



Mrs. Esther S. Lindsey-Lee

May 1, 1929 - January 25, 2021

Truly my soul waiteth upon God: from Him cometh my Salvation.....
Psalm 61:1

On Monday, January 25, 2021, Esther Scott Lindsey-Lee went home to be with the Lord. She was the youngest daughter born to the late Deacon William H. and Ethel G. Scott. Esther was born May 1, 1929 in Petersburg, Virginia.

Esther was educated in Petersburg Public Schools, Petersburg, VA, graduating in 1945 from Peabody High School. She then attended Virginia State College for two years which perpetuated her love and dedication in education. She provided twenty-one years of service as a Paraprofessional in the academic area of Developmental Reading to children in the Petersburg Public School System. She retired in 1989.

Esther began her Christian journey as a toddler at Zion Baptist Church and was baptized in 1939. For a brief time, she worshipped at the Church of Christ with her husband, John J. Lindsey, but later returned to Zion Baptist Church. She was an active and faithful member of the Ladies Bible Class, Bible School, the Fellowshipers (Choir), Wellness Ministry, Nursing Home Ministry, and the Missionary Association. She credited her passion for the Missionary Ministry to her delegate opportunities at Carey Convention as a teenager and to her love for the dedication and hard work of the founding Matriarchs of

Zion's Missionary Programs.

Never one to seek attention to herself, Esther was recognized and respected for her zeal and integrity in attaining Zion's mission goals. It was her joy to participate, learn and grow on the local and state levels in the Women's Division of the Baptist General Association.

Esther was married to the late George L. Lee on December 6, 1993. Fondly regarding each other with loving admiration and dedication, their love for music was reflected in their Christian walk. Esther loved to read and sing. She especially enjoyed reciting poetry. She was very creative and enjoyed making crafts, sewing and working puzzles. Her sweet disposition and willingness to help others revealed her gentle nature and concern for others. Whether in the classroom, home, church or community, her desire to be genuinely kind to others was always of greatest importance.

Along with her parents, Esther was preceded in death by her brother, William H. Scott, Jr. and her brother-in-law, Burton Hayes, Jr.

Left to cherish her memory and celebrate her life are three sons, William Gresham of Norristown, PA, Reginald Lindsey of Bronx, NY and Phillip Lindsey of Petersburg, VA; four daughters, Johnnye Evans (Fred, Sr.) of Fort Washington, MD, Gwendolyn Parrish of Chesterfield, VA, Gayle Hill of Chester, VA and Debra Roache' (Calvin) of Petersburg, VA; a sister, Mildred S. Hayes of Ettrick, VA; four step-children; two sisters-in-law; twelve grandchildren, twenty great-grandchildren; two nephews, five great-nephews and two great-nieces; a host of cousins, other relatives and devoted friends.

A private interment will be held at Wilkerson Memorial Cemetery, Petersburg, VA.

Cemetery Details

Wilkerson Memorial Cemetery (Crater Rd)

611 S. Crater Road
Petersburg, VA 23803

Tribute Wall

GE

“ So Sorry to hear of the passing of my sweet Angel Mrs Esther Lindsey -Lee I will always remember your smile and sweet personality. Praying for all her children and family. We are praying with you and for you during this difficult time.



GermaineOliver - February 03, 2021 at 07:49 PM

MB

“ Sincere condolences to my classmate(1970) Johnnye & family...Rest in Peace Mrs. Lindsey-Lee!



Mrs. Yvonne Tucker Brown - February 03, 2021 at 06:00 PM

TJ

“ Mrs.Lindsey was the sweetest most kind and loving person,she treated me like family.GOD bless all her kids,know that me and my family are praying for you all,during this time of sorrow.Tony Jefferson.



tony jefferson - February 03, 2021 at 08:44 AM

RC

“ Memories of Mrs. Esther Lindsey-Lee will linger as a blessing to all who studied God's Word with her in ZBC's Ladies Bible Class. We extend heartfelt condolences to all of her family. May God's enduring love sustain you and give you peace during and beyond this most difficult time.



R. M. Hairston & the Ladies Bible Class - February 02, 2021 at 06:02 PM

RH

“ Heartfelt condolences to the Hayes, Lindsey, & Lee families in the transition of Mrs. Lindsey-Lee. May the enduring love of God comfort and sustain you and lead you into His peace beyond this difficult time.



Ruth M. Hairston - February 02, 2021 at 03:20 PM

WB

A longtime friend of the family and member of Zion Baptist Church Esther will be missed with her pleasant ways. Rest In Peace Esther.
Willis and Iris Brown

Willis and Iris Brown - February 03, 2021 at 03:45 PM

SH

“ I don't have the words to convey what I feel. She used to call me her daughter. This one really hurts. My condolences to you all. May God give you the strength to endure during this time!!!
Love you,
Nee-Nee

Stephanie Harvell - February 02, 2021 at 03:14 PM

SM

“ *Johnnie, Gail ,Gwen, Debbie, Philip and Bro, my heart was heavy to hear of the passing of your mother. May God continue to wrap his arms around you all .Ma Esther was such a beautiful soul.*

*Love
Sam and Sandra Mason*

Sandra Mason - January 31, 2021 at 01:59 PM

AJ

“ *Condolences and prayers to the Hayes, Lindsey and Lee family.*

The Pyer Family

Alice and Charles Pyer Jr - January 27, 2021 at 05:14 PM

WB

To The Hayes, Lindsey and Lee Families may God Bless you today and always.

Love Willis and Iris Brown

Willis and Iris Brown - January 28, 2021 at 09:32 PM

DP

When we joined Zion Baptist Church, Mrs. Lindsey-Lee welcomed us with open arms.

Our Sincere condolences to the family. May God give you strength during this difficult time.

The Piercy Family

Deacon Michael & Belinda Piercy - January 29, 2021 at 09:15 AM