

*In Loving Memory
of*



Mrs. Hattye M. Crosby

2:00 P.M.

Tuesday, November 1, 2005

Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church

Officiating

Pastor Sharon Jenkins

Order of Service

Prelude

Processional.....Ministers & Family

Invocation.....Reverend Grady Sharps

Hymn....."Come Ye Disconsolate" No. 447.....Church Choir

Scripture Readings

Old Testament Psalms 91.....Reverend Eldren D. Morrison

New Testament.....I Corinthians 15: 51-58.....Reverend W. N. Long

Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Jeanette Mackey

Solo.....Mrs. Ursula Crosby

Remarks (2 minutes please)

Neighbor.....Mrs. Ella Mae Reno

Co-Worker.....Mrs. Fannie Garvin

Church Family

York-Chester District.....Dr. Carl A. Glenn

Presiding Elder of the York-Chester District

Solo

Obituary (Read Silently)

Hymn....."What A Friend We Have in Jesus".....Church Choir

Eulogy.....Reverend Sharon B. Jenkins

Pastor of Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church

Presentation.....Christopher King's Funeral Home

Recession....."I'll Fly Away".....Church Choir

Committal & Interment

Benediction

Chester Memorial Gardens

West End Road

Acknowledgements

The family express sincere gratitude to each of you for all expressions of sympathy extended to them during the illness and death of their loved one. They saw all of your kindness as God's love expressed through each of you. So, again many, many thanks. A special thanks to Eugenia White for assisting in the care of our aunt Hattye M. Crosby.

Life's Reflections

"Rest In Peace"

Mrs. Hattye M. Phifer Crosby the daughter of the Whitfield Phifer and the late Louise Hall Phifer was born in Chester County, South and departed this life on October 26, 2005 at the Agape Rehab Center in Rock Hill, South Carolina.

She attended Loomis Street Elementary School and Finley High School. She graduated from Brainard Institute High School in 1937 and in 1939 she graduate from Brainard Institute Junior College. She graduated from Benedict College in 1954. She attended Hampton University and Johnson C. Smith University.

She and the late William "Bill Crosby were united in marriage and this union one son Thadochelle. She reared nephews Otto Borden and Curtis Ferguson and niece Marcia Simpson.

Hattye had a useful life, she wrought well; she was generous with her time, as she toiled from year to year. Many a life she did touch, always doing her part. Glad to serve when called upon, with a meek and humble heart. Her life was dedicated to things noble and true. She will never be forgotten, the deeds she left behind will live on.

She was a member of Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion. She held many positions at Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church: Consecrated Deaconess, class leader, President of the Junior Choir, Vacation Bible School Teacher, President of the Stewardess Board #1, Secretary of the Christian Education Board, Member of the Senior Choir, Director of the Young Children's Department, Member of the Missionary Department, Buds of Promise and she was the District Director of Adults for the Christian Education Department for the York-Chester District for many years. She was a member of Josephus Eastern Star Chapter #160, Daughters of Isis Cairo Court #125 of Columbia, S.C, The Order of the Golden Circle, S.C. Johnson Assembly #1 of Columbia, S.C. The R.E. White Court #9, Chester, Heroines of Jericho. A member of Kappa Kappa Zeta Sorority, Zeta Phi Beta, Inc., of Chester, SC also a member of the Etta L. Standback Federated Club of Women. Past President of Retired Educators of Chester, S.C. She taught school 39 years in Chester county and Newberry County.

She leaves to cherish fond memories her son Thadochelle P. Crosby of Charlotte, N.C. sister Berenice Nelson of Chester, SC, two aunts Flector Pugh and Arsonia White of Rock Hill, SC, caregiver and niece Peggie Hopkins of Chester, SC, niece Marcia Simpson of Charlotte, NC whom she reared, nephews, Otta Borden of New York and nephew Curtis Ferguson of Chester, SC, one granddaughter Keyona N. Crosby of Hampton, Va. a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

In Memory

HIS SPIRIT

You've always been there
Through thick and thin inspite of my sins
When I'm feeling low and there's no place go,
Knowing where I've been I feel your Spirit within
This love you have given, has shown me
How beautiful life can be.
In my darkest hours you have been my guiding light
You stood me against my enemies and gave me the courage to fight
I call on you for answers, I don't know, you always told me
Faith is what I need to grow.
I pray my demise is quick
And painless, shine your light through my soul
That heaven may be my final goal.
Your niece,
Marcia Borden Simpson

I'VE GOT TO GO

My Jesus came ah calling, I got to go, can't you hear
The harps ah playing? The angels ah singing
Got a new song in my heaven, ain't got to hurt no more
Gonna sit down, with my mother, father, sisters, and my brother,
Shout Hallelujah we made it over, for we had to go
In your hearts don't feel no sorrow, for my work down
Here is over, I'll Rejoice with my Savior
Now I made it over, and I had to go.
Loving memory
Niece Mona, Nephew David

On behalf of the Christopher King's Funeral Home Family, we thank you for entrusting your loved one in our care. We hope that our service reflect our sincerity and dedication. If that task has been met then our goal has been accomplished.

Dr. Nelson M. King, Mortician

Councilman John R. C. King, Director

Margie B. King, Directress

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