

Saturday, June 3, 2017

11:00 A.M.

**The Jim Henry Chapel
First Baptist Church of Orlando**

3000 S. John Young Parkway, Orlando, FL 32805
Dr. David Uth – Senior Pastor

Officiating

Pastor Bill Curl and Pastor Nivaldo Nassif
First Baptist Church of Orlando

Interment

Woodlawn Memorial Park
400 Woodlawn Cemetery Road
Gotha, FL 34734

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Woodlawn Funeral Home
Gotha, FL 34734

*“... encham-se do Espírito
de Deus. Animem uns aos
outros com salmos, hinos e canções
espirituais. Cantem, de todo o
coração, hinos e salmos ao Senhor.”*

– Efésios 5:18b-19

*“... be filled with the Spirit;
speaking to yourselves in psalms
and hymns and spiritual songs,
singing and making melody in
your heart to the Lord.”*

– Ephesians 5:18b-19

Sunrise

September 21, 1924

Sunset

May 16, 2017



UMA BÊNÇÃO

Deus te chamou para ser uma bênção
Não só na igreja quando a louvar;
Mas onde por teus pés, qualquer lugar,
Não importa em que cidade ou nação.

Deus te chamou para ser uma bênção,
A sua Santa Palavra anunciar;
E ai de ti se não for para Nínive,
Fugir para Tarsis e se calar!

Porque, meu irmão, Deus te chamou para
Ser uma bênção na grande seara
Levando a semente da redenção!

Levanta-te deste sono profundo,
Ide, pregando, por todo este mundo
Que só Jesus Cristo é a SALVAÇÃO!

A BLESSING

God called you to be a blessing
Not only during praise at church;
But wherever you put your feet,
Regardless of city or nation.

God called you to be a blessing,
To announce Holy Word;
And woe to you if you don't go to Nineveh,
If you run from Tarsus and keep quiet!

Because my brother, God called you to
Be a blessing in the great harvest
Spreading the seed of redemption!

Rise out of your deep slumber,
Go, preaching throughout this whole world
That only Jesus Christ is SALVATION!

Salmos 23:1-2

O Senhor é o meu pastor; nada me faltará. Deitar-me faz em pastos verdejantes; guia-me mansamente a águas tranqüilas.

Pallbearers

Admilson dos Santos • Adelson dos Santos • Anderson dos Santos • Andrew dos Santos • Ayinde Johnson • Kyre Coleman

Appreciation

We, the family of the late Carmita Ercilia Jordan truly thank God for each and everyone of you. Your outpouring of prayers, love, kindness, and support has sustained us throughout the passing of our loved one.

From the bottom of our hearts, we thank you. We take comfort in 1 Corinthians 2:9...

*“Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man, the things
which God has prepared for those who love Him.”*

– The Family



Order of Service

Officiating – Pastor Bill Curl and Pastor Nivaldo Nassif

Welcome and Invocation Pastor Bill Curl

Congregational Hymn – “*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*” (#54)

Scripture Naeem Johnson

Special Presentation The Campos Family
Showers of Blessings [One of Carmita's Favorite Hymns]

Reflections (limit your remarks to 2 minutes each, please)

Judy Hickman
Charles Everett
Eboni Jones
Marcia Ferguson

Scripture Ayanna Johnson

Reading of the Legacy Ruth Jordan

Congregational Hymn – “*God Be with You*” (#105)

Words of Comfort Pastor Nivaldo Nassif
First Baptist Church of Orlando

[Translator – Anita dos Santos]

Recessional – “*Blessed Assurance*”



Yet we have this assurance: Those who belong to God will live; their bodies will rise again! Those who sleep in the earth will rise up and sing for joy!

– Isaiah 26:19 NLT

A Legacy™

a heritage: character qualities, memoirs . . .

A TIME TO BE BORN

On September 21st, 1924 in Belém do Pará, Brasil, Carmita Ercilia Brome was born to her proud parents, Clarence and Eva Rock Brome. She was one of 6 children born into this loving union and was raised in São Paulo.

A TIME TO LABOR

Carmita was no stranger to hard work as she started working at the age of 12 in Brasil. After migrating to the U.S., she worked in a factory in New York. She later worked at a jewelry store in Orlando before joining Disney at the Grand Floridian Hotel at the Wedding Pavilion, a position which she really enjoyed.

A TIME TO GROW & GO

Unbeknownst to Carmita, when she left Brasil in August of 1948 to migrate to the U.S., her future husband was leaving Barbados at the same time. Destiny has its way of connecting love.

A TIME TO LOVE

After settling in on Halsey Street in Brooklyn New York, Carmita would later learn that her future husband was living on the same street. A mutual friend, Tia Hilda, introduced the soon-to-be happy couple. The two were joined in holy matrimony on April 12, 1952.

A TIME TO ENJOY – Carmita’s favorite scripture was Psalm 23 and a few of her favorite hymns included: *It Is Well With My Soul*, *Blessed Assurance*, and *Showers of Blessings*.



A TIME TO REFLECT

Carmita was a devout Christian who loved her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. She invested much time in prayer and carrying out the command of Ephesians 5:19, which

says that Christians should be filled with the Holy Spirit, and found faithful in “*singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, and making music to the Lord in your hearts.*”

Carmita no doubt had the spiritual gifts of helping, hospitality, and giving, as she was known to open her home to many as they would migrate to the U.S. She enjoyed helping many women who were new to the country become established. She was an anchor of 93rd Street located in Brooklyn, NY, along with Mrs. Martha, Mrs. Walcott, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Marcelle, and others, to unite everyone together in love, compassion, and understanding. As a mother, Carmita was giving and patient. She was a full-time stay-at-home mom for many years, and found great joy in being a mother and raising her kids in the admonition of the Lord. Rosilene Miranda and Joan Brome Dyall left their lives in New York and Barbados to love and take care of Carmita during separate times of great need. Words cannot express the family’s appreciation.

In 1976 the Jordan family relocated to Florida because Claude Jordan, Sr.’s job relocated to Florida. It was soon thereafter that the family united with the First Baptist Church of Orlando where she served tirelessly. After moving to Florida, Carmita loved everything about missions and was a faithful supporter of *all things missions*. A few of her hobbies included macramé and pottery. But she’ll always be remembered for her infectious smile, and consistent greeting for all to “*Have a Jesus Day!*”

A TIME TO MOURN

Carmita was preceded in death by her **parents**, Clarence and Eva Rock Brome, her **husband** Claude Theophilus Jordan (2005), four of her **siblings**, Olga Brome (died as a child), Alfonso Brome, Winifred Camargo, and Mildred Anita dos Santos; her first-born child and only **son**, Claude Jordan, who was born on Carmita’s birthday, also preceded her in death in 2014.

She leaves to cherish many memories of a life well-lived: 3 **loving daughters** – Eva, Ruth, and Esther; her **sister** – Berril Brome; 7 **grandchildren**; 3 **great-grandchildren**; her family in Brasil and Barbados, and a host of other relatives and friends.

A Celebration of Love for
Carmita Ercilia Jordan