

*Celebration of Life*

*For*

*Mrs. Alice W. Oliver*

June 29, 1935

February 1, 2015



February 7, 2015  
Service - 1:00 P.M.

Morning Star Baptist Church  
284 Raccoon Crossing Road  
Burkeville, Virginia 23922

Officiating Reverend Dr. William Hill, Pastor

*Obituary*

**"The Lord is my Shepherd I shall not want" Psalms 23**

**Alice W. Oliver**, daughter of the late Sophronia G. Sydnor and Alfred Williams was born June 29, 1935 in the Nottoway County Virginia. She was married to the late Deacon James W. Oliver of Burkeville, Virginia for 60 years and to this union seven children were born, three of whom preceded them in death, two at birth (Jimmy, 1 female unnamed) and Phyllis). She confessed Jesus Christ as her personal savior at an early age was baptized at Morning Star Baptist Church. She departed this life on February 1, 2015 at her home in Burkeville, Virginia. She was educated in the Nottoway County School System. She also received her General Education Diploma from the Vocational Education Center.

She was active in many capacities in Morning Star Baptist Church. She served as president of the Junior and Senior Choirs for many years and remained active in the Senior Choir until her death. She served as a Deaconess and a member of the Pastor's Aide. She also served as a Sunday School teacher for many years.

She was a former employee of Stackpole Components. She loved sewing and worked as a seamstress at the Dress Factory in Farmville where she retired after 30 years of employment. She was employed at Ingleside Elementary School (Burkeville Primary School), as a teacher's aide for many years. She also enjoyed working as a substitute teacher for the Crewe Primary Public School System.

She is preceded in death by her eldest daughter Phyllis, her husband James W. Oliver and her mother Sophronia (Willie) Sydnor and her father the late Alfred Williams. She is survived by one sister, Cora (Eddie) Sydnor, two sons, Jairus and Ambrose (Pastor Violet Oliver), two daughters, Dr. Vanessa Johnson and LaFaithia (Cassius), four granddaughters, Sheniqua, Sheigh, Quiana, Chantel and one grandson, James David (Lamoria) and a special son-in-law, Richard Carney. Four great-grandchildren, Savion, Xavier, Jaydon and Jahkye. Two sister's in-law, Clara and Isabelle, and a host of family members, cousins, friends and her pets, Dakota and Toby.