

*Floral Bearers*

*Nieces & Granddaughters*

*Pall Bearers*

*Grandsons*

*Acknowledgements*

*The family of Reverend Samuel Arrington acknowledges with deep appreciation and grateful hearts all expressions of sympathy extended to our family during our time of bereavement. Your kindness and thoughtfulness have enabled us to bear the loss of one we held so dear. You have given us comfort and strength as we prepare to say our final farewell. Thank you for your loyalty and support. May the Lord continue to bless each of you and keep you forever in His grace and mercy.*

*~The Arrington Family*

*To the Family*

*It appears that nothing surpasses  
All your grief and despair  
But God is a mighty refuge  
And your loved one is in His care*

*Carrons Funeral Home Staff*



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*Homegoing Celebration*

*Pastor* for  
*Samuel Arrington*

*Sunrise*

*May 12, 1935*

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*Sunset*

*April 8, 2022*

*Saturday ~ April 16, 2022*

*1:00 P.M.*

*Contending for the Faith*

*Church Ministries*

1006 Academy Street

Wilson, North Carolina

*Pastor Michael Jones, Eulogist  
Carrons Funeral Home, Directing*



# *The Order of Service*

**Bishop James Lynch, Presider**

*Processional*  
**Clergy & Family**

*Solo*

**Ms. Patricia Hooks, great granddaughter**

*Scripture Readings*  
**Old Testament ~ Apostle Mark Dickens**  
**New Testament ~ Overseer Joyce Lloyd**

*Prayer of Consolation*  
**Elder Patrick McKoy**

*Solo*

**Mr. Terrace Hardy, grandson**

*Remarks – Please limit to two minutes*  
**Introduced by Elder Wilhelmina Battle**  
**Randy Ellis, Sr. ~ Lucknert Andre ~ George Hardy**  
**The Greene Family ~ The Nine Children**

*Solo*

**Ms. Sybil Lucas**

*Acknowledgements & Obituary*  
**Ms. Donalda Adams**

*Solo*

**Ms. Teresa Baker**

*Eulogy*  
**Pastor Michael Jones**

*Funeral Director's Brief*

*Recessional*

**Interment**

*Rest Haven Cemetery*  
**1717 Bishop L.N. Forbes Street**  
**Wilson, North Carolina**

# *The Obituary*

**Rev. Samuel Arrington** was born May 12, 1935 to John D. Arrington and Eliza Reid Arrington in Greene County, North Carolina. He departed this earthly life to gain his reward on Friday, April 8, 2022 at UNC Rex Hospital in Raleigh, North Carolina.

Rev. Samuel Arrington was a good and kind man, a great provider and he never met a true stranger. He was full of joy and an extremely hard worker. He was married to Sarah Easter for over 67 years and had nine children. Samuel made sure that all his children knew how to provide for themselves. In his former years he was a sharecropper, brick mason and mechanic at Green's Auto Salvage. Rev. Samuel pastored St. John Revival Center in Kenly, North Carolina until his health failed him.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Eliza Arrington; one sister, Fannie Holden; three brothers, George Arrington, Johnnie Arrington and Robert Williams; and his best friend, June Bug Green.

Rev. Samuel leaves to cherish his loving memories to nine children, Dr. Sarah Hardy (George) of Wilson, NC, Dr. Gladys Ellis (Randy, Sr.) of Rocky Mount, NC, Sargeant Samuel Dennis Arrington of Sims, NC, Will Arrington of Washington, NC, Rodney Arrington of Herbert, NC, Raymond Arrington (Dorothine) of Jacksonville, NC, Derante Arrington of Wilson, NC, Dwight Arrington of Atlanta, GA and Joy Arrington of Wilson, NC; eighty-nine grandchildren, fifty-four great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren; a very special grandson, Lucknert Andre (Sharon); a god daughter, Mildred Woodard; and a loving daughter, Evelyn Flowers; a god son, Bishop James Lynch; his Green family of Eureka, NC; and a host of other relatives and friends.