

Order Of Service

Processional.....Family Viewing

Song.....Choir

Affirmation of Faith

Prayer...

Old Testament Scripture...

New Testament Scripture...

Song.....Choir

Acknowledgments.....Martha Dancy

Resolutions.....Hattie Watkins

Tributes.....(2 minutes, please)

Obituary.....(Read Silently).....Soft Music

Solo.....Girlean B. Wiley

Eulogy.....Pastor Percy Lee, Jr.

Recessional

Acknowledgments

We, the Family of the late **Mrs. Mary F. Bonds**, are blessed to have you in our lives today to share in the celebration of the home-going of our loved one. Your love, prayers and generosity have sustained us. We thank you for every act of kindness. May God continue to bless you is our prayer.

The Family

Pallbearers

Nephews

Flower Bearers

Ushers & Nieces

Interment

Douglas Chapel Cemetery
Stanton, TN

Arrangements

Rawls Funeral Home
"Complete Funeral Service"

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Homegoing Celebration

Of

Mrs. Mary Frances Lloyd Bonds



May 12, 1932 - October 11, 1996

Saturday, October 19, 1996

2:00 pm

Douglas Chapel C.M.E. Church
Stanton, TN

Rev. Percy Lee, Jr. - Pastor
Rev. Walter Hurt, Jr. - Presiding Elder
Rev. W. H. Graves - Presiding Bishop

Life Reflections

Mary Frances Bonds was born on May 12, 1932 to the union of the late Barney and Amy Lloyd. She passed from this earthly life on October 11, 1996, at 4:20 pm, at Baptist Central Hospital, Memphis, TN.

Mary spent her early life in Galloway, TN, where she attended Griffin Elementary School. She accepted Christ as her personal Saviour. There she united with the Poplar Spring Baptist Church in Galloway, TN.

She was united in Holy Matrimony to Londe Bonds on February 12, 1947. She was a hard worker and saw to it that her family survived.

In 1950, Mary and Londe moved to Haywood County, the Douglas Community, where she joined the Douglas Chapel Church. She served faithfully on the Usher Board until her death.

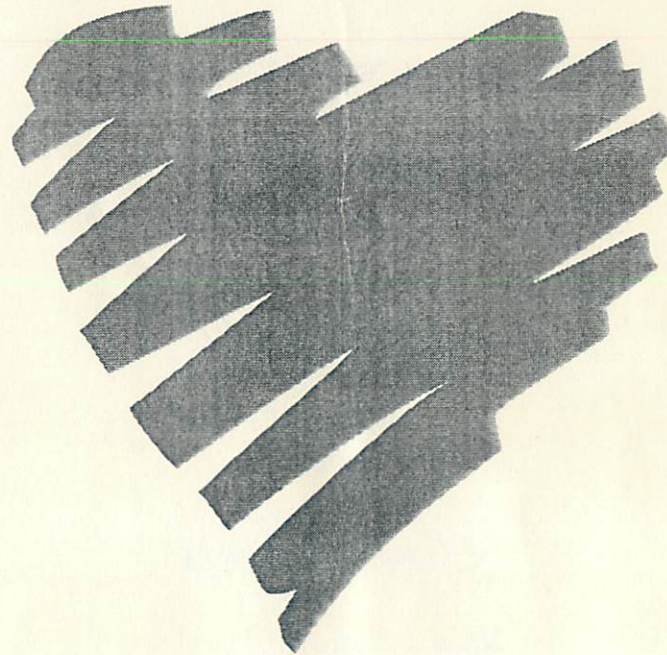
Mary was a lover of her family; a dedicated and devoted person. She retired on May 1, 1996 from Vollrath Company in Galloway, TN.

She leaves to cherish her memories: a devoted husband, Londe Bonds of Stanton, TN; an adopted daughter, Betty "Peggy" Ragland of Stanton, TN; two grandchildren, Stephanie and Vonda Ragland; five great-grandchildren: Kareem, Karesha, Megan, Kalesha and Taylor Michele; a son-in-law, Frankie Lee Ragland; one sister, Lula M. (Rolee) Tate of Arlington, TN; five brothers, John Allen Lloyd (Stella), James Harvey Lloyd and James Arthur Lloyd, all of Stanton, TN; William Lloyd (Lillian) of Jackson, TN and Fred Lloyd (Lucy) of Chicago, IL; one uncle, John Briars of Mason, TN; two aunts, Eva M. Lloyd of Galloway, TN and Ada Bell Mann of Ripley, TN; two brothers-in-law, Clyde (Lottie) Owens of Marion, AR and James Louis (Diane) Jarrett of Detroit, MI. She also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Big Mama,

You left before we could say good-bye.
You brought us happiness and so much joy.
We can never forget, even though we must go on.
We will all come together again someday,
But until we do, Big Mama,
We will always love you.

The Grandchildren & Great-Grandchildren



Loving Memories

Your gentle face and patient smile
With sadness we recall.
You had a kindly word for each
And died beloved by all...
The Voice is mute and stilled the heart,
That loved us well and true.
Ah, bitter was the trial to part
From one so good as you.
You are not forgotten loved one
Nor will you ever be,
As long as life and memory last
We will remember thee.
We miss you now, our hearts are sore,
As time goes by, we miss you more.
Your loving smile, your gentle face,
No one can fill your vacant place.