

In the Loving Memory
of our Beloved Sister/Friend
Miss. Virginia Anne Berkley

Sunrise
June 9, 1952

Sunset
March 18, 2016



**In all thy ways acknowledge him,
and he shall direct thy paths.**
Proverbs 3:6

Friday, March 25, 2016
12:00 P.M.
Gravel Hill Baptist Church
357 Cutbanks Road
Pamplin, Virginia 23298
Reverend Thomas Tillerson, Pastor
Reverend James J. Miller, Eulogist
Deacon Perry Carrington, Musical Director

On Friday morning at 6:30 God called our Beloved Sister, Virginia Anne Berkley to her eternal heavenly home. She was born on June 9, 1952 to the late Floyd and Millie Virginia Woolridge Berkley in Pamplin, Virginia.

Virginia accepted Jesus as her Lord and Savior at an early age right here at the Gravel Hill Baptist Church under the direction of Dr. Reverend James Miller. She sang on our choir for many years. Virginia served as usher, presided over the Youth Ministry, served as Church Secretary at the Gravel Hill Baptist Church. She was an integral part of the kitchen staff. Anne was a Watch-Care member of the Race Street Baptist Church in Farmville, Virginia. Our sister worked tirelessly to bring comfort service to hurting, dying, and the disadvantaged in hospitals in the community. Virginia was Chaplain for Centra Health and was employed as a Tour Guide for the R.R. Moton Museum in Farmville. Our sister was a 1970 graduate of Appomattox County High School.

- **Virginia Anne Berkley was tapped and inducted into the Mozella J. Price Honor Society at Carver Price High School in 1969.**
- **In 1975, upon the explicit recommendation of the Late Mrs. Harriet Pierce James (Guidance Counselor), Virginia became the recipient of the prestigious Mozella Jordan Price Scholarship while matriculating at Saint Paul's College in Lawrenceville, Virginia.**
- **In 1976 Anne received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Political Science from Saint Paul's College, Lawrenceville, Virginia.**
- **Recently Virginia was attending Ashworth College located in North Cross, Georgia, striving to attain her Master of Business in Health Care Administration Degree.**
- **During the summer she attended Longwood University and was awarded Collegiate Professional Licensure Recertification.**

Our Sister's volunteer and Awards are numerous. We will name a few here.

Graduation from Leadership Farmville, Publicity Chair, Heart of Virginia Festival Board, Farmville, Virginia, Mentor Crossroads Community Services Board, Farmville, Virginia, Emergency Food Program, Farmville, Virginia, Mentor Resource Mother's Program, Farmville, Virginia, Ellisville State School, Ellisville, Mississippi Volunteer Counselor, Recognition Award for ten years' service to Crossroads Community Service Board, Elected Chaplain Prince Edward-Cumberland Chapter of Saint Paul's College Alumni.

The Berkley family will always hold the Special memories of our precious Anne in our hearts; Phyllis and Ronald Mills, Rosetta and Carl Brown, Carolyn and Floyd Berkley are so blessed to have shared the wonderful life of our precious beloved Sister Virginia Anne.

Her life was surrounded by a devoted niece, Tiffany Mills; two devoted nephews, Harvey Carter and Ron Petty (Kim); five great nieces, Emani and Nadiya Carter, Nia, Naserene, and Lamya Petty; one great nephew, Mubarak; devoted cousins, Colleen Booker, Sarah Frances Chambers, Irene Barksdale, Robert Scott, Frances Pankey Fields, William (Nellie Coles) and Beloved Uncle Jim Henry Berkley.

Special friends: Patsy Jones, Gladys and Bobby Garvin, Donna Barbour, Coardell Slayton, Edith Goodrich, Chaplain Willie Smith, Don Martin, Monroe Preston, Rosa Gibson, Mildred Hill, and Sam Mills (Margie) . Special Special Friend: David