

ARKANSAS STATE CONVENTION

On April 17th and 18th, we had our Spring Conference (State Convention) that was hosted by our Spanish Church, Lion of Judah Christian Church, in Little Rock, Arkansas. The theme for this year's conference was "Make a Joyful Noise".

The Anointing of God was very evident throughout the whole conference as it flowed through the worship team at Lion of Judah Christian Church, as they led us in worship and through our speakers, Brother Steve Neal and Brother William Allen, as they ministered on the theme.

On Saturday, after the morning service, we had a wonderful lunch, and then we had our Annual Business Meeting, which went great. The youth from Ignited Worship Center in Corning, Arkansas, did an awesome job performing in Fine Arts, so they could be qualified to go to General Conference in St. Louis in July.

So far, I can say it was the best State Convention I have attended. God has great things in store for Full Gospel Churches International Arkansas! God Bless.

In His Service,
Arkansas State Presbyter
Rev. Christopher Butler





GRADUATION TO GLORY

Rev. Cheryl Ann Stone-Johnson, born on March 25, 1958, passed away peacefully on May 3, 2026. She will be remembered as a joyful spirit whose vibrant presence touched the lives of all who knew her.

Cheryl was a woman of many passions and a heart full of love. She loved traveling, finding joy and inspiration in the many places she visited and the people she met along the way. Family was central to her life, and she cherished every moment spent with her loved ones. Those who gathered in her company knew her as the life of the party, a source of laughter and light that could brighten even the darkest days.

An ordained minister with FGCI, Cheryl dedicated her life to serving the Lord. Her primary goal was to share the message of Jesus with others, and she did so with a sincerity and warmth that was deeply inspiring. With FGCI she served in many roles over the years, including Echoes Editor for a number of years. When it came to ministry, she did all things with excellence and a smile, as unto the Lord. Her faith was a cornerstone of her identity, guiding her every step and filling her with a joy that was contagious.

Cheryl's laughter was legendary—an expression of her joyous nature that brought comfort and happiness to friends and family alike. She embodied kindness, generosity, and a spirit of celebration that will live on in the memories of those who were fortunate enough to know her.

As we honor Cheryl Ann Stone-Johnson, we remember a life well-lived in faith, love, and laughter. Her legacy of joy and service to the Lord will continue to inspire all who were touched by her remarkable journey.

Cheryl was preceded in death by her parents, William and Louise Braeckman; brother-in-law, Al Hilliard; and her late husband and Sarah's dad, David Stone.

Survivors include her husband of almost 16 years, David Johnson; sons, David Johnson, Jr., Brian Johnson (Alicia), Rodger Johnson (Amy), Josh Johnson (Gabriella); daughters, Sarah Stone, Nela Ferris; brother, William Braeckman (Theresa); sisters, Nancy Lamos (Jeff), Darlene Hilliard; fifteen grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren; a multitude of close family and friends; and her honorary daughters, Kiana Dobbs (Michael), Faith Wideman, and Stephanie Servier (Ian).

Although we already miss Sister Cheryl, and we pray for comfort for Bro. David and Sis. Sarah we echo the words of our Father in heaven on the day of her triumphant home going,

"Well done good and faithful servant! Well done!"

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