

# Honorary Pallbearers

NEPHEWS AND GREAT-NEPHEWS

# Honorary Flowerbearers

NEICES ND GREAT-NEICES

# Acknowledgments

PERHAPS YOU SENT A LOVELY CARD,  
OR SAT QUIETLY IN A CHAIR.

PERHAPS YOU SENT THOSE BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS,  
THAT WE SAW SITTING THERE.

PERHAPS YOU SPOKE THE KINDEST WORDS,  
AS ANY FRIEND COULD SAY.

PERHAPS YOU WERE NOT THERE AT ALL,  
JUST THOUGHT OF US THAT DAY.

WHATEVER YOU DID TO CONSOLE OUR HEARTS WE THANK YOU  
SO MUCH FOR WHATEVER PART!

THE JOHNSON FAMILY

INTERNMENT WILL TAKE PLACE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2022

BELMONT PARK CEMETARY

3346 BELMONT AVENUE

YOUNGSTOWN, OH 44505



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5456 E. LIVINGSTON AVE, COLUMBUS, OH 43232

# Celebrating THE LIFE OF



## Rev. Susanette Johnson

SUNRISE MAY 6, 1957-

SUNSET OCTOBER 17, 2022

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2022, 10:00AM

# Obituary

## Rev. Susanette Denise Johnson



MAY 6, 1957 - OCTOBER 17, 2022

Reverend Susanette Denise Johnson, age 65 of Columbus, Ohio, went home to be with her Lord and Savior on Monday, October 17, 2022.

Rev. Johnson was born May 6, 1957. She was a native of Youngstown, Ohio, and a graduate of Chaney High School. She was raised in a Christian home, the 3rd child of six children in the Johnson family.

In her early adulthood she relocated to Columbus, Ohio with her parents, the late Rev. Theodore Walter and Sister Ruth Jane Johnson, where her Father was assigned as Pastor of St. Matthew Fire Baptized Holiness Church.

Through the prayers of her father and mother, she surrendered her life to Christ and began her Christian journey.

As Sister Johnson grew in her faith and devotion to Christ, under the direction of her loving parents, she became a devoted and faithful member of St. Matthew.

Rev. Johnson was employed in the Hospitality industry. During her time there, one of her many gifts came to light. She was an outstanding cook for the Hyatt Regency and Hilton Hotels. She also worked as a child care provider, where she sowed seeds of love to the little souls she encountered each and every day.

As a member of St. Matthew, Rev. Johnson served as the Jr. Mission President, a member of the Trustee Board, Assistant to the Mother Board, Assistant Sunday School Superintendent, Sunday School Superintendent, Usher Board, and a member of the Voices of Faith Choir.

Her love for the youth drove her heart and ministry. While serving as the YPI Supervisor of the Northeast Ohio District, many of the youth had opportunity to travel to and participate in various fellowship services within the FBH Church.

# Order of Service

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2022

Organ Prelude

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Hymn

"Tis So Sweet"

Scripture Reading

Old Testament- Psalms 91:1-4  
Psalms 121

New Testament John 14:1-6

Rev. Hepzibah

Rev. Phyllis Brown

Rev. Jackie Wilson

"WayMaker"  
Sister Sorriah Wilson

Mr. Corey Pierre, Nephew

Remarks (2 minutes please)

Clergy & others selected by the family

Selection

"I Just Want to Praise You"  
St Matthew FBH Choir

Minister Tammy Howard

Reading of the Obituary

Mr. Kion Tucker

Selection

"Thank You"  
St. Matthew FBH Choir

Eulogy

Pastor Darlene Zanders  
Mt. Sinai FBH Church

Committal/Benediction

Elder Allen B. Wilson, Sr.

# I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God has laid you see.

I took His hand when I heard him call  
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day  
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way  
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss  
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I savored much  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your hearts and peace to thee  
God wanted me now; He set me free.

-Unknown

Obituary continued...

Rev. Johnson was called to the ministry and obtained a Bachelor and Master Degree in Theology. Her desire was to please God and see souls saved. In her later years she became ill, yet, her faith stood strong; always willing to do what God required of her. She was a prayer warrior and prayed continually for her family, her church and many others during the prayer sessions on the NEO District Conference Call Line.

Her love for her family was infectious; everyone loved "Aunt Sue". She led by example, holding fast to her faith. Through her prayers, many families, friends and associates came to know Jesus as their personal Savior.

Rev. Johnson was preceded in death by her parents listed above, a brother, Lamont Theodore Johnson, and her nephew, Larry Ruffin, Jr.

Rev. Johnson leaves to cherish loving memories her sisters, Pastor Darlene Zanders, Wellsville, Ohio; Minister Linda Ruffin; Miss. Lavonia Johnson, Columbus, Ohio; one brother Mr. Arnet Johnson (Darlene) Camden New Jersey; her loving nephews, Daniel (Keyonna) Willis, Dante Willis, Corey Pierre, Arnet Jr (Keonte), and Micha Johnson, nieces, Latrail Ruffin, Miesha Johnson, and Arnetta Johnson, great-nieces and great-nephews, cousins, Godchildren, friends, the saints of the Liberian F.B.H Church and special friends Rev. Hepbzibah, Minister Tammy Howard, Rev. Phyllis Brown, and Mrs. Cindy Fields.

# Precious Memories

