



God Saw You Getting Tired

*God saw you getting tired
And a cure was not to be
So he put his arms around you
And whispered,
Come to me*

*With tearful eyes we watched you
And saw you pass away
And although we loved you dearly
We could not make you stay.*

*A Golden heart stopped beating
Hardworking hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*

*You will never be forgotten,
Elynn and Linzel*

"To My Loving Wife"

*You were a great wife and always there for me when I needed you.
It will be hard without you here with me. You were always willing to
Help any and every one in need, which I admired about you. You
Were a fighter and I know you fought until you couldn't anymore.
I will forever love you.*

-Your husband, Lindsey



Honorary Pallbearers

Timothy Mills
Detric Edwards
Darry Edwards
Derrick Edwards
David Garnett
John Rollins
Harvey Mills
Carl Fountain
David Johnson
Winfield Johnson
Ricky Garnett
Vada Rollins
Andre Buckner

Active Pallbearers

Tyrell Ware
Tyrone Ware Jr.
Darryl Beasley Jr.
Davon Beasley
Kahlil Mock
Kenneth Mock Jr.

Flower Bearers

Melinda Spulock
Octavia Phillips
Adell Green
Vernell Lewis
Linda Shelton
Sharon Taylor
Kathleen Pleasants
Ashley Johnson
Maxine Harris
Otelia Green
Benita Jackson
Joanne Hairston
LaTonya Freeman
Brittany Greene
Amy Carter
Phyllis Brance
Catherine Spurlock
Tara Washington

Acknowledgement

The family would like to express their sincere thanks and deep appreciation for every act of kindness shown to us during this difficult time. We truly appreciate all condolences, words of comfort, and every prayer. May God continue to bless each and every one of you.

Special Thanks

The family would like to give a special thank you to the Nursing Ministry from St. James Baptist Church, Beaverdam Va for being here with us during this difficult time.

Final Arrangements Entrusted to



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Homegoing Services for



Eliner Mills Ware

Sunrise November 25, 1962 Sunset September 12, 2017

**Sunday, September 17, 2017
2:00pm**

Jerusalem Baptist Church
16210 Short Cut Road, Doswell, VA 23047
The Reverend Dr. E. Richard Swan, Pastor Officiating





The Order of Service

Presiding, Reverend Dr. E. Richard Swan



Mrs. Eliner Mills Ware, affectionately known as “Elna”, “Annie”, and “God Mommie”, was born on November 25, 1962 to Raymond and Carolyn Mills of Doswell, VA. She entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, September 12, 2017 with her family at her side.

Eliner graduated from Patrick Henry High School in 1981. After graduating she attended Al’s Beauty School in Ashland VA where she earned her cosmetology license; she continued to do hair until 2015 when she began her battle with breast cancer. Aside from doing hair she was also employed by Hanover County for the past 22 years.

She accepted Christ at an early age and joined Jerusalem Baptist Church where she served faithfully. She served as a trustee, treasurer of the Belmont Cemetery, Director of the children’s choir, Teacher of children’s church, member of the Drama Ministry, and choir member of the Voices of Hope, Mass choir, and Gospel Chorus.

Eliner was truly a “people person”, she was a woman who never met a stranger. To know her was to truly love her. She always had a smile, never frowning, and was always willing to help anyone in need. She enjoyed driving the bus, going to yard sales, spending time laughing and joking with family and friends. Eliner also enjoyed working in her yard planting flowers, watching game shows, taking pictures on her camera, and going to Virginia Beach for festivals. She was a dedicated Redskins fan and full of life no matter what she was going through.

She was united in holy matrimony to her devoted husband Lindsey Ware on September 15, 1990, which she leaves precious memories. She leaves to cherish her two children Elynn and Linzel Ware; devoted mother Carolyn A. Mills; one brother Raymond Mills Jr.; one sister Sylvia Reeders; two brothers-in-law, Henry Ware (LaVita) and Tyrone Ware (Leslie); two sisters-in-law, Verlett Wright (Byron) and Donna Ware.

Eliner also leaves to cherish six aunts, Yvonne Rollins, Bessie Mines, Dorothy Fountain, Catherine “Sis” Mills, Ester “Reba” Holmes, and Mary Garnett; two great aunts Celestine Mickens and Pearl Ware; a host of loving nieces, two devoted Keedra Reeders and Gabriel “Tricy” Golden, nephews, cousins, among them devoted cousins, Greta Gamble, Donetta Whitfield, Sandy Mock, Stephanie Rollins, Wanda Farmer, Regina Edwards, and Timmy Mills; numerous friends, among them devoted friends, Zoila Harris, Betty Tyler, Adell Green, and Melinda Spurlock; and two god-daughters Kavantia Mock and Aylaa Golden. Eliner was preceded in death by her sister Mabel Mills and father Raymond Mills Sr.



Musical Prelude.....Deacon Gregory Thompson
Mr. Donald T. Morris

The ProcessionClergy & Family

Opening Hymn Mass Choir

Scripture ReadingsOld Testament/Corine Lucas
New Testament/ Gregory Washington

Prayer of Consolation

Solo Bubba Johnson

Reflections.....(Please 2 Minute Minimum)

Musical Selection Mass Choir

Acknowledgements and ObituaryMrs. Joyce Smithers

Solo NaShauna Tate
“I look to you”

EulogyReverend Dr. E. Richard Swan

Closing Hymn Mass Choir

Recessional

Interment

Interment: Belmont Cemetery

No Repast