

**Life Is Good** "If God brings you to it, He will bring you through it"

In Loving Memory of
Missionsary

Everlena Wilson Clark

The Book Of Life 1932 - 2014

Saturday, March 8, 2014 - 11:00 a.m. Viewing - 10:00 a.m.

#### **CHRISTIAN PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**

971 Clinton Avenue • Irvington, New Jersey

Pastor Lewis Collier, Officiating

Elder Jerry Smith, Pastor

## Down Through The Years "My Baby Girl"

"Where can I start, well 1960 just will do; the year you brought me in this world and God gave me to you. In 1966, I still was your baby girl, even though you brought my brother, Darryl into this world. 1980 is the year I saw your pain, to lose your son, Raymond, its a feeling you never could explain. 1986 I got married you and daddy gave me away, even after that you called to say, you still my baby girl each and everyday. 1987 oh death came knocking at our door, but this time it took my brother Leonard with no type of remorse. 1989 mommy and daddy I know you were hurt, when law officers took Kent and slandered his name through the dirt. But your prayers for safe return will always be mine, even though you won't see them well at least not this time. 1998 tragedy but strength I saw in your face, after losing daddy I knew your heart could never be replaced. "No not again" 2005 brought pain and more tears into your eyes. Brenda not Brenda, yes Brenda has made it in Heaven's gate a piece of me was lost too mom also on this date. You know you my baby girl and I would never leave your side, cause I been your baby girl through this entire rocky ride. 2014 is hard for me to write, I now feel like mommie your cutting off your baby girls light I know you will shine bright but please watch over me, Kent, Darryl and Calvin while we fight this nonwinning fight. A battle we already know we won't win, one we didn't pick or ever wanted to see, I'm still your baby girl but your mommie my angel to me.'

> Love always, Nita "Your Baby Girl"

I close my eyes and I can hear her say..

"Sophie, I am not alone all who went before me are here they awaited my return remember how much I loved you and know I took your love with me I do not wish for you to cry my pain is gone and I am free."

I Love You Granny, Love Your Sophie

"Granny I want to start by saying I miss you so much. You mean the world to me. Your death has been the hardest thing I've ever had to deal with. I never imagined this day coming so soon but it did and I want you to know that you will always live in me. I love you granny, just continue to watch over us and tell grandpa I love him too."

Love always and Forever Your granddaughter, Destiny

### God Gave Me Six Days

Day I I arrived not knowing the challenge God designed for me, he put me in a six day position so I could really see, see his greatness and his love from all high, by giving my granny her robe in white and now her wings to fly I didn't know I only had six days to love, hug and kiss on you, but God did grant me time to reflect on life and things I need to do. Granny cried six days, prayed six days, called on the name of Jesus six days, eventually God answered well-done my faithful servant rewarding her with her raise, her raise is far greater than you could ever receive on this earth. Resurrection is in process transformation into her rebirth. What more could six days give me, time to understand why. God put me there to begin with to really say my goodbyes and see you laters rolled down my face but songs of gladness for you ran a great race. So take your rest in the master's arms, our six days are up and God sound the alarm. It became well with my soul when I saw you take your last breath and revealed was life's eternal maze, all of this in the design plan finally realizing God gave me those six days!!!

Best and worse six days of my life Love always, your granddaughter, Alia "Mutta"

# Reflections of Life

**Missionary Everlena Wilson Clark**, was born January 17, 1932 in Drew, Mississippi. She was the eleventh chld of thirteen born to the union of the late Judge Wilson and Tennessee Wooten Wilson.

The Wilson Family relocated to Detroit, MI in 1940. She attended Miller High School. She worked as an Electronic Engineer at Quindar Inc. until her retirement.

She met and married the love of her life the late Reverend James "LC" Clark in 1949. In 1951 they moved to Newark, NJ and the Lord blessed their union with eight children.

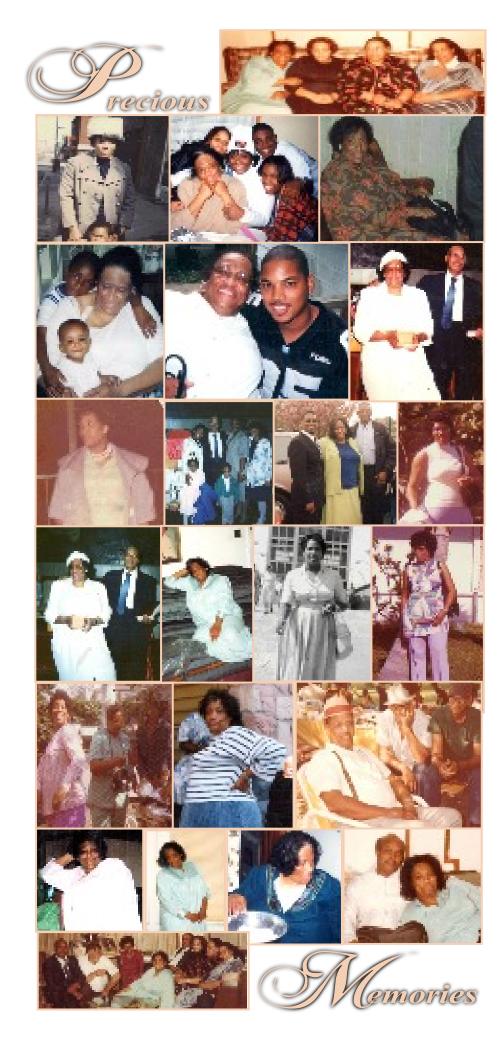
As a child, she was a member of Church of God In Christ under the leadership of the late Pastor Dennis Mallory. She accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Saviour in 1958 along side her husband in The First Born Church of the Living God in Newark, NJ later known as Pentecostal Temple of Faith after relocating all under the leadership of the late Pastor Sallie Jackson. She served faithfully as Missionary and First Lady under the late Pastor James Clark until the Lord called him home on March 4, 1998.

Everlena known affectionately as "Bae Bae" to her loved ones and loved to hear the word, sing praises to hear the word, sing praises to her Lord. Adored for her love of cooking, traveling and long conversations about her blessed life.

She leaves to celebrate her life and to cherish fond memories: a daughter, June Anita Clark, (Kenneth Clark) Newark, NJ; four sons, Kent Clark, Darryl Clark, Newark, NJ, Calvin Clark (Kimberly Clark), Edison, NJ, James Garner (Georgia Garner), East Orange, NJ; sister, Viola Harris, Detroit, MI; brother, JC Wilson, Detroit, MI; stepdaughters, Constance Ricardi (Ricky Ricardi), Gaithersburg, MD, Shirley Gaines, Savannah, GA; She also leaves her spirit with a host of nieces, nephews, thirteen grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Her husband, James Clark, three sons, Raymond Clark, Leonard Clark, James Clark, Jr. and daughter, Brenda White all preceded her in death.

Special thanks to her great nieces, Risha Kiara Griffin, ShaKeisha Williams and Tierra for the time taken out with her. It's very appreciated.



## The Order of Worship

Directing	Mrs. Ann Wallace
Processional	The Family
Congregational Hymn	"Victory Is Mine"
Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 90:1-12 New Testament - John 14:1-6	Tonya Collier Bryant
Prayer	Gwendolyn Lockett
Solo	
Acknowledgments/Condolences & Obituary	Gwen Willams
Remarks	Two Minutes Please
Poem	By Son, Kent Clark
Eulogy	Pastor Lewis M. Collier
Parting View	
Recessional	

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The Family wishes everyone to pray for them as they travel to Girard, GA For the interment of Everlena Clark



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Girard, Georgia

# Pall Bearers "Momma Boys"

Hakeem Hassan

Raheem (Baby) Bryant (Bootsie)

Abdul Cory (Seller)

A thousand times we've needed you
A thousand times we'll cry
If love alone could have saved you
You never would have died
A heart of gold stopped beating
Two twinkling eyes closed to rest
God broke our hearts to prove
He only takes the very best.
From Your Loving Grandchildren



#### Acknowledgements

We are truly grateful to all who have helped to share with us in this time of sorrow. Words can never express our deep sense of gratitude for the words, condolences and rendering of your many kind deeds.

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