

A Wisdom-Filled Memoir of a Woman's First Fifty-Five Years

Author paints a picture of how radiant the future will be like when one perseveres and stands firm in the faith.



Waukegan, Aug 25, 2020 (Issuewire.com) - Writer Rosie M. Elder publishes a spirited autobiography entitled [*My First Fifty-Five Years*](#). Rosie starts the narration in 1948 in Vicksburg, Mississippi, where she was born to a hardworking rural family. Although she was not born with a silver spoon in her mouth and started to work at an early age, this did not stop her from using her mental capabilities in reaching greater heights. Rosie's positivity, which renounces regrets, was able to catapult her into the advancement she long desired. *My First Fifty-Five Years* is an inspiring chronicle from hardship to grace.

"In 2003, Elder challenged herself to begin writing this engaging memoir, which contains a wide range of family lore along with her personal experiences. Interspersed within her short but energetic narrative are several enlightening papers that Elder wrote for theology classes. One stresses the importance of prayer as a Christian ritual. Another one highlights the life story of Jesus. The third is a brief biography of Teresa of Avila, while another is a candid essay focused on her involvement with death and dying. These interesting themes show her strengths as an academic observer and her skills in expository writing. In mild contrast, the family history and intimate recollections she shares with her reader show a love of vernacular, a willingness to disclose some of her heart's secrets, and an enjoyable sense of humor," says Barbara Bamberger Scott of The US Review of Books.

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[My First Fifty-Five](#)

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Elder, Rosie (Coleman-Cannon) BSN,RN-Head Nurse at Lowell FHCC North Chicago VA for 35 years. She says music has always been her first love, although Family stability focused her in the direction of nursing. She is the Director of the VA Choir and An Active member of First Corinthian M. B. Church; VOC choir presently serving as Chaplain. She is a Oath taken Licensed Parish Nurse and she

is active member of Nu Phi Chapter Chi ETA Phi Nursing and serves as chaplain. She is aware that she uses to many capital letters in her writing. Her desire to keep her promise of helping others to God, lead her to audition and become A Cast in that's Entertainment fundraiser production 2011 and 2012 at the Waukegan Genesee Theater.

She has participated in many role play/skits/ Easter and Christmas pageants. Rosie has been singing since she was 9 years and first sang on radio over a shoe store commercial. At age 11 Y/O she sang soprano at St John's M. B. Church Vicksburg Miss which was the first choir. Late 90's plus, she Sang with Mark Cooley & CLC Gospel Choir (9) years and until after the tent be relocated. She sang on the CD, Praise YE the Lord. She has several song-poem copy-writes and A project in progress to complete publishing of her book through Xulon Press Christian Publishing.



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