

Celebration of Life for



Gloria Wilson Wheeler

Sunrise
July 24, 1929

Sunset
November 12, 2016

Friday, December 2, 2016 - 8:00 p.m.

GRACE BIBLE CLASS CHURCH

54 Pine Street

Passaic, New Jersey

Rev. Bernard Durham, Officiating
Janice Wright, Organist

Reflections of Life

Gloria (Wilson) Wheeler was born in Wallington, NJ, on July 24, 1929, to the late Mr. and Mrs. John and Beatrice Wilson.

Gloria lived most of her life in the adjacent city of Passaic at 201 Burgess Place. She attended Wallington and Passaic elementary schools and graduated from Passaic Senior High School.

In 1950, Gloria accepted Christ as her own personal savior, when the Wilson home was opened for the primary bible study, which eventually grew into what is now known as the Grace Bible Class Church. There she taught Sunday school for several years.

On April 12, 1959, Gloria married Leon Haskins Wheeler, and raised three children with him—Wayne Curtis, Mark Phillip, and Sharon. Gloria held several jobs during her lifetime. During World War II, she worked as a civilian during the war effort doing electronic welding and wiring. In the 1960's and 70's, she was a keypuncher. She also worked at the Passaic Police Department as a record bureau clerk, processing warrants. Before she retired in 1990, she worked as a proofreader for Deluxe Checks, Incorporated. In 1996, Gloria and Leon moved and bought a retirement home in Wylliesburg, Virginia.

She was preceded in death by her parents; John Wilson and Beatrice Mills Wilson; her siblings, A.J. Wilson, Wilbert Wilson, John Wilson, Jr., Fred Wilson, Mary Johnson, and Earline Nelson.

On November 12, 2016, she died as a result of a single-car accident on her way to the hospital to see her ailing husband.

She leaves behind a loving husband; Leon, three devoted children; Wayne, Mark, and Sharon; two beloved grandchildren; Justin Reginald Wheeler and Cecily Ann Ajalique Wheeler; two adoring great-grands; Omarii Anthony Miller and Justice Asada Lee Wheeler; one son-in-law; Cleamon Bachelor, Jr.; one beloved sister-in-law; Irene Wheeler; eight cherished nieces; Rose Whitmire, Loraine Wilson, Carol Wilson, Cynthia Legette, Maureen McDonald, Esther Wheeler, Dawn Simpson and Candice Cole; six treasured nephews; Reggie Wilson, Greg Wilson, Vernon Wilson, Garret Wilson, William Wheeler Jr., Timothy Wheeler; an endearing god-daughter; Mary (Sug) Washington; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional.....“When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder”

Hymn.....“Burdens Are Lifted At Calvary”

Scripture.....Romans 6:23

Selection.....“I Am Redeemed”
Dawn Simpson

Prayer of Comfort.....Clergy

Selection.....“I Won’t Complain”
Esther Wheeler

Acknowledgements.....Maureen MacDonald

Reflections of Life and Tribute.....Alberta Susan Wells

Remarks

Selection.....“Your Grace and Mercy”
Mark Wright

Eulogy.....Pastor Bernard Durham

Selection.....“I’m Free/Thank You Jesus, I’m Free”

Presentation.....Bragg Funeral Home

Recessional.....“Hold to God’s Unchanging Hands”

Interment

Mt. Holiness Cemetery
Butler, New Jersey



The Victory

A child of God's journey Home
Is magnificent, effortless, and free.

It is instant and serene!

Within in a moment of the twinkling of an eye,

Immortality triumphs over mortality

And reveals the victory—the eternal destiny

Where God Almighty and the Lamb abide:

A heavenly city

Of never-ending light

With high, thick walls of jasper,

Twelve gates of pearl that never close,

Brilliant streets of translucent gold;

A celestial Throne where all the saints are adorned

With the splendor of the Everlasting Light

Of God's loving countenance;

A paradise with palatial fountains that faithfully flow

With the Pure Water of Life—

The taste of Glory Devine!

A child of God's victory triumphs in this Eternal Destiny,

Where there is unceasing, exquisite choral praise,

And Life everlasting filled with joy unspeakable.

Amen!

Asw

Thanks be unto God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

I Corinthians 15:57

Acknowledgement

The family of the late **Gloria Wilson Wheeler** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement.

May God Bless and Keep You!

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