

Spring Garden

*So when I looked at those flowers,
I was looking at God.
For they bloomed in His sun
And grew in His sod.
And each lovely flower
Was a "voice from above"
That whispered a message
Of Kindness and Love.
For I feel in my heart,
And I know you do too,
That God speaks to us all
Through the kind things we do.
And when I looked at those flowers
I couldn't help but feel
That they brought heaven nearer
And made God so real.*

Helen Steiner Rice

A Celebration of a Life Well Lived



Virginia Haywood Skidmore

December 24, 1938 - January 12, 2022

First Baptist Church, Albemarle, NC
May 28, 2022

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11:00 AM

Prelude Ms. Rae Tucciarone

Call to Worship and Welcome Dr. Jerry Haywood

Hymn No. 323 Hine

“How Great Thou Art”
Verses 1 & 4

Scripture Reading and Prayer Dr. Haywood

Special Music Kirkland

“He Leadeth Me, O Blessed Thought”
Sanctuary Choir

Message and Memories Dr. Haywood

Special Music SPARROW

“His Eye Is on the Sparrow”
Brooke Greene Elzowry, soloist

Family Reflections

Doug Skidmore, Chris Skidmore, and Cameron Skidmore

Hymn No. 587 NEW BRITAIN

“Amazing Grace! How Sweet the Sound!”
Verses 1 & 5

Closing Remarks and Benediction Dr. Haywood

Choral Response Besig

“Go in Love”
Sanctuary Choir

Postlude Ms. Tucciarone

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul:

he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name’s sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;

thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:

thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Minister

Dr. Jerry Haywood

Memorials

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to:

First Baptist Church of Albemarle

202 North 2nd Street

Albemarle, NC 28001

Please join the family for a reception in the fellowship hall.