

Angeline Wilson

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Of all beautiful things in life, the most beautiful is character. She who possesses a beautiful life is the fruit of a beautiful character; she whom we memorialize here at this time possessed a beautiful character and lived a beautiful life. On May 10, 2013, at 1:39 a.m., she died a beautiful death.

Sis. Angeline T. Wilson was born on Sept. 21, 1921, to the late Millie Bryant Thorpe and Charles Thorpe Sr. in the Cannon Bluff Community in McIntosh County. Her family moved to Glynn County when she was a child.

She was baptized by Elder Bess in the Holiness Church on Gloucester Street in Brunswick, Ga. Following her marriage, she moved her membership to First African Baptist Church, St. Simons Island, Ga. She married Maurice T. Wilson Sr., and to this union four children were born.

She was very active in church work. Some of her religious affiliations were Usher Board No. 1, Willing Workers Club, and Educational Hymnal and Gospel Chorus. Sis. Wilson was a past Worthy Matron and Charter Member of Progressive Chapter No. 139 Order of the Eastern Star (PHA), St. Simons Island, Ga. For many years she volunteered on a regular basis to clean the church, assisted in the kitchen for fellowship dinners, and prepared dinner for the Rev. and Sis. Hill on second and fourth Sundays.

She was a wonderful cook and baker. She loved to fish, crab, work puzzles and travel.

Left to cherish her memories: husband, Maurice T. Wilson Sr.; four children, Abraham L. (Alma) Wilson of Riceboro, Ga., Judith A. (Benjamin) Stevens of St. Simons Island, Ga, Maurice T. (Stella) Wilson Jr. of St. Simons Island, Ga., and Oscar J. (Gloria) Wilson of Brunswick, Ga.; two brothers, Willie J. Thorpe Sr. of Cannon Bluff, Ga. and Charles (Jeanette) Thorpe of West Point, Va.; ten grandchildren, Maureen L. (Alan) Ramsey of Brunswick, Ga; Benita (Clarence) Fears of Jacksonville, Fla., Maurice T. (Samantha) Wilson III of Aurora, Colo., Sheryl Wilson (Nathaniel) of Riverdale, Ga., Briyanna G. Davis of St. Simons Island, Ga., Janice (Henry) Harrell of Atlanta, Ga., Sabrina Williams of Brunswick, Ga., Lelon (Deborah) Fraizer of Riceboro, Ga.; Michael (Dera) Fraizer of Riceboro, Ga., and Barbara (Rodney) Ridley; eleven great-grandchildren, Victoria A. Matthews of St. Simons Island, Ga., Joseph J. Stevens of Brunswick, Ga., Dion J. Johnson of Jacksonville, Fla., DaNicia A. Lemon of Brunswick, Ga., Carnell D. Grissom of Aurora, Colo., Maurkel T. Wilson of Riverdale, Ga., Kim-Elice L. Wilson of Riverdale, Ga., Brandon C. Wilson of Aurora, Colo., Ashley Pitts of Brunswick, Ga., Brya Scott of Brunswick, Ga., Tia Scott of Brunswick, Ga. and Jallure Harrell of Atlanta, Ga.; one great-great-grandson; an adopted daughter, Georgia Golden; two god daughters, Jacqueline Ramsey and Delores Ann; and a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Funeral service will be held Tuesday, May 14, 2013, at 11 a.m. at First African Baptist Church, 5800 Frederica Road, St. Simons Island, Ga., with interment in Gould cemetery. The family will receive friends Monday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. at Brunswick Funeral Home.

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