

*Homegoing Celebration
for
Vinnie Leona Brady*



*Sunrise
October 1, 1955*

*Sunset
December 9, 2016*

*Friday, December 16, 2016 at 2 P.M.
Simmons Chapel Primitive Baptist Church
The Family will receive friends an hour prior to the service*

A Celebration of Life

Vinnie Leona Brady

October 1, 1955 ~ December 9, 2016

Processional

Introduction Elder Joe Scales

Prayer Deacon Rady Simmons

Selection Sister Nancy Moore

Scripture Reading

Old Testament Psalms 100
Minister Brooks Martin Hughes

New Testament Revelations 21: 1-5

Selection Richard Mathews

Remarks

Acknowledgements Harry Harris
Olive Harvey

Community Resolution

..... Sister Faye Carter

Obituary Nicole Brady

Selection Nicole and N'Kenya Brady

Eulogy Elder Robert J. Brady

Interment Simmons Family Cemetery

Vinnie Leona Brady, 61, of 108 Scales Lane in Mt Airy, NC departed to her heavenly home on the evening of Friday, December 9, 2016 at Forsyth Hospital in Winston-Salem, NC.

Leona or "Leona Bologna" as she was affectionately called by her nieces and nephews. She was born to Elder Robert Jacob and Odessa Elsie Simmons Brady at their home in Westfield, NC on the first day of October in 1955. She attended grade school within the Stokes County School System and was a graduate of North Stokes High School, class of 1973. Afterwards she attended Surry Community College, aspiring to be a special education teacher.

She is preceded in death by her mother and a sister, Naomi Brady. She leaves to cherish her memory, her father, Elder Robert Jacob Brady of Westfield, NC; one brother, Donald Gray Brady of Pinnacle, NC; one sister, Pamela Elizabeth Brady of Winston-Salem, NC; one nephew, Donald Bradley "BB" (Veronica) Brady of Mt. Airy, NC, two nieces, Dr. Pamela Nicole Brady of Birmingham, Alabama and N'Kenya-Sara Elizabeth (Olalekan Ajayi) Brady of Winston-Salem, NC; one great-niece, Mia Semone Brady of Mt. Airy, NC; one great-nephew, Mighty Momoluwa Ajayi of Winston-Salem, NC; one uncle, William Maston Simmons of Westfield, NC, two aunts, Catherine Valentine of Mt. Airy, NC and Maxine Hughes of Harrisburg, PA, along with a host of extended family and friends.

Revelations 21:1-5

And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea. ² And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³ And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God. ⁴ And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away. ⁵ And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And he said unto me, Write: for these words are true and faithful.

We would like to extend our sincere appreciation to Cox-Needham Funeral Home, Northern Surry and Forsyth Hospitals, neighbors, and extended family and friends for all the words of encouragement and support given towards the care of Leona and in our time of bereavement. We would like to extend special thanks to our devoted Aunt Catherine Valentine, dear friend and neighbor Faye Carter, and special cousin Sheena Galloway for their time spent and love given to Leona.

~The Brady Family

Pallbearers

Lester Simmons, Cecil Thompson, Jr., Calvin Mason,
and Jody Hughes

Flower Bearers

Jackee Martin Hughes, Rebecca Hartgrove, Karen Zigler,
Shena Gallaway, Louise Flippen, Mia Simone Brady, and
Veronica Brady

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