



The Frog

by William Henry Dawson

Have you ever wished when fretting
 'Bout the chilly air of spring,
 When the days are longer getting
 And the frogs begin to sing,
 Have you ever wished that you could
 Just change places with the frog—
 Let him shoulder all your trouble
 And then leave you on the log,
 In the middle of the mill-pond,
 Nothing in the world to do?
 Have you wished you could change places,
 You be frog and frog be you?
 He don't fret 'bout rainy weather;
 If the sun shines he don't cry;
 He just takes it all together;
 Happy wet and happy dry.

Acknowledgements

Our family may be small, but we are united in our grief and the enduring love we carry for Kay. We are incredibly grateful for the support and condolences from friends and family during this difficult time.

The Family

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*Honoring
her
Spirit*



Ms. Velda "Kay" Judderon



Sunday, August 18, 2024
 2:00 PM

Clark S. Brown & Sons Funeral Home
 727 North Patterson Avenue
 Winston-Salem, North Carolina



Obituary

Velda "Kay" Gidderon, a beloved mother, grandmother, sister, and friend. Kay peacefully transitioned from this world, surrounded by her loving family, leaving behind a legacy filled with love, strength, and warmth.

Born in Winston-Salem, NC, Kay was the cherished daughter of the late Mary Williams and a loving sister to the late Siddona and Cherish. She is survived by her brother, Penn "Chubby" Johnakin. Kay was a devoted mother to Zuleika and Carl, a nurturing grandmother to Zayauna and Zarayah, and a treasured aunt to her nieces and nephews, including Kisha, Velda, Tanya, Latoya, and her nephews Penn "PJ," Brydon, and Kinston. She was also a beloved niece to Aunt Margerie.

Kay dedicated over 30 years of her life working for various contract companies in the R.J. Reynolds Building, where she made lasting friendships and contributed greatly to her community. Outside of her professional life, she had a passion for cooking, sewing, crocheting, and her love for frogs, which brought her joy and inspired her creativity.

A pillar of strength and compassion, Kay was deeply loved by her devoted friends Jackie, Portia, Avis, and Alice. Her vibrant personality and infectious laughter will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you honor Kay's memory by cherishing your loved ones and spreading kindness to others, just as she did throughout her life.

Remembering Kay



The Gathering Family and Friends

Family Visitation
1:30 PM ~ 2:00 PM

Selection
"My Life Is In Your Hands" *
~ Kirk Franklin

Video Presentation

Selections
"I Won't Complain" *
~ Rev. Paul Jones

"Lord of All" *
~Kelly Price

"He Has His Hands on You" *
~ Marvin Sapp

* Recorded Music

With Love Always



Afterglow

by Helen Lowrie Marshall

"I'd like the memory of me
to be a happy one.

I'd like to leave an afterglow
of smiles when life is done.

I'd like to leave an echo
whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times
and bright and sunny days.

I'd like the tears of those who grieve,
to dry before the sun
of happy memories
that I leave when life is done."

