

## *Roses for Mom*

*If roses grow in heaven, Lord, please pick a bunch for me.  
Place them in my mother's arms and tell her they're from me.  
Tell her I love her and miss her and when she turns to smile,  
place a kiss upon her cheek and hold her for awhile  
because remembering her is easy.*

*I do it every day,  
but there's an ache within my heart that will never go away.*

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS

# *Mrs. Clara Pearl Ingram*

1934 -2024

*Earthly Place of Rest*

**EASTVIEW CEMETERY**

802 Ashby Street, Americus, GA 31709

*Honorary Pallbearers and Honorary Flower Attendants*  
**Grandsons and Granddaughters**

## *Acknowledgements*

Jesus promised us they who mourned would be comforted. During our hours of bereavement, this promise has been fulfilled by you, our kind and loving friends and neighbors. THANK YOU each for coming to help us bear our grief. Your calls, visits, prayers, and kindness in acts and deeds during the passing of our loved one shall never be forgotten.

THE FAMILY

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IN REMEMBRANCE OF OUR  
**BELOVED**

# *Clara Pearl* **INGRAM**

December 24, 1934 - October 24, 2024



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## SERVICES

Saturday, November 2, 2024 | 11:00 a.m.

*from the pavilion of*

**Eastview Cemetery**

802 Ashby Street, Americus, Georgia 31709

**Eulogist: Apostle Norbert Ingram**

**Empowerment Worship Center**



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# ORDER OF SERVICE

*Musical Prelude | Soft Music*

Processional.....led by Apostle Norbert Ingram  
and Guests

*Last Glance and Final Closure*

Selection.....Soft Music

Prayer.....Apostle Norbert Ingram or Appointee

Scripture.....Apostle Norbert Ingram or Appointee

Reflections | *limit 2 minutes*  
Open to Family and Friends

Selection.....Sister Amy I. Deriso

Eulogy.....Apostle Norbert Ingram  
Empowerment Worship Center

Acknowledgements and  
Presentation of the  
Family Bible.....Barnum Staff

*Recessional*

Please turn all cell phones and electronic devices off  
or to silent mode during the services. Thank you.

# OBITUARY

*Clara Pearl's Beginning, The Birth of a Radiant Soul*

MRS. CLARA PEARL INGRAM, a radiant and loving presence, was born to the late David and Rosa Whitehead and graced this world on December 24<sup>th</sup>, 1934. Educated in the Sumter County School System, Clara developed a remarkable talent for sewing and worked in the textile industry for many years. Affectionately known as “Clara Pearl”, she was a true gem, as beautiful on the inside as she was outwardly. Her warm and welcoming spirit made everyone she encountered feel loved. Clara was easy to love, with an infectious smile, and had a way of capturing hearts as only she could. Always the conversationalist, Clara Pearl never met a stranger. Clara’s legacy of kindness, love, compassion, and joy will be deeply missed, but her memory will continue to inspire and uplift all who were fortunate to know her.

A strong woman of God, Clara Pearl’s faith was the foundation of her life. As a dedicated member of Allen Chapel A.M.E. Church under the leadership of Reverend Jermaine Harris, she remained steadfast in her devotion until her health began to decline. Even in the face of challenge, Clara’s faith was unwavering, and she often shared stories of God’s goodness and the many blessings bestowed upon her life.

*Clara's Journey - A Life Filled with Love and Family*

Clara Pearl met and married the love of her life, the late Mr. Bennie “Buck” Ingram, Sr. To this union was born Bennie, Jr., Horace, and Christopher. Clara and Buck raised three respectful young men who they loved and adored. Above all, Clara loved her family and was blessed with thirteen siblings, eleven of which preceded her in death: JD “Peter”, David, Elizabeth, Lula Mae, Mary, Annie Ruth, Dovie, Silas, Olin Dear, Sr., Butler, and Robert.

Clara is survived by two siblings, Frank Whitehead of Jacksonville, FL and Paul Whitehead of Chicago, Illinois: her daughters-in-law: Sunni, Carla, and Maxine. Clara also leaves nine grandchildren and fourteen great-grands and a host of loving nieces, nephews, including a niece, Gracie Patterson and a nephew, James Whitehead that she raised as her own; cousins and many sorrowing friends to cherish the many beautiful memories made.

*A Life Well Lived, A Legacy Remains*

On Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024, Clara Pearl Ingram’s earthly journey came to a close, and she was welcomed home by her Lord and Savior, surrounded by the love and light of eternity. Though her passing marks the end of a remarkable chapter in her life, her legacy of love, kindness, humility and devotion will leave an indelible mark on all those who knew and loved her.

Sunrise: December 24, 1934 ~ MRS. CLARA PEARL INGRAM. ~ Sunset: October 24, 2024