

Service of Thanksgiving for the Life of



Lindy Virginia Bodden

11th September, 1930 – 16th June, 2021

Cotton Tree Bay Church of God Chapel  
Cotton Tree Bay, Cayman Brac

Sunday, 27th June, 2021  
2:30pm

Officiating Ministers:  
Pastor Audley U. Scott JP  
Pastor Thomas French  
Pastor Khan

Pianist: Ms. Rose Branch

Memorial Book Attendants:

Usherettes:  
Mrs. Theresa Ryan-Scott  
Mrs. Nola Bodden

Ms. Sandra Tibbetts  
Ms. Annie Rose Scott

Interment will follow at the West End Cemetery

## Order of Service

Musical Prelude ..... Ms. Rose Branch  
Opening Remarks & Prayer ..... Pastor Audley U. Scott JP  
Hymn "What a Friend We Have In Jesus" ..... Congregation  
Scripture Reading "Psalms 23" ..... Pastor Khan  
Tributes:  
Children ..... Hon. Julianna O'Connor-Connolly JP  
Song "I Want To Stroll Over Heaven With You" ..... (pre-recorded)  
Grandchildren..... Hon. Moses Kirkconnell JP  
Great Grandchildren..... Hon. Moses Kirkconnell JP  
Tribute in Song from Grandchildren ..... (pre-recorded)  
Song ..."The Haven of Rest" ..... Mr. Kevin Roberts  
Obituary ..... Mr. Bentley L. (Mark) Tibbetts JP  
Song "Life's Railway To Heaven" ..... Pastor Thomas French  
Special Prayer for Family ..... Pastor Khan  
Sermon ..... Pastor Thomas French  
Closing Hymn "When We All Get to Heaven" ..... Congregation

### Pallbearers

Mr. Devin Tatum (grandson)  
Mr. Marlon McLean  
Mr. Peter Powell

Mr. Eric Bodden (grandson)  
Mr. Brandon McLean  
Mr. Clem Scott

### Family/Close Friends

Mrs. Verna Banks  
Ms. Ellie Bodden  
Ms. Rhodell Scott  
Ms. Cecile Parchman  
Ms. Marita Parchman  
Miss Doreen Medley  
Miss Isolina Aguirre

Ms. Evadne Banks  
Mrs. Isabel Banks  
Ms. Edith Ebanks  
Mrs. Garlin Foster  
Mrs. Janice McLean  
Mrs. Sadie Dilbert  
Ms. Mexi Grant

Ms. Caroline Sue Ryan  
Ms. Cherry Watt  
Mrs. Norma Scott  
Miss Dianne Tatum  
Ms. Albertha Hurlstone  
Miss Annette Mckenzie  
Miss Amanda Posadas





## Service Hymns

### What A Friend We Have In Jesus

What a friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!  
Oh, what peace we often forfeit, Oh, what needless pain we bear,  
All because we do not carry everything to God in prayer.

Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged; Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Can we find a friend so faithful, Who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our every weakness; Take it to the Lord in prayer!

Are we weak and heavy laden, cumbered with a load of care?  
Precious Savior, still our refuge, take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
In his arms he'll take and shield thee, Thou wilt find a solace there.

### When We All Get To Heaven

Sing the wondrous love of Jesus, Sing His mercy and His grace  
In the mansions bright and blessed, He'll prepare for us a place.

Refrain: When we all get to Heaven, What a day of rejoicing that will be  
When we all see Jesus, We'll sing and shout the victory!

While we walk the pilgrim pathway, clouds will over-spread the sky  
But when traveling days are over, not a shadow, not a sigh.

Let us then be true and faithful, trusting, serving every day  
Just one glimpse of Him in glory, will the toils of life repay.

Onward to the prize before us! Soon His beauty we'll behold;  
Soon the pearly gates will open; We shall tread the streets of gold.



## OBITUARY

Mrs. Lindy Virginia Bodden, was the youngest of ten siblings born to the union of Mr. Edmund Bodden & Mrs. Francis Bodden nee Ebanks on September 11, 1930. She was raised in The Point on the West End of Cayman Brac and attended school under the teaching of Educator, James A. Ryan, JP.

Lindy married her sweetheart, Aldrid Sheldon Bodden on December 20, 1952, and to that union, between the years of 1955 and 1964, were born three lovely daughters. She was blessed with three grandchildren (one by each child) and seven great-grandchildren which brought tremendous joy to her life and whom she gave affectionate care. She truly loved her family unconditionally and cared for them in a way that will never be unsung. That unconditional love was mutual.

Prior to her husband's passing on 20th October, 2018, they celebrated their 65th Anniversary – a true testimony of love, loyalty, dedication and care to say the least for each other and the children.

Lindy was raised on Christian values instilled by parents and mimicked the same whilst raising her girls. She gave her heart to the Lord and was baptized at a young tender age and displayed strong Faith in God as she went about her day to day life. Lindy attended Cotton Tree Bay Church of God from childhood days until her mobility was impaired by arthritis a few years back and she no longer was able to mobilize herself independently.

During Lindy's youth, she gladly assisted her sister Helena Scott in caring for her four sons, whom regarded Lindy as their special Aunt. Then later on in Lindy's young adult years & prior to parenthood, she worked as a store clerk for Hanson B. B. Grant's Dept. store.

Once parenthood became a reality, Lindy was a homemaker, like most women of that era. Lindy devoted her time caring for her three precious daughters, while her husband Sheldon sacrificed being at home; working as a seaman, allowing for better family provision. Lindy also having an ambitious nature, worked hard & long hours to assist in providing for the family. When Lindy's children reached an age of independence, she landed a job as a store clerk with Kirkconnell Ltd., where she remained for over a decade, until her precious grandson, Eric was born in 1989. She then felt obligated to retire and assist in caring for Eric.

Lindy and her siblings shared mutual love for each other, even though some of her eldest siblings were married prior to Lindy's birth. Unlike many, Lindy had the opportunity of growing up and attending school with two of her nephews, one a few years older than her and one a few years younger.

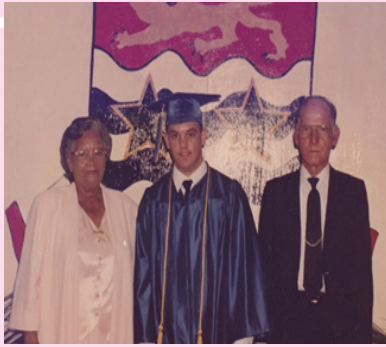
Lindy had a knack for musical instruments, mainly the guitar. She was taught to play the guitar by her older brother Edmund, who was affectionately known as Monie. Coupled with her musical talent, she enjoyed singing beautiful renditions of gospel hymns. Lindy was also a great seamstress and her girls remembers the beautiful clothes she designed and sewed for them when they were young.

Lindy was particularly passionate about cooking and cleaning. She was dubbed by her grandchildren and great grandchildren as the best cook. She provided daily meals when raising her family. Family and friends alike would stop by on Sundays to get a taste of her delicious meals prepared with love and kindness. She would at times become concerned if regulars failed to stop by for meals. Lindy strived to keep her yard in pristine condition by making cleaning and raking a daily routine and was always delighted to roam about her garden of beautiful flowers, until her mobility started to deteriorate. She knew her yard was admired by commuters.

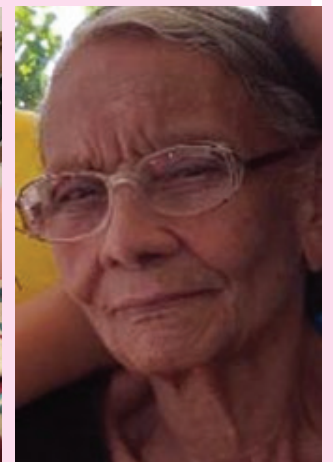
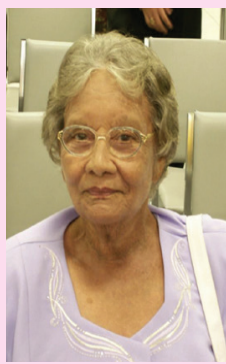
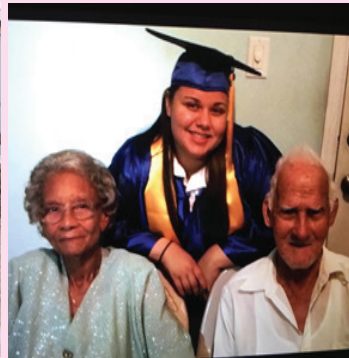
Lindy was a pleasant person of great character and always displayed a docile nature. She will be missed by her family and friends for her love, caring manner, devotion, generosity, strong faith in God & compassion.

Lindy called to her Heavenly Home at 6:00am on Wednesday, June 16, 2021, with her daughter Annette & Caregiver, Ms. Doreen Medley by her side. She was unconditionally loved and will be immensely missed by her daughters - Annette Bodden, Sharon Tatum and Pauline Tibbetts, Grandchildren - Devin Tatum, Eric Bodden & Shania Tibbetts-Lightbody, Great-grandchildren – Donavon Tatum, Delissa Tatum, Devion Tatum, Deah Tatum, Zayden Tibbetts-Lightbody, Elijah Bodden, Dahlia Tatum, Son-n-Law – Bentley Leroy Tibbetts Jr., Nephews, Nieces, Grandnephews, grandnieces, Cousins, other relatives and friends.

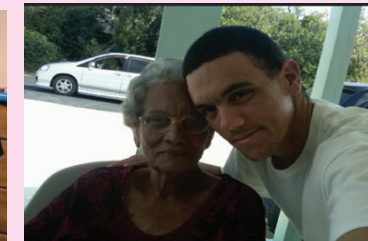














Graveside Service

Prayer .....	Pastor Audley Scott JP
Scripture Reading .....	Pastor Audley Scott JP
Hymn "Amazing Grace" .....	Congregation
Committal .....	Pastor Thomas French
Hymn "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder" .....	Congregation
Hymn "What A Day That Will Be" .....	Congregation
Hymn "I'll Fly Away" .....	Congregation
Benediction .....	Pastor Khan

Amazing Grace

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound,  
that saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost but now am found,  
was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
and grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
the hour I first believed.

Thro' many dangers, toils and snares,  
I have already come,  
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far  
and grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,  
bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
than when we'd first begun.

What a Day That Will Be

There is coming a day when no heartaches shall come  
No more clouds in the sky -- no more tears to dim the eye  
All is peace forevermore, on that happy, golden shore  
What a day, glorious day that will be

Refrain: What a day that will be when my Jesus I shall see  
When I look upon his face, the One who saved me by His grace  
When He takes me by the hand and leads me through the Promised Land  
What a day, glorious day that will be.

There'll be no sorrow there, no more burdens to bear  
No more sickness, no pain, no more parting over there  
And forever I will be with the One who died for me  
What a day, glorious day that will be.

When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder

When the Trumpet of the Lord shall sound and time shall be no more,  
And the morning breaks, eternal, bright and fair  
When the saved of earth shall gather over on the other shore,  
And the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there

Refrain: When the roll is called up yonder, when the roll is called up yonder,  
When the roll is called up yonder, when the roll is called up yonder,  
I'll be there

On that bright and cloudless morning when the dead in Christ shall rise,  
And the glory of His resurrection share when His chosen ones shall gather  
To their home beyond the skies, and the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there

Let us labor for the Master from the dawn till setting sun,  
Let us talk of all His wondrous love and care then when all of life is over  
And our work on earth is done and the roll is called up yonder, I'll be there.

I'll Fly Away

Some bright morning when this life is over  
I'll fly away  
To that home on God's celestial shore  
I'll fly away

I'll fly away oh glory  
I'll fly away (in the morning)  
When I die hallelujah by and by  
I'll fly away

When the shadows of this life have gone  
I'll fly away  
Like a bird from these prison walls I'll fly  
I'll fly away

Just a few more weary days and then  
I'll fly away  
To a land where joys will never end  
I'll fly away

Acknowledgement

The family of the late Lindy Virginia Bodden wishes to express our most heartfelt appreciation to the Doctors and Staff of Faith Hospital for their dedication, care and love. A special thanks to everyone who offered prayers, visits, phone calls, social media messages and hugs of sympathy and support during this time of loss.

May God richly Bless each one.