

# Fredrick Gibbs Family Tree



Geneva



Fred (Sunny)



Emma



Peter



Annabelle (Pook)



Fredrick Gibbs



Susan (Daisy Bell)



MacBelle (Book)



Sass



Ruth



Joseph (Boy)



Corine



Queenie



Lass

In Loving Memory  
 Alice, Emma, Corine  
 Peter, Queenie, Lass  
 MaeBelle  
 Ida, Jan 17, 1916 - Nov 22, 1924  
 Nora, Jan 24, 1917 - June 22, 1918  
 Baby Girl, March 15, 1918 (lived 1 hour)  
 Martha, May 8, 1929 - June 17, 1929  
 Mary, May 8, 1929 - Aug 28, 1929  
 David (Tom), May 13, 1932 - June 1, 1932



Alice

## *Pallbearers*

Friends of the Family

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

Joe Gibbs  
 Sass Burden  
 Wayne Williams

Edward Gordon  
 Gregory Williams  
 Jahron Williams

## *Acknowledgements*

The family of the late  
 Daisy B. (SUSAN) Dawson  
 is grateful for all expressions of love, kindness,  
 and comfort shown during the passing of our loved one.  
 May the joy, peace and love of God always embrace you.

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A CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR

*Daisy*  
 SUSAN  
**DAWSON**

SUNRISE  
 JUNE 9, 1933

SUNSET  
 FEBRUARY 22, 2025

Saturday, March 8, 2025 | 12:00 P.M.  
 O. Allen Gethers Memorial Chapel  
 200 Grace Street | Moncks Corner, SC

- Interment -

Old Nazareth Cemetery  
 Pinopolis, South Carolina

# LIFE *Reflection*

*“But on the other side of Jordan, King Jesus is making up my dying bed.”*

Mrs. Daisybell (SUSAN) Gibbs-Dawson, the daughter of the late Frederick Gibbs and Susan Barfield Gibbs, was born on June 9, 1933 in Moncks Corner, South Carolina. She entered into eternal rest on Saturday, February 22, 2025 at Kings Harbor Manor Nursing Home, Bronx, New York.

She was educated in the public schools of Berkeley County, attending Anderson School in McBeth, SC. After the death of her father, she moved to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to live with her brother, Peter Gibbs. She attended Simon Gratz High School while in Philadelphia, dropping out of school in the 10th grade. She fought hard for her three children to make sure they had their high school diplomas, because she realized it was one of the biggest mistakes she made. She would say, “Life is hard without that diploma, you are going to get your education and diploma!”

She was united in Holy Wedlock to Alexander Dawson. This union was blessed with a daughter, Rochelle Ann Dawson. Her husband and daughter both preceded her in death. She eventually met the love of her life, James N. Gordon. They were blessed with two children: a son, Edward L. Gordon and her baby daughter, Henrietta P. Gordon.

On November 16, 2008, she joined St. Peter’s Deliverance Center, Bronx, NY, under the leadership of Pastor Shante D. Edgehill, who lovingly referred to her as “Mother Dawson”. Later on, her niece/goddaughter, Annie (Anna) Jamison got the ball rolling for her to join and receive her certificate of membership at Wesley United Methodist Church, Moncks Corner, SC under the pastorate of Reverend Lee C. Bines on July 14, 2013.

In 2009, Daisy wrote the following to her siblings, “My dearest sisters and brothers, they were very dedicated and precious to me and I appreciated growing up with them. I thank you all, sisters and brothers for helping me along the way when I needed it most.

I will soon be joining them in Heaven and we will be singing the Gibbs song: Soy, Dye, Boo, Moo, Barlou, Mommie and who wants to know about the Pook the Pamp and Sonnie, go tell them.

She leaves to cherish her memory: two children, Edward L. Gordon (Laura) Gordon of New Jersey and Henrietta P. Gordon of Bronx, NY; adopted daughter, Theresa Rogers of New York, NY; two brothers, Joseph Gibbs (Sharon) of Philadelphia, PA and Sass Burden of Moncks Corner, SC; six grandchildren, Elizabeth Fioravanti (Desi), Gregory Gordon, Porcha Love Gordon, Kiara Williams, Jahron Williams and Orlando Garcia; two great-grandchildren, Tayleigh and Promise; sister-in-law, Alma Burden; special loved ones, Wayne Williams (thank you for the tasty southern style food) and Dawn McFadden; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

## *He Only Takes The Best*

*God saw she was getting tired  
And a cure was not to be,  
So He put his arms around her  
And whispered, “Come to Me.”*

*With tearful eyes we watched her suffer  
And saw her fade away  
Although we loved her dearly,  
We could not make her stay.*

*A golden heart stopped beating,  
Hard working hands at rest.  
God took you home to prove to us,  
He only takes the best.*



# ORDER OF *Service*

*Reverend Yvonne Jenkins, Officiating*

- Processional.....“What A Friend We Have In Jesus”
- Opening Hymn ..... “Hold to God’s Unchanging Hand”
- Prayer ..... Sis. Karen Mathurin, **Grandniece**
- Scripture Readings.....Reverend Gerald Bryant  
Old Testament - Psalm 23  
New Testament - John 14:1-6
- Reflections – (2 minutes please).....Family and Friends
- Remarks .....Kiara and Jahron Williams, **Grandchildren**
- Selection .....“How I Got Over” by Mahalia Jackson
- Obituary Reading.....Sis. Annie (Anna) Jamison
- Selection – “Walk Around Heaven”..... The Cobin Brothers
- Eulogy..... Reverend Yvonne Jenkins
- Committal
- Benediction
- Recessional
- Final Viewing
- Interment..... Old Nazareth Cemetery
- Repast

