



*Flower Attendants*  
Granddaughters

*Pall Bearers*  
Grandsons and Nephew

*Acknowledgement*

In times like these, it is a source of great comfort to have friends who care. Your many expressions of kindness, concern and helpfulness have done much to sustain us. For these good deeds, please accept our sincere thanks and appreciation. May God's Blessings abound with you always.



Please be advised that the Greenville County Sheriff's Department and the City of Greenville Police Department no longer provide escort services for funeral processions. Therefore, all drivers should obey traffic signals. Persons who are not riding in the funeral home limousines should meet the family at the cemetery.



*Homegoing Service*  
*for*



*Mrs. Ruby G. Gray*

**Sunday, May 20, 2018 - 12:00pm**  
**Watkins, Garrett & Woods Mortuary**  
**1011 Augusta Street**  
**Greenville, South Carolina 29605**



## *Order of Service*

*Minister Paskell Arnold, Officiating*  
Kingdom Life Church, Simpsonville, SC

Prelude

Processional.....Clergy, Family and Friends

Selection.....Betty McGowan

Scripture Reading.....Min. Paskell Arnold

Prayer.....Andrew Riley

Open Remarks (Please limit to 2 minutes.)

Selection.....Chasta Posey

Words of Comfort.....Min. Paskell Arnold

Closing Prayer.....Min. Arnold

Recessional

## *Interment*

*Committal / Prayer / Benediction*

Resthaven Memorial Gardens  
1655 Piedmont Highway  
Piedmont, South Carolina 29673

## *Obituary*

Mrs. Ruby Geneva “Big Granny” Gray, 82, of Greenville, South Carolina, departed this life on Wednesday, May 16, 2018, at her home. She was the daughter of the late L.T. Austin and Vercena Robinson Austin. She was a member of the Shady Oak Baptist Church in Greenville.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a daughter, Vivian Gray; a son, MSGT. Luther E. Gray, Jr.; a grandson, Antonio “TJ” Holliday; a sister, Shirley Austin; three brothers, Roy Lee Austin, Ulysses Austin and John “Jake” Austin; a daughter-in-law, Brenda Gray; and a special sister-in-law, Agnes Austin.

Left to cherish many fond and loving memories are three daughters, Denise Holliday (Al Washington), Cheryl (David) Lewis and Jan (Michael) Lane, all of Greenville; two sons, Larry Gray and Michael Gray, both of Cincinnati, OH; a godson raised in the home, Donnie (Sharon) White of Mt. Pleasant, TN; one brother, Victor “Pete” (Carol) Austin of Mauldin, thirteen grandchildren; thirty great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; a sister-in-law, Joyce Austin of Cincinnati, OH; a brother-in-law, Silas (Willie Ree) Gray of Greenville; dear friends, Beatrice Moore, Nettie Chapman and J.C. Martin; and a host of other relatives and friends.

## *The Clock of Life*

The clock of life is wound but once,  
And no man has the power  
To tell just when the hands will stop  
At late or early hour.

To lose one's wealth is sad indeed,  
To lose one's health is more,  
To lose one's soul is such a loss  
That no man can restore.

The present only is our own,  
So live, love, toil with a will,  
Place no faith in "Tomorrow,"  
For the Clock may then be still.

By Robert H. Smith

