifty-three years upon his death in 1989. She and her husband were self-employed, they owned a grocery store and restaurant. She also worked as a technician at Kernan Hospital. Moved by God, Pastor Johnson raised and helped to rear many children, some who have preceded her in death. She taught all of them the love of God. As a young girl Pastor Anna Johnson began her ministry at the age of five years old as she preached under the Channeyberry tree in Winnsboro, South Carolina. Many old and young would come to listen to the word of God. She joined St. Mark Baptist Church in Winnsboro, South Carolina. After moving to Baltimore, she joined Gillis Memorial Christian Community Church. Later she joined Little Mt. Hebron Baptist Church on South Schroeder Street with her husband. When the church moved to George Street, Reverend Anna Johnson was inspired to

name it New Mt. Hebron Baptist Church. There she worked diligently and earnestly for the Lord. New Mt. Hebron moved to 2016 West North Avenue. There she also served in many capacities, as the Superintendent of Sunday School, Superintendent of Vacation Bible School, as Deaconess, Vice President of the Missionary Circle, Advisor of the Youth Choir, Advisor of the Young Adult Choir, member of the Gospel Chorus #1 and member of the Senior Choir. She also worked with the Angels of Charity Nurses Unit. Pastor Johnson served as an Associate Minister of New Mt. Hebron Baptist Church. Pastor Anna Johnson was ordained in 1963, during her ministry for the Lord. Then in 1976, she founded and organized St. Mark Baptist Church, 2312 West North Avenue. In 1985, St. Mark moved to 1800 Druid Hill Avenue. Pastor Johnson pastored and ordained preachers, missionaries and deacons for the work of the Lord. At St. Mark Baptist Church she loved having Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, Wednesday Night Bible Class, Praise and Worship Service, church meetings and afternoon Sunday services and fellowship. Pastor Johnson welcomed many old and new preachers to exercise their gifts for the Lord. Pastor Johnson received many citations, from the Mayor and Governor of Maryland, also the Channel 13 Salute to Baltimore for her various works. Pastor Johnson was a member of the Starlight Gospel Singers with her sisters Martha and Lucille. Pastor Johnson was a member of many Christian organizations: United Order of Tents J. R. Giddings and Jolifee Union – (she was a leader and organized young women) United Field Workers Convention, Eastern Star, Unity of Churches Mutual Baptist Missionary Convention, United Baptist Missionary Convention and the United Baptist Ministers Evening Conference of Baltimore, Maryland and Vicinity, Inc. Pastor Anna Johnson served as Pastor of St. Mark Baptist Church and attended every service as long as the Lord allowed her until she became ill and could no longer attend. She will always live in the memories of: her daughter, Naomi Jackson Hoskins; niece, she raised as her daughter, Diane Rory (Howard Rory Sr.); her two precious boys, Albert John Rory and Howard Reese Rory Jr.; two sisters, Martha Parker (Charles Parker) and Lucille Smith; aunt,

Catherine Neal; nieces, Patricia Battle, April Holland, Retta Washington (Jimmy Washington) and Dorothy Morant; nephews, Melvin Battle (Pam Battle), Willie Battle, Tony Battle and Ricky Parker; great nephews, Kevin Battle; cousins, Robert Miles (Darlene Miles) and Jerome Gilliam; goddaughters, Emma Johnson and Anna Harrod; a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ Anna Johnson

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“ Hello ! Johnson's ! May I send condolences to you all. Ms. Anna was 87 when death circle of life was broken. Through the years there were so many things Ms. Anna accomplish to make her life meaningful. A relationship with her creator made life grand, Ps.150:6. When Jesus was on earth his purpose was to do the will of his father, John4:34. Imagine the great happiness to be our when the dead are resurrected on earth, John 5:28. I am looking forward to that time because I have lost dead loved ones too. May all the happy and cherish times spent with Ms. Anna stay close to help on life journey ahead.##imported-begin##Lillian Crosby##imported-end##

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“ I am so very sorry that you lost your loved one in death. Death is truly a hurting thing that we all face sooner or later. Almighty God did not mean this painful event to be a part of our lives. His purpose is for people to live forever in peaceful conditions, and for his will to be done on earth just as it being done in heaven. One day his wonderful purpose will be realized. Ther will be no more sickness, no more violence, no more old-age, no more hunger, and no more death. All who have died in his memory will live again, because John 5:28,29 says, "Donot marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out. So the dead will hear the voice of Jesus Christ who died so that many would recieve everlasting life. It is the purpose of Jehovah and his son Jesus to bring about the ressurection, the means by which the dead will live again. Acts 24:15. May our heavenly father comfort you with the comfort you need, and may your cherished memories help you to cope.##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. Although she lived past the 70 or 80 mark (Psalm 90:10), Almighty God promises even more, eternal life. He will restore many to life with the hope of no more death, sickness, sorrow or pain. (Revelation 21:3-5, Acts 24:15, Psalm 37:29) May you receive much comfort from these promises and from the maker of them Jehovah God and his Son Jesus Christ.##imported-begin##Sharon Hill##imported-end##

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