

Miss Me But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room
Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little-but not too long
And not with your head bowed low
Remember the love that we once shared
Miss me-but let me go

For this is a journey that we all must take
And each must go alone.
It's all part of the Master's plan
A step on the road to home

When you are lonely and sick of heart
Go to the friends we know
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds
Miss me but let me go.



Active Pallbearers

Nephews & Cousins

Flower Bearers

Nieces, Cousins, & Friends

Internment

Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery
Wray, Georgia

Repast

The Mind of Christ Church Dining Hall

Acknowledgements

The family extends warm appreciation to the celebrants and well wishers who have highlighted and paid homage in myriad ways to the treasured legacy of our matriarchs
Glorious decades of loving, leading, and caring and generous giving.
May God Ever bless you for your kindness as he keeps you in his eternal care.

The Wilcox Anderson Family.

FUNERAL SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:



Mr. Sidney Keith Harrell- Licensed Funeral Director & Embalmer
400 E. Cherry Street
Douglas, Georgia 31533
(912) 384-2251

Home Going Celebration for



Sunrise:
June 23, 1947

Sunset:
July 28, 2017

Aretha Wilcox Anderson

Saturday, August 5, 2017
11:00 A.M.

The Mind of Christ Ministries
Douglas, Georgia 31533
Bishop Troy Moore, Pastor
Bishop Richard Denning, Officiating

Obituary

Aretha Wilcox Anderson was born in Ben Hill County on June 23, 1947 to the late Hubert, Sr. and Ollie Mae Exum Wilcox. Aretha was married to the late Willie Anderson. Her daughter, Shonda Renee Anderson Smith preceded her in death.

Aretha retired from Miami Dade Transit, Miami, Florida.

Four siblings preceded her in death: Aaron Adolphus Wilcox, Albert Lee Wilcox, Maggie L. Taylor, and Isaac Wilcox.

She leaves to cherish her memory a loving and faithful friend Emilio Napoles for 23 years, Douglas, GA. Five God Children: Ephesus Exum, Jr. and Quintz Exum, Miami, Fla. Sherry and Terry McMillian, Orlando, Fla. and Marques Young, Hawaii. Six Brothers: Henry James (Shirley) Wilcox, Ambrose, GA; Hubert Jr. (Sandra) Wilcox, Ocilla, Ga.; Samuel Wilcox, Douglas, Ga.; Rev. Kenneth (Deborah) Wilcox, Columbus, Ga.; Jerome Wilcox, Ambrose, GA.; Ronnie (Linda) Wilcox, Ocilla, Ga. Four Sisters: Brenda Wilcox, Douglas, Ga.; Jennifer (Christopher) Gaskin, Orlando, Fla.; Yolenda (Willie) Hicks; Douglas, Ga.; Tonya (Alex) Smith, Savannah, Ga. Two Sister-In-Laws: Elaine Wilcox, Ocilla, Ga. and Willie Bell Wilcox, Douglas, Ga. A host of uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

I've Only Moved Away
When my life on earth is over
And my body cold and still,
Do not grieve because I've left you
Just remember it's God's Will.
All my suffering will be over,
Every trial and every test.
When God has called
And I have answered
Do not weep for me, I am at rest.
When you pass to view my body
Remember, it's just a house of clay.
Jesus has built for me a mansion,
I've only moved away.



Order of Service

Processional

Ministers, Pallbearers, & Family

Final Glimpse

Family Prayer of Comfort

Minister of Jason Wilcox

Scripture Readings (From the Pulpit)

Old Testament

New Testament

Selection

Pastor K. Milton

Family Tribute:

The Hicks Family

Quintz Exum

Anyone Desiring to Speak (Limit 2 Minutes)

Acknowledgements

Selection

City Commissioner Minister Kentaiwon Durham

Eulogy

Bishop Richard Denning

Flower Recessional

Family Recessional

Committal Service

Macedonia Baptist Church Cemetery

Wray, GA 31519