

It Will Be Worth It All

Roses in the garden of heaven
stars in the glistening skies,
God's faithful ones now at rest,
awaiting the heavenly prize.
The children of our Savior,
perhaps to the world unknown,
perhaps on eath forgotten,
He'll call before His throne.
"Well done, good and faithful servants,
enter the joy of the Lord"
are the precious words that Christ will say
and they will receive their reward.
Though long the road they have travelled
and suffered and sacrificed,
it will be worth it all - one day
in heaven's paradise.

You can cry because she is gone,
or rejoice that a faithful servant has been called home.

Floral & Casket Bearers

Family & Friends

Expressions of Gratefulness

The passing of those we love causes sorrow, pain and grief. At best, we struggle to accept the ways of God through experiences such as this. Your kind expressions of love lifted our spirits and made us realize that we were not alone in our hour of need. Moreover, we have found added strength and deepened faith in gratitude to God for Aunt Fan's life in Christian service. Please accept our deep and abiding appreciation for your comforting care and concern.

Professional Services Entrusted To:



Gerald A. Harris - Proprietor

*From Sunrise to Slumber,
a faithful servant called home*

Fannie B. Webb

July 14, 1932 - March 23, 2026



Thursday, March 26, 2026

Visitation - 11:30 a.m.
Service - 12:00 Noon

Zion Baptist Church
807 Piedmont Street
Reidsville, NC

Rev. Marcus L. Fairley, Eulogist
Rev. Venus Womble, Officiant



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Obituary

Fannie Alice Brown Webb entered this world on July 14, 1932, the baby of ten born to William M. Brown and Ida Neal Brown—a position that guaranteed she was both well-loved and well-trained in the art of holding her own. She lived a life full of purpose, laughter, and steady faith until she was reunited with her beloved husband, Joseph L. Webb, who preceded her in death. She was also preceded in death by her siblings Ruby Lee Brown, James Neal, Lillie B. Tapp, Julia B. Dupont, William T. Brown, Simon Brown, Ida Brown and Boaz Brown.

A proud graduate of Booker T. Washington High School, Class of 1951, Fannie carried herself with the quiet confidence of someone who knew who she was and Whose she was. She was a lifelong, devoted member of Zion Baptist Church, where “faithful servant” was not just a phrase but a way of life. She served on the Senior Usher Board, worked diligently as secretary of the Baptist Training Union, was the first member of the Zion Baptist Church Nurses Guild (under the direction of Aretta Brown), and was an active member of the Missionary Group Dorcas. Through the Rowan Association, she also gave her time and heart to the Women’s Home and Foreign Missionary Convention. If the church doors were open, chances are Fannie was there—probably early.

For 10 years she worked for the Mackie Company, followed by 22 years as Head Cook for Service America inside the American Tobacco Company. To say she knew her customers would be an understatement—she knew their orders by heart. By the time they reached the register, their plates were ready and waiting. No need to ask; Fannie had it handled. Her warmth and dedication earned her a rare honor: on June 29, 1995, then Mayor Clark Turner proclaimed it “Fannie B. Webb Day,” a fitting tribute to a woman who fed both stomachs and spirits with equal care.

Though she never had children of her own, Fannie’s heart made room for many. She helped raise several nieces and nephews, especially her niece Gerdia whom she loved dearly and her nephew Larry Lee, whom she loved and raised as a son.

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She also had a special fondness for her great-great nephew, Terek “TJ” Bossier. Family, for Fannie, was never limited by titles.

Affectionately known as the “Unofficial Mayor of Lindsey Street,” Fannie was the heartbeat of her neighborhood. A faithful member of the Neighborhood Watch and the West End Flower Club, she kept a loving eye on everything happening on and around Lindsey Street. She knew her neighbors, their stories, and probably their business—but always with care and concern. They, in turn, knew and loved her dearly.

In her later years, she was blessed with compassionate caregivers who returned to her the same kindness she had so freely given. Special thanks are extended to Shelia Cobb, Shari Brown, Debra Winchester, Dawn Davis, Ann Clark, Amy Motley, Felicity Sawyer, and the staff of Penn Nursing Center for their devoted care. We owe a special debt of gratitude to Chaplain Linwood Carver, LaShonda Williams, Tabitha Garrett and the entire staff of Ancora Compassionate Care.

She leaves to cherish her memory her sister, Elizabeth B. Haynes of Reidsville, NC; her nieces, Gerdia Keesee and Verdell Lane, both of Reidsville, North Carolina; Rev. Rebecca Bossier of Greensboro, North Carolina; Patricia Dupont and Eleanor Dupont of Queens, New York; Brenda Lawton of Dallas, Texas and Joan T. Neal of Ft. Washington, Maryland and her nephews, Stanley Neal (Jessilea), Ft. Washington, Maryland; Rev. W.T. Brown of Greensboro, North Carolina; Rev. James Brown and Fletcher T. Brown, both of Reidsville, North Carolina; Michael Powell of Bronx, New York; and Quentin Powell, Maxwell Powell, Joseph Powell, and Philip Powell, all of Dallas, Texas.

She is also fondly remembered by a host of great-nieces, great-nephews, great-great-nieces, and great-great-nephews who will cherish her memory, as well as her special cousins, Tommy and Barbara Hopper, and Que and Rochelle Tucker.



"There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens: a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot, a time to kill and a time to heal, a time to tear down and a time to build, a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance..."

– Ecclesiastes 3:1-4



Order of Service

Rev. Venus Womble, Officiant

Prelude

Processional

Family Visitation
11:30 p.m. - 12:00 Noon

Musical Selection.....Mass Choir

The Reading of God's Word

Old Testament..... Rev. Mae Coles-Davis

New Testament.....Deacon Linda Alexander

The Prayer of Hope.....Rev. Dr. David Bracken

Musical Selection.....Mass Choir

Church Resolution

Solo.....Tamara Watkins

Reflections

The Comfort from God's Word..... Rev. Marcus Fairley

Musical Selection.....Mass Choir

Benediction

Reverent Recessional

Interment

Greenview Cemetery
Reidsville, NC

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