



Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan

July 11, 1957 - July 3, 2021

***GALILEE BAPTIST CHURCH IS HOSTING A MEMORIAL SERVICE IN LOVING MEMORY FOR THE FAMILY OF ANNETTE LYNN BUCHANAN ON FRIDAY, JULY 9, 2021

***PUBLIC VISITATION & SERVICE TIMES ARE LISTED BELOW

*****PLEASE NOTE: MASKS ARE STILL REQUIRED WHEN ENTERING THE CHURCH. SOCIAL DISTANCING IS ALSO STILL REQUIRED*****

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The Obituary

Annette Lynn Buchanan, more affectionately known as Ann, passed away Saturday, July 3, 2021 at 2:48 p.m. with a smile on her face, surrounded by her husband, family and friends. Ann was born July 11, 1957 to the late Kallie D. Haley and Robert L. Haley Sr. in Kalamazoo, MI. Ann was the baby in the family but acted as the leader and glue that held the family together.

On April 22, 1978 Ann married the love of her life, David Glen Buchanan in Kalamazoo, MI. The two met when she walked down Ada St. with her daisy duke shorts, halter top and larger than life afro. Ann and Dave were married 43 years and they were the epitome of unconditional love. Ann worked for Kalamazoo Public Schools at Hillside Middle School for over 30 year; she touched the lives of so many young people.

She enjoyed singing in the choir, reading, shopping, traveling and spending quality “sister time.” Ann loved her family with every fiber of her being; from her biological siblings the Haley’s, to her siblings by marriage the Buchanan's. She opened her heart to her friends, nieces, nephews and her special “adopted children.”

She will be remembered with love by the nieces and nephews. She baked wedding cakes for each as they moved into adulthood. The cakes were her gift to the children she loved. Ann spent most of her time with her children and her "little angels," her grandchildren, whom she would do anything for.

Left to cherish the memory of Ann is her husband David Buchanan; her children: David (Toni) Smith and Kimberly Guess both of Kalamazoo,MI; and Anthony (Jonyelle) Buchanan of Mesquite, TX; Grandchildren, Jalen Smith, Taraji Leonard, Lavelle Guess II and Carter Buchanan; Siblings Barbara Haley, Patricia (James Cook) Brown, Mary (Carl) Roberts, Lonnie (Kathryn) Haley all of Kalamazoo, MI, Robert (Faye) Haley, Jr. of Olive Branch, MS and Larry (Patricia) Haley of Kalamazoo, MI; her siblings of the heart the Buchanan's; Alice Buchanan, Marie DaVall, Mittie DeVould, Ida Buchanan, J.L. (Terry) Buchanan, Brad (Peggie) Buchanan, Hal (Janet) Buchanan all of Kalamazoo, MI; Betty (Jackie) Owens of Okolona, MS; Special brother, George (Ramona) McMillion; Best friend, Rhonda (Sam) Little; Godchildren Daymeon, Romeo and Kareem Little all of Kalamazoo, MI. She also leaves to mourn a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, church family, friends and co-workers.

Ann was preceded in death by both of her parents; Robert and Kallie Haley, Grandmother Willie Hughes, Son-in-love, Lavelle Guess Sr.; Siblings of the heart, John Buchanan, James Buchanan and Willie Earl Buchanan.

Ann was a true gem and a gift from God. She was a survivor! She faced stage four breast cancer, fought congestive heart failure and four open heart surgeries. She faced life, repeating her battle cry, "God has not given me a spirit of fear..." 2 Timothy 1:7, while living with an LVAD machine and on dialysis for over six years. Ann loved everyone just as Christ loved her, her presence will truly be missed.

Previous Events

Visitation For Family & Friends

JUL 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

The Galilee Baptist Church
1216 North Westnedge Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI 49007

A Memorial Service In Loving Memory Of

JUL 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

The Galilee Baptist Church
1216 North Westnedge Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Harper Funeral Home - July 09, 2021 at 11:39 AM



“ Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ Deb Jamison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Deb Jamison - July 23, 2021 at 12:40 AM



“ Merry Sue Battles lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Merry Sue Battles - July 15, 2021 at 04:37 PM

DB

“ *Deanna (Dee) Borgais lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Deanna (Dee) Borgais - July 12, 2021 at 08:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan.*



July 11, 2021 at 01:25 PM

IR

“ *To The Buchanan-Haley Families:*

Our prayers, love and condolences are with you during this time of bereavement.

Frank and Ida Robinson



Ida Robinson - July 09, 2021 at 11:57 PM

NH

“ *Neal And Barb Higgins sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Neal and Barb Higgins - July 09, 2021 at 09:16 PM

SB

“ *My prayers are with you David Buchanan and the Haley families*



Scott Bundle - July 09, 2021 at 05:17 PM

JE

“ *Jacqueline Ezell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



jacqueline ezell - July 09, 2021 at 03:23 PM

DW

“ *Deacon Carl L And Florest Wilson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Deacon Carl L and Florest Wilson - July 09, 2021 at 01:56 PM

ML

“ *Ms Lula Ligon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Ms Lula Ligon - July 09, 2021 at 01:24 PM

SW

“ *Sue Warren lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Sue Warren - July 09, 2021 at 12:33 PM

AL

“ *Annie Ligon-Pearson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Annie Ligon-Pearson - July 09, 2021 at 11:41 AM

EH

“ Ed And Joan Harris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Ed and Joan Harris - July 09, 2021 at 10:54 AM

GR

“ Gloria Hughes Rhymes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Gloria Hughes Rhymes - July 09, 2021 at 10:30 AM

PJ

“ Paulette Julian lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Paulette Julian - July 09, 2021 at 09:15 AM

PF

“ Palm And Avery Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Palm and Avery Family - July 09, 2021 at 08:50 AM

SH

“ Sam Hughes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Sam Hughes - July 09, 2021 at 08:48 AM

NH

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Nikia, Ashton and Autumn Hall - July 09, 2021 at 08:09 AM

PG

“ *Pauline Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Pauline Gardner - July 09, 2021 at 08:00 AM

DV

“ *Condolences to the family. Sending love and prayers. Love Delores Vines (Green).*



Delores Vines - July 09, 2021 at 07:51 AM

DV

“ *Condolences to the family. Sending love and prayers. Love Delores Vines (Green).*



Delores Vines - July 09, 2021 at 07:45 AM

CP

“ *I read the news and my heart cried. You'll be missed. My Condolences to the Family.*

Chan M. Pratt Sr.



Chan M. Pratt - July 09, 2021 at 01:06 AM

ML

“ *Malinda Ligon-Whitley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Malinda Ligon-Whitley - July 09, 2021 at 12:05 AM

JH

“ *Jerry Harris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Jerry Harris - July 09, 2021 at 12:02 AM

RR

“ *We are honored and blessed to have known Sister Annette. She was truly a blessing in our lives and we will miss her dearly. Please accept our deepest condolences.*

Reverend Curtis L. and Reverend Dr. Pamela Robinson, Sr. and family

Rev Curtis L. /Rev Dr. Pamela Robinson - July 08, 2021 at 10:41 PM

GC

“ *Glenn And Mary Charles lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Glenn and Mary Charles - July 08, 2021 at 10:27 PM

MW

“ *Michael & Barbara Watson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Michael & Barbara Watson - July 08, 2021 at 09:40 PM

FF

“ Frank & Betty Ford lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Frank & Betty Ford - July 08, 2021 at 07:25 PM

SW

“ Sonia Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Sonia Wilkerson - July 08, 2021 at 07:07 PM

VB

“ Viola Bentley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Viola Bentley - July 08, 2021 at 06:52 PM

RF

“ Royetta Fry-Walker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Royetta Fry-Walker - July 08, 2021 at 06:52 PM

LS

“ Lola Streeter lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



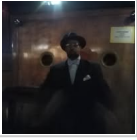
lola streeter - July 08, 2021 at 05:47 PM

EG

“ *Edith Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Edith Gardner - July 08, 2021 at 03:32 PM



“ *JoAnne & Renaford Owens Jr. send our condolences to the family of Mrs, Annette Buchanan.*



Renaford Owens Jr. - July 08, 2021 at 03:19 PM

KJ

“ *We offer our Love and Prayers during this time to the family of Mrs. Buchanan. Whether it was at a KCentral game or out and about I could always spot her radiant smile. She will truly be missed. Rest in the arms of the Lord. With Love, Ken & Brittany Jackson and family.*

Ken & Brittany Jackson - July 08, 2021 at 02:09 PM

TF

“ *Sending Our Love And Prayers for each of you during this not so easy time. Cousin Ann was truly a Sweet and Precious Woman, I remember finding out that we were connected through our Buchanan side at Hillside. She would get us straight if we stepped out of line and she did it with Love, Grace and that Beautifull Smile. May God Comfort Your Hearts and Surround You With Love as The Days Go By. Love, Tisa, Robin, Preston, Marcus and the Franklin- Wiley Family!*

Tisa Franklin - July 08, 2021 at 01:06 PM

DF

“ *Dancer Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Dancer Family - July 08, 2021 at 01:05 PM

SF

“ Sincerely: Scott Kenyon and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan.



Sincerely: Scott Kenyon and Family - July 08, 2021 at 10:51 AM

PF

“ Patterson Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Patterson Family - July 08, 2021 at 10:34 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan.



July 08, 2021 at 09:54 AM

L(

“ Love Sue (Maurice) and Terri (DeOndre) purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan.



Love Sue (Maurice) and Terri (DeOndre) - July 08, 2021 at 08:57 AM

MV

“ Ms. Varnesdeel lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Ms. Varnesdeel - July 08, 2021 at 08:43 AM

JM

“ Joyce McDowell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Joyce McDowell - July 08, 2021 at 01:24 AM

MM

“ Mozella Mosley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Mozella Mosley - July 08, 2021 at 12:27 AM



“ Sherry Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Sherry Anderson - July 07, 2021 at 11:33 PM

RL

“ Ramona Lumpkin sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Ramona Lumpkin - July 07, 2021 at 11:17 PM

SG

“ Shirley Gordon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Shirley Gordon - July 07, 2021 at 10:52 PM

RF

“ Royetta Fry-Walker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Royetta Fry-Walker - July 07, 2021 at 09:22 PM

MF

“ Modean Reeves And Jerry Tubbs And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Modean Reeves and Jerry Tubbs and family - July 07, 2021 at 09:14 PM

EJ

“ Ethel Jones-Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Ethel Jones-Smith - July 07, 2021 at 08:57 PM

DW

“ Rest In Peace Ann you will be truly missed

Doris Abbott and Mother walker - July 07, 2021 at 08:39 PM

JP

“ Praying for the Haley/ Buchanan family.



James & Barbara Phillips - July 07, 2021 at 07:15 PM

EH

“ *Elmira Hughes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Elmira Hughes - July 07, 2021 at 07:09 PM

NJ

“ *Naomi Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Naomi Jones - July 07, 2021 at 07:09 PM

SH

“ *Sandra Hines lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Sandra Hines - July 07, 2021 at 06:38 PM

JG

“ *Janet Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Janet Gardner - July 07, 2021 at 05:59 PM

DF

“ *Dallas Boards And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Dallas Boards and family - July 07, 2021 at 05:35 PM

GG

“ *Guenetta Gordon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Guenetta Gordon - July 07, 2021 at 03:11 PM

TP

“ *Heartfelt sympathy and love to the family.*



Theresa L Powell - July 07, 2021 at 03:00 PM

AT

“ *My condolences to her family*



Alice Taylor - July 07, 2021 at 02:59 PM

HS

“ *Hilda Bradford Snell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Hilda Bradford Snell - July 07, 2021 at 02:19 PM

KD

“ *Kevin Dunigan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Kevin Dunigan - July 07, 2021 at 01:35 PM

KA

“ I've been knowing you all my life such a sweet lady I'm Praying for your family



Kimyatta Armstrong - July 07, 2021 at 12:38 PM

YF

“ Your Amino Transport family purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan.



Your Amino Transport family - July 07, 2021 at 12:28 PM

RW

“ RJ & Anita Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



RJ & Anita Wilkerson - July 07, 2021 at 11:39 AM

AT

“ Thank you for all the personal inspirational words throughout the years! Rest easy Ms. Ann! Job well done on earth!



Angela Buchanan Tabron - July 07, 2021 at 11:31 AM

HW

“ Helen Word lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Helen Word - July 07, 2021 at 11:20 AM

BR

“ Bernadette And Eddie Reid lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Bernadette and Eddie Reid - July 07, 2021 at 11:06 AM

DK

“ Ann Buchanan touched my life in a very special way. Her strength, inner beauty, prayers, and love for God inspired and encouraged me in some of my darkest times. She seemed to cross my path when I needed a little extra light and love. She always kept it real. It was uncanny but we both knew it was God. I will miss her so much but will keep her very close to heart. Our prayers go out to the family and all of the people that loved her.



Doug and Sharon Kingston - July 07, 2021 at 11:05 AM

HM

“ Helen Mills-Brooks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Helen Mills-Brooks - July 07, 2021 at 10:48 AM

KW

“ Karlie Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Karlie Williams - July 07, 2021 at 10:42 AM

KG

“ Karen Gray sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Karen Gray - July 07, 2021 at 10:04 AM

TF

“ *The Daniel Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



The Daniel Family - July 07, 2021 at 09:59 AM

DB

“ *Dallas Blocker& Jeffra Bell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Dallas Blocker& Jeffra Bell - July 07, 2021 at 09:41 AM

SW

“ *Selena Walker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Selena Walker - July 07, 2021 at 09:27 AM

JL

“ *Jackie Little sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Jackie Little - July 07, 2021 at 09:08 AM

BE

“ *Brenda & Malcolm Earhart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Brenda & Malcolm Earhart - July 07, 2021 at 08:48 AM

JD

“ Jack Dunigan sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Jack Dunigan - July 07, 2021 at 08:43 AM

JD

“ Jack Dunigan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Jack Dunigan - July 07, 2021 at 08:43 AM

SB

“ Thank you for being an awesome Grandma to Jalen. We will miss you!

Love,
Shannon



Shannon Beville - July 07, 2021 at 08:25 AM

LC

“ Lillie Cotton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Lillie Cotton - July 07, 2021 at 08:11 AM

LJ

“ Laverne Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan



Laverne Jones - July 07, 2021 at 07:32 AM

GN

“ *My Condolences to the family.*

*Gladys Neal
Summerville SC 29486*

Gladys Neal - July 07, 2021 at 07:26 AM

EW

“ *John 11:25-26*

Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?”



ELDORA WILLIAMS - July 07, 2021 at 06:29 AM

CF

“ *Charleston Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Charleston Family - July 07, 2021 at 02:25 AM

WA

“ *You are in our prayers*

The Walker Family



Walker's - July 06, 2021 at 11:37 PM

CS

“ *Cynthia Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Annette Lynn Buchanan*



Cynthia Smith - July 06, 2021 at 10:40 PM

GS

“ I'm so grateful to God for blessing me to know you to sing with you and to work with you in the culinary ministry just to be in your present was a blessing this one is a hard to believe that you're gone. You will truly be missed. Rest



Gwen and Anthony Smith - July 06, 2021 at 10:23 PM