



CELEBRATING THE LIFE & LEGACY

Don't Cry For Me

Don't cry for me. I will be okay.
 Heaven is my home now, and this is where I belong.
 Don't cry for me. I'm where I belong.
 I want you to be happy and try to stay strong.
 Don't cry for me. It was just my time,
 but I will see you someday on the other side.
 Don't cry for me. I am not alone.
 The angels are with me to welcome me home.
 Don't cry for me, for I have no fear.
 All my pain is gone, and Jesus took my tears.
 Don't cry for me. This is not the end.
 I'll be waiting here for you when we meet again.

By Deborah Garcia Gaitan



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Electa Chapter #2 OES Kansas City, Kansas

Interment

Sunnylane Cemetery
4000 SE 29th Street
Del City, Oklahoma 73115

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LULA Belle ANDERSON

AUGUST 30, 1930 - APRIL 10, 2023

Tuesday, April 18, 2023 - 11:00 a.m.
Allen Chapel AME Church
1400 N.E. 13th St., Oklahoma City, OK 73117
Rev. Kenneth Sherrill, Sr. | Officiating

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional

Ministers, Funeral Directors, Family

Song of Celebration

Invocation

Scripture Reading

Old & New Testament
Rev. Lee E. Cooper, Jr.
Psalms 27, John 14

Resolutions & Acknowledgements

Words of Comfort

Rev. Kelvin Calloway
E. Carol Thompson
Rev. L. Fisher Hines

Music Ministry

Eulogy

Rev. Marcellus Fields

Recessional

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REFLECTION OF LIFE

A TIME TO BE BORN

Lula Belle Anderson was born August 30, 1930, to the late Andrew Wilkes and Pearl Edwards Wilkes in Bristow, Oklahoma. After birth, the family moved from Bristow, Ok. to Tulsa, Ok. Two more children were added to the family.

A brother, Jimmie Morrison and Sister T. Edwards who preceded her in death. After moving to Tulsa, Lula, her brother and adoptive sister Odevia were raised by their Aunt and Uncle Fannie and Isaac Morrison. While living in Tulsa, Lula united with Vernon A.M.E. Church and graduated from Booker T. Washington High School, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

I've had some good days; I've had some hills to climb. I've had some weary days, And lonely nights.

A TIME TO LIVE

After graduating high school, Lula attended Langston University and became a majorette with the marching band. She really enjoyed traveling with the band and showing off her majorette skills. On summer break, Lula went to visit her mother and stepfather Pearl and Johnnie Jackson in Kansas City, Kansas and liked it so much she decided to stay. After moving to Kansas City, Lula met and married Mr. Milton Anderson. To this union one daughter was born, Lisa. Lula was a 60+ member of Order of Eastern Star, Electa Chapter #2. She held several offices within the chapter and on the Grand level. In September of 1951, Lula united with Trinity A.M.E. Church under Rev. Leroy Hayes. Some of her church activities, ministries, and boards include Young Adult Choir, Sunday School teach, Senior Usher Board, Women's Day and Annual Conference Chairperson, Finance committee, Church Reception Coordinator, Steward, and Trustee.

*But when I look around And think things over,
All of my good days, Out weigh my bad days;
So, I won't complain.*

Lula accepted employment with the Internal Revenue Service working in Accounts Receivable, Entity Control and Unpostables. During her career she received several awards. After 27 1/2 years of service, Lula retired from the IRS and then accepted a position with the Kansas City, Kansas School District 500 as a Library Assistant where she worked for 10 years. She loved working with children.

*Sometimes my clouds hang low. I can hardly see the road.
I asked the question - Why so much pain?*

Lula loved working and traveling with the Women's Missionary Society. She held positions in the 5th District, Conference Branch, and in her local society. While working in these various positions, she received numerous awards for her hard work and dedication. Lula wanted to be closer to her daughter in the latter years of her life so in 2012 she moved to Oklahoma City and joined Allen Chapel A.M.E. Church and the missionary society. She worked with the Society until her health started to fail. Lula often mentioned how grateful she was for the church taking her in from the 1st Sunday she transferred her membership.

*But, He knows what's best for me. Though my weary eyes just can see.
So, I'll say "Thank You Lord" I won't complain.*

A TIME TO DIE

Lula lived her best life. She fought the good fight of faith enduring illnesses until the very end, but you would not have known it because she kept going in her spunky spry way...eating ginger snaps... thanks Edith Brown.

*God's been good to me! He's been so good to me!
More than this world could ever be! He's been good to me!*

A TIME TO MOURN

Lula Anderson leaves to cherish her memory a loving daughter Lisa (Paul) Webb of Oklahoma City, Ok; Goddaughters Annette (Kimm) Gaitan, Michelle Hayes both of Kansas City, Ks Artena Slaughter of OKC God grandchildren Nicholas (Kaila) Gaitain, Keara (Raymond) Okolo; nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews; a host of spiritual children and grandchildren. Sister-in-law Hazel Morrison of Tulsa, OK. Nieces Sharon Anderson, Margaret Morrison, nephew Michael Morrison of Tulsa, Ok, and Judy Troupe of Norman, OK

*He drives my tears away! Turns my midnights into day! So, I'll say,
"Thank You, Lord! Thank You, Lord! I won't Complain!"*

