










Pall Bearers
Sumter High Class of 1972

Flower Bearers
Sumter High School of 1972

Honorary Pall Bearers
Ernest Andre Brunson, Torese Davis, Stan La Prince Scott
Edward Johnson, Mario Goines, Jahmere Crumpton
Tyrone Brunson

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of

Karen Ann Scott

is deeply appreciative of all acts of kindness expressed, demonstrated, or implied to us during our bereavement.

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Celebration of Life

for

Karen Ann Scott



Friday, October 9, 2026
Ten O'clock in the Morning

Salem Chapel & Heritage Center
101 S Salem Avenue
Sumter, South Carolina

Dr. Nate Brock, Officiating

Life Reflections

Karen Ann Scott was born on Sunday, January 31, 1954 to Leon and Georgianna Glover Scott at Roper Hospital in Charleston, South Carolina.. Karen Ann was the third girl born into a family of eight siblings. She had beautiful curly hair and was born, we were told, sucking her thumb. She sucked her thumb until she was twelve years old. No matter what was put on that thumb she would go to sleep with it in her mouth. We did not know if that was a natural pacifier or what. Karen was not mischievous, but she had a way of overthinking things and making situations to fit her own criteria. Caution was her road map that led to her intense interest in God and higher education. These characteristics remain throughout her life.

She accepted Christ very early and was an active member of St. Mark 4B Missionary Baptist Church in Sumter, SC, Cherryvale Church in Sumter SC, and upon relocating to Dallas, Texas, she became a long standing member until her death on September 23, 2026 of OakCliff Church. Educated in the public school system of South Carolina and graduated from Sumter High School in the class of 1972. Karen sought employment prior to entering college. She went on to graduate from Tennessee Temple University and obtained her Masters Degree from Dallas Theological Seminary. She was employed as an Educator and received many awards before retiring from the Dallas Unified School District. As with many young women who grew up in the south, during the sixties and seventies, she understood the impact of poverty on youth. This led to a life long advocacy for children, often times spending her own money to meet basic needs of her students.

Karen always focused on an eclectic view of service to her Lord and savior, having no qualms about sending books, scripture and sometimes music to anybody she thought needed an extra nudge in being saved. This, at times, led to spirited discussions with family and anybody. There was no shame in her game when it came to Christ.

Stubborn, friendly, no nonsense, but approachable, quick to let you know, “I am an educator and I have two Masters Degrees, she could be a force to contend with, but we loved her. Today, we celebrate her, the life she lived and the gift God sent to this family; her friends, associates, her students and all whose life she touched.

Our sister, aunt, grand aunt, cousin and friend, transitioned on Wednesday, September 23, 2026 at Baylor Scott & Walter T. Boone Pickens Cancer Hospital in Dallas, Texas. She is preceded in death by her parents, a sister Joanne and two brothers, Mark and Leon Scott Jr. and a niece, Keira Latrese Brunson Crumpton.

She leaves to cherish her seventy two years, fond memories and her unyielding faith in God her two sisters: Dr. Thelma Scott Brunson of Philadelphia, Wanda Lewis of Sumter; two brothers, Stanley Scott of Charleston, Norman L. Pringle of Alpharetta, GA; two sisters-in-law, Terri Pringle of Alpharetta, GA, Shirley Curnell Scott of Charleston; two brothers-in-law, Ernest Brunson of Philadelphia, John Purnell Lewis of Sumter; three nephews, Ernest Andre Brunson of Philadelphia Stan La Prince Scott of Charleston and John Lewis III of Sumter; four nieces: Shantell Scott Twumisa (NaNa Yaw) of Charleston, Tiffany Lewis Green (Aaron) of Sumter, Dase Colclough Davis (Torese) of Marietta, GA, Sydney Williams of Alpharetta, GA; ten grand nephews: Deontre Charles of Sumter, Ahkil Crumpton and Jahmere Crumpton both of Philadelphia, Brandon Bailey, Jarvis Palmer, Sincere Scott and Stan Scott II all of Charleston, Javori Torese, Jr. and Tyrin Davis both of Georgia; seven grand nieces: Tyavia Archie, Tyliah Archie, Tyraiana Archie all of Sumter; Zanaiah Lewis of Columbia, ILeya Cook of Orangeburg, Harmony Lewis of Sumter, Tylinn Davis of Georgia; and numerous cousins and many friends.

To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord - for those in Christ. We appreciate all acts of loving kindness and pray that our father in heaven blesses you all.



The Order of Worship

Musical Prelude ……...…….. Soft Music

Processional …….……..……...……... Clergy and Family

Scriptures:

Old Testament ……..…… Mrs. Shirley Green

New Testament ……..…… Mrs. Dase Colclough Davis

Prayer ……...…….. Pastor Steven Dawson
Cherryvale Baptist Church, Sumter SC

Selection ……..……. Mr. Deontrae Charles

Resolutions/Cards/ Condolences …….. Mrs. Shirrel Poindexter
Dr. T. Scott Brunson

Reflections ……...…… Cherryvale Church Family

Remarks (3 minutes please)

Reading of the Obituary ……..…….. Mrs. Tiffany Lewis Green

Selection ……...…… Mr. Deontrae Charles

Eulogy ……...……..…….. Dr. Nate Brock

Recessional …….. Medley of Music

Interment
Hillside Memorial Park