

Acknowledgement

God made this world our ours,
He holds it in His hand,
He holds the key to countless things
We'll never understand, but one thing plain to us,
He very wisely knew, his children would have need of friends,
And so he sent us you; We love you.

The family wishes to thank all of you for the many acts of kindness during our time of bereavement. May God bless you.

Active Pallbearers

Friends of the Family

Interment

Church Cemetery

Arrangements Entrusted To:

M. J. Edwards & Sons Funeral Home
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In Loving Memory

Of

Mattie Jo Harris

July 24, 1933 - March 24, 1993



Sunday, March 28, 1993

2:00 P.M.

Reeves Chapel Missionary Baptist Church
Stanton, Tennessee

Reverend P. Henderson, Pastor
Reverend Wilson
Officiating

Obituary

Mattie Jo Harris was born into the union of the late Lela Brown and the late Dan Harris July 24, 1933 in Haywood County.

She professed a hope to Christ at an early age at Reeves Chapel Missionary Baptist Church.

She was united in Holy Matrimony to John H. Woodland; to this union ten daughters was born, Emma Jerman, Shirley Woodland, Bessie Woodland, all of New York City, Dorothy Woodland, Virginia Woodland, Gerice Woodland, Patricia Miller, all of Stanton, Tennessee, Darlene Whitmore of Mason, Tennessee, Gussie Bond of Brownsville, Tennessee, and Johnnie Smith of Memphis, Tennessee; one brother, George E. River; three sons-in-law, J. D. Miller, Robert Smith, and Willie J. Whitmore; two uncles, Ned Harris of Stanton, Tennessee and Tommy Harris of Somerville, Tennessee; one brother-in-law, Ocie Woodland of Stanton, Tennessee; six sisters-in-law, Walter Bell Davis of Memphis, Tennessee, Emma Bertha Harris of Covington, Tennessee, Ella Mae Somerville of Stanton, Tennessee, Alma Douglas of Somerville, Tennessee, Katie Maclin of Knoxville, Tennessee, and Doris River of Stanton, Tennessee; nine grandchildren, one great-grandchild, a host of nieces, nephews, a host of other relatives, and friends.

*God saw you were getting weary;
So He did what He thought was best,
He came and stood beside you
And whispered, "Come and Rest."*

*You, bade no one a last farewell,
No, not even a good-bye,
You were gone before we knew it;
And only God knows why.*

*Your Daughters,
Emma, Shirley, Dorothy, Patricia, Virginia,
Bessie, Johnnie, Darlene, Gerice, and Gussie*

Order Of Service

Processional

Scripture..... Old and New Testaments

Prayer..... James Humphrey

Song..... Reeves Chapel

Remarks..... Friend
Carolyn Seymore

Song..... Williamson Chapel

Acknowledgments..... Carolyn Seymore

Obituary..... Soft Music..... Read Silently

Solo..... Williamson Chapel

Eulogy..... Reverend E. Wilson

Viewing of Remains

Recessional

