

Lula Mae Lawrence Burroughs

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Farewell My Children

*Farewell, my dear ones, don't weep
For I am at peace now, just asleep.
Farewell my children, I'm not alone
The Mighty Maker has led me safely home.
Just think back over the many years
How mama seemed so strong, holding back tears.
Yet God somehow always made a way
And I thanked him every night for another day.
Be good my children, always love each other
Be a thoughtful sister, a kind brother
Be strong my children, strong in heart
The blood ties no one can ever part
And if somewhere I made a mistake
As you live many you will make.
Farewell my children, I've been called away,
Walk with God, trust in him everyday.*

The Family

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Funeral Services For



Mrs. Lula Mae Lawrence Burroughs

Thursday, January 25, 2001 – 1:00 p.m.

Johnson Grove Baptist Church
Portal, Georgia

Reverend John C. Newkirk, Officiating

Interment – Church Cemetery
Brooklet, Georgia

A Final Tribute



*A Service by Payton's Mortuary
Statesboro, Georgia*

Obituary

On February 13, 1909 Lula Mae Jackson Lawrence Burroughs was born in Jenkins County, Georgia to the late Nannie (Gay) and Walter Jackson. She departed this life on Thursday January 18, 2001 at her residence after a long illness.

She was a dutiful member of the Johnson Grove Missionary Baptist Church where she joined at an early age. She served there faithfully until her health began to fail.

In 1949 she was united in holy matrimony to Tommie Burroughs. She raised four children.

She leaves to cherish her memory; a devoted husband, Tommie Burroughs of Statesboro, GA; two daughters, Verlene (Willie) Underwood of Cincinnati, Ohio and Catherine Williams of South Bend, IN; two sons, W. T. Burroughs of South Bend, IN and Wilbert (Cynthia) Burroughs of Statesboro, GA; one sister, Brunell Alexander of Waynesboro, GA; one niece, Bessie Carter of Claxton, GA; eighteen grandchildren; thirty-one great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional
Presiding.....Rev. Julius Abraham
Selection.....Payton's Chorus
Scripture.....Rev. P. E. Royal
Invocation.....Rev. David Reese
Selection.....Payton's Chorus
Remarks.....Dea. Ivey Polk
Solo.....Mrs. Lucille Montgomery
Acknowledgments.....Mrs. Sara C. Lee
Selection.....Payton's Chorus
Eulogy.....Rev. John C. Newkirk
Recessional

Honorary Pallbearers

Deacons of Johnson Grove Baptist Church

Active Pallbearers

Roszell Lawrence Wyatt Ward
Sammie Cone Amos Strowbridge
Tommie Williams

Floral Attendants

Members of Charity and Goodwill No. 2

Acknowledgments

The family wishes to express their sincere appreciation to those who have extended acts of love and kindness during their time of sorrow. May God bestow his richest blessings on each of you..