

Program

Processional.....(Soft Music)

Musical Selection..... Monumental
Baptist Church Choir

Invocation..... Reverend James Merritt

Musical Selection Sister Corine Udell
and Church Choir

Expressions of
Love..... Worthwhile Savings Club
Neighbor and Family Friend
Church Member

Musical Selection Sister Shirley Jones
and Church Choir

Acknowledgements... Sis. Carolyn Goodwin

Musical Selection.... Sister Emma Cohran
and Church Choir

Eulogy..... Reverend Samuel B. Kyles

Recessional.....(Soft Music)

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sang a lovely song
Or sat quietly in a chair;
Perhaps you sent beautiful flowers;
If so we saw them there.
Perhaps you sent or spoke kind words,
As any friend can say;
Perhaps you were not there at all just
Thought of us that day.
Perhaps you prepared some tasty food,
Or maybe furnished a car.
Perhaps you rendered a service unseen,
Near at hand or from afar.
Whatever you did to console our hearts
We thank you so much, what ever the part.
The Dancy Family

Ballbearers

Joe S. Ingram	Thomas J. Watson
Jerry L. Daniel	Kenneth D. Reese
Willie G. Merritt	Charles T. Merritt
Roger Merritt	Lewis Daughtery, Jr.

Honorary Ballbearers

Worthwhile Savings Club
January Calendar Month Club
Senior Usher Board

Interment

Elmwood Cemetery
Friday, August 30, 1985 - 11:00 a.m.

Arrangements

N. J. Ford and Sons Funeral Parlor
12 South Parkway West
Memphis, Tennessee
"Our Kind Of Service Doesn't Cost Any More"

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Obsequies

of

Sister Susie Mae Dancy



Thursday, August 29, 1985
8:00 p.m.

Monumental Baptist Church

704 South Parkway East
Memphis, Tennessee

REVEREND SAMUEL B. KYLES
Officiating

In Memoriam

Mama, asked us not to cry, worry or even be afraid. Her constant prayer was not to let her linger and suffer a burden on anyone.

Mama, our Heavenly Father answered your prayers. But as for your children you left behind we cannot help but cry and worry. Rest assured Mother we are not afraid because we know that you loved each of us dearly.

Mama you were a Great Warrior for us. First, you demanded that we know Jesus. Secondly, you taught us to love and care not just for each other but for everyone. Most of all you showed us what a real Mother was.

We will thank God everyday for having made us a part of your life. We thank you for everything you've done for us, your words of encouragement, your secret prayers, every penny you gave us, for your criticism, and most of all Mother we Thank You for being Mama.

We pray that God will let us be as strong as you were.

Your Loving Family

Obituary

Peace came on Saturday evening, August 24, 1985 at 11:00 p.m. when SISTER SUSIE MAE MATHIS DANCY was called home to reap the great reward for the faithful.

Though we weep now, we will rejoice with her, and thank our Heavenly Father for the life she lived among us, and taking her away to rest in peace, where no pain or suffering exist.

Sister Susie Mae Mathis Dancy was born January 12, 1924, to the late Earl Mathis and Mattie Robinson in Louisville, Kentucky.

She acknowledged a belief in Christ at an early age and served faithfully in her prospective churches. At the time of her death, she was a member of the Monumental Baptist Church. Up until her illness in 1968, Sister Dancy served as a member on the Senior Usher Board. She was a devoted member of the January Calendar Month Club and the Worthwhile Savings Club.

United in holy matrimony to Mr. Houston Dancy on January 12, 1941, four children were born to this blissful wedded union: Mr. Earl Houston Dancy, San Antonio, Texas, Mrs. Barbara E. Ingram, Mrs. Martha Carol Daniel and Mrs. Edythe V. Watson, all of Memphis, Tennessee. She also leaves one

sister, Mrs. Katie Deal; one godmother, Mrs. Berta Elion; a dear cousin, Mrs. Ida Merritt; seven grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, eight step-grandchildren, two step-great-grandchildren, three sons-in-law, one daughter-in-law, six brothers-in-law, five sisters-in-law, other relatives and friends remain to cherish her memories.



"A MOTHER'S FAREWELL TO HER CHILDREN"

*When I must leave you for a little while,
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow to you through the years,
But start out bravely with a gallant smile:*

*And for my sake and in my name
Live on and do all things the same,
Feed not your loneliness on empty days,
But fill each working hour in useful ways,*

*Reach out your hand in comfort and cheer
And I in turn will comfort you and hold you near;
And never, never be afraid to die,
For I am waiting for you in the sky!*