



Acknowledgement

A most heartfelt thank you and appreciation for your expression of love and support during our time of bereavement. Your comforting words, kind gestures, and presence have been a great source of strength for us.

To all who sent flowers, cards and messages of condolence, or who attended the service, we are profoundly grateful. Your thoughtfulness and compassion have brought us much comfort and peace.

Thank you so much for being there for us, and for honoring the memory of our precious Gennette Adams. Your support means more to us than words can express.

To know you are with us in our time of sorrow, sharing our prayers today and tomorrow, gives us comfort in the form of family and friends. May God's peace and never-ending love be with you.
The Family of Gennette Adams

1 Corinthians 13

⁴Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. ⁵It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

⁶Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth.

⁷It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

⁸Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away.



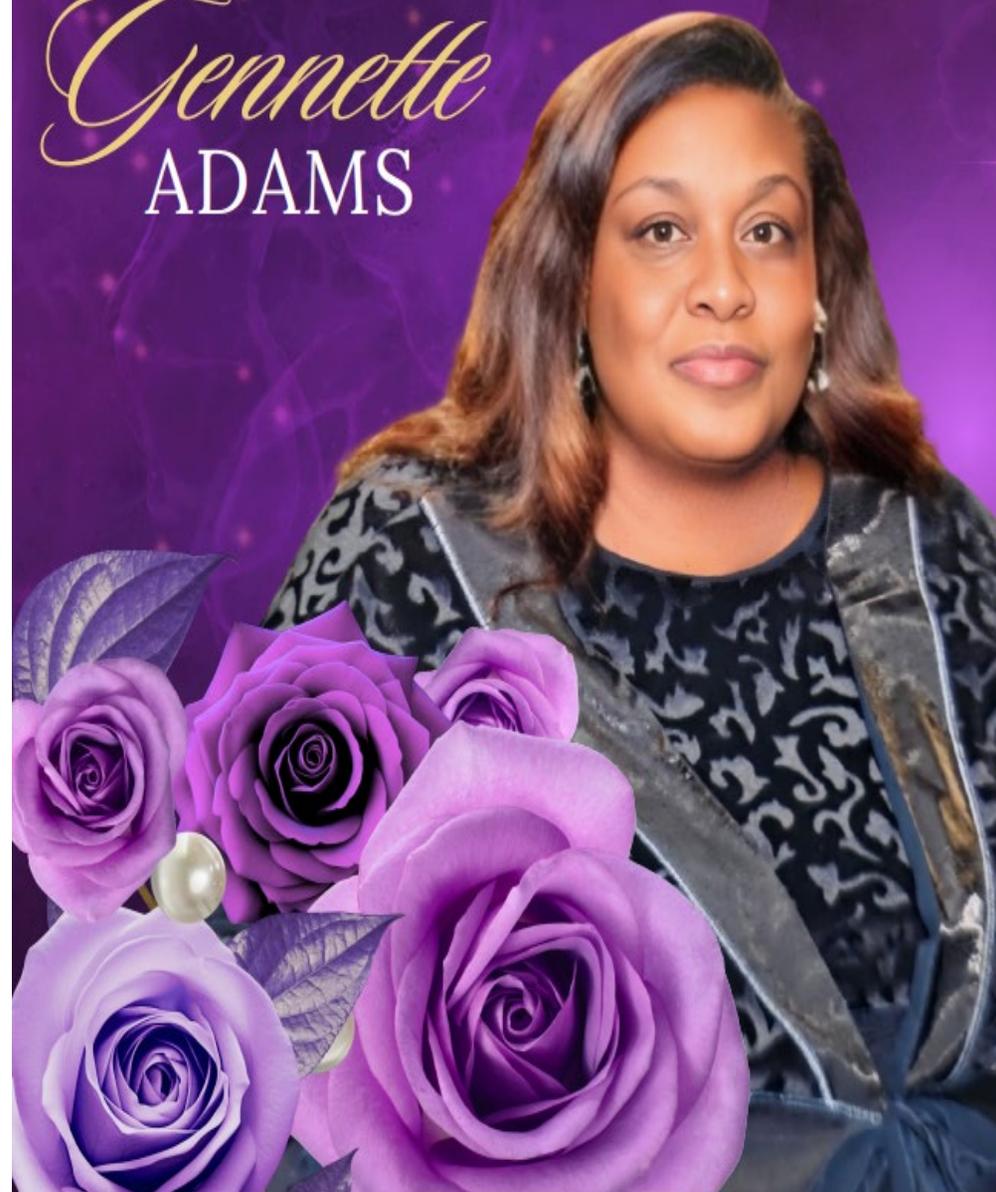
Professional Services Entrusted To

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ALWAYS REMEMBERED

IN LOVING *Memory*

Gennette
ADAMS



AUGUST 6, 1960 - OCTOBER 26, 2025

Celebrating THE LIFE & LEGACY

Gennette was a bright and beautiful soul who was born on August 6, 1960 in Yazoo City, Mississippi. A vibrant and loving daughter, to the late Mary Virginia Spires-Braden and Thomas "Kid" Spencer. At two years old Gennette was raised by her sister and brother in Law Pearlie Mae Cleveland and Jeff Slater.

At an early age, Gennette accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior and became a member of St. Paul C.M.E. Church. Later in life, she joined Word of Truth Temple of Jesus Christ, where she continued to grow in her faith and became the Church's Mother under the Guidance of Pastors Thomas and Kimberly Bulter. She also served as a Prayer Team Vice President, Member of Missionary and Mother board. As well as an ordained licensed Evangelist.

Gennette received her education at Gibbs Elementary and Benton High School. She later attended Alcorn State University and began her professional career at Yazoo Industries. She furthered her studies by receiving an associates degree in early childhood education and started working at United Children and Family, Mt Zion in Detroit MI. There she was known for her dedication and strong work ethic.

Gennette married Roger Adams on August 6, 1996, and was the proud mother to Tiara (Ben) Eason, TocQuanna, Geneva, Satin Johnson-Adams, Frederick Culver-Adams, and Tyron Lewis-Adams. She was a loving grandmother to her 24 grandchildren.

She was a cherished sister to her five brothers: Richard Spencer, Hubert (Earnestine) Spires, Rickey (Kim) Spires, Perry Harrington and Anthony Terrell (LaTasha) Ingram. As well as her seven sisters: Pearlie Cleveland (Mother/Sister), Martha Coats, Patricia Braden, Mary (Charles) Perry, Joann Harrington, Nadine Tate, Virginia (Kevin) McDuffie, and Connie (Craig) Penley. She leaves to cherish Barbara Nell Herrion, Sylvia Vaughan, and Kimberly Bulter, who will forever treasure her memory and the love she shared with each of them. Gennette loved and valued all her family to include a host of nieces, nephews, extended family. Gennette was an unforgettable spirit whose light shined brightly in every room she entered. She was a mother to the motherless and friend to the friendless.

She was preceded in death by her sisters: Arlena Berry, Ella Holmes, and Annie Lee Coleman; and her brothers: Albert Hobbs, Roosevelt Hobbs, Robert Braden, Herbert Spires, Thomas Spencer, David Spencer, Willie Spencer, Calvin Spencer, Robert Spencer, and Herman Spencer.

She was deeply committed to her faith and her intercessory community. She prayed every week day for 24 years on the GWAP prayerline under Pastor Francietta Dennis and ministered every Saturday on The Will of God's Go To Meeting International Prayer Ministry under the leadership of Pastor Elijah Thompson for 18 years. She Co Hosted ministry Retreats, authoring unpublished books.

We'll miss her infectious smile, warm spirit and unwavering kindness. Gennette touched the lives of everyone she met. Her legacy of love, compassion, and faith will continue to inspire all who knew her. Rest in peace, Your radiance and love will forever echo in our hearts.



Honorary Pallbearers

Frederick Adams
Hubert Spires
Ricky Spires
Perry Harrington
Richard Spencer
Anthony Terrell Ingram
Kevin McDuffie

Active Pallbearers

Tyron Adams	Noah Berry
Amare Shufford	Kerry Blanche
Anthony Terrell Ingram	Olondo Brown
Timmie Spencer	Shelby Merritt
David Hogan	Day'Shaun' Luckett
Christphor Ayer	Deiondre Herron



ORDER OF *Service*

Saturday, November 8, 2025
 St. Paul C.M.E. Church Cemetery
 9534 Highway 433 W.
 Bentonia, MS 39040

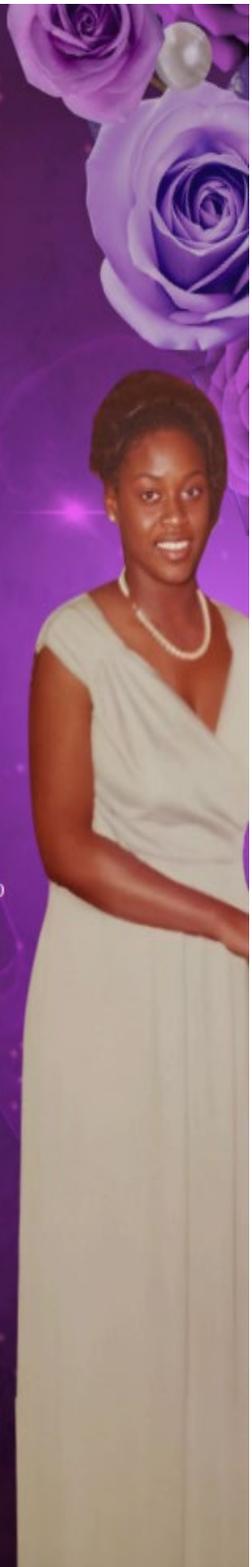
PROGRAM GUIDE	Dorothy Jones
PROCESSIONAL	Clergy and Family
OPENING PRAYER	Elder Kevin McDuffie
SCRIPTURE READING	
Old Testament	Pastor Benjamin Wallace
New Testament.....	Pastor Benjamin Wallace
Musical Selection	Choir
~REFLECTIONS~	Friends and Family
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS	Evangelist Debra Smith
MUSICAL SELECTION	Pastor Kimberly Butler
OBITUARY	Read Silently Soft Music Solo
EULOGY	Earnestine Spires
~SHAFFER-COLLINS FUNERAL HOME IN CHARGE~	
RECESSIONAL	Clergy, Family and Friends

Interment & Repast

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Flower Bearers

Friends & Ushers



Tributes



PASTOR KIMBERLY BUTLER

We honor Gennette, a beautiful soul whose light shone brightly in the lives of all who knew her. Her kindness and love will forever remain in our hearts. I'll miss you my friend. Take your rest! Pastor of Word of Truth Temple of Jesus Christ.



BARBARA NELL HERRION

We may not share a name, or blood. That matters not to me. I could not love you anymore if you were family. It brought me joy that we could talk for hours upon end. We've a beautiful connection I'm blessed to call you friend. So no, we are not family But still, you make me whole. I'm Thankful we will always be True sisters of the soul.



PASTOR ELIJAH THOMPSON

Endless friend with the Endless Love and I'm glad to have been apart of her kingdom journey. Pastor of The Will of God's Go To Meeting International Prayer Ministry.



PASTOR FRANCIETTA DENNIS

IN LOVING MEMORY OF MY SPIRITUAL DAUGHTER Gennette ADAMS. I have been given many gifts in life some great and some small. To have you as a Spiritual Daughter has been the greatest gift of all. When I Think of you I have to shed a tear. My heart is broken and torn because you are no longer here. Thank you for all the work you did with your beautiful soul. Your love I will always cherish and always hold. Now you have your heavenly wings. The angels are rejoicing and they love to sing. Welcome Gennette to Feast with the King. We all rejoice for the joy you were allowed to bring. I love you my child and I can't explain the hurt and lost I feel, along with the pain. Good bye my love I'll meet you on the Heavenly plane. Good night my Love. Mother Fran and G.W.A.P. PRAYERLINE MINISTRY.

FOREVER IN OUR *Hearts*

Though you've left us, you're not gone,
Your smile and spirit still live on,
In every hug, in every laugh,
You've left your mark on everyone's path.

The joy we've shared, the love we knew,
will stay within us, this is true.
Though our hearts may feel pain and sorrow,
We will remember you in every tomorrow.

You'll be singing in the sunshine, wild and free,
And in every rainbow, there you'll be.

So fly high, sweet soul,
Into the light that makes you whole,
At peace for all eternity,
For in our hearts, you'll always be.

