

**"WHEN I MUST LEAVE YOU"**

*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 waking hour in useful ways,  
Reach out your hand in comfort and in 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.*



ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO THE

**LENA BRYANT FUNERAL HOME**  
1136 West 87th Street  
Chicago, Illinois  
651-1090

**Funeral Services for**



**Virginia Clary**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 27, 1983**

Wake: 7:00 P.M.

Funeral: 8:00 P.M.

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*PROPHET PETER BANKS, Officiating*



## Obituary

**VIRGINIA CLARY** was born July 31, 1920 to the union of George and Edna Carney in Stanton, Tennessee.

Virginia became a resident of Chicago, Illinois in December, 1955. She was joined in matrimony to Mr. Thomas Clary in 1962.

As a young woman before leaving Tennessee, she confessed a love and zeal for Christ and was a faithful member of Bluff Creek Church. In 1979 Virginia became a member of the True Temple of Solomon under the leadership of Prophet Peter Banks.

Virginia was carried into the spirit world on Thursday, July 21, 1983 at 7:30 A.M.

Those left to mourn her memory include: her devoted husband, Thomas; her loving daughter, Frances Sikes; her son-in-law, Eddie Sikes; her sisters, Melissa Mask of Louisville, Kentucky, Stella Mae Lewis of Mason, Tennessee, Vernell Carney of Chicago, Illinois, Mary Magdeline Bond of Memphis, Tennessee, Mildred Virginia Benton of Memphis, Tennessee; her brothers, James C. Carney of Chicago, Illinois, Walter James Carney of Stanton, Tennessee, Frank A. Carney of Memphis, Tennessee; two uncles, Walter and James both of Chicago, Illinois; two grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, a host of cousins, nieces, nephews and many friends.

Virginia enjoyed three gospel songs most of all: "I Come To Praise Him", "Pray On My Child", and "I Come To Serve The Lord."

Her life was a prayerful one, dedicated to the praise and service of God.

**MOTHER DEAR,**

*Mother, go ahead, take your rest.  
I loved you, but GOD loved you best.  
Your Daughter, FRANCES.*

## Order of Service

SCRIPTURE.....Prophet Eli

PRAYER.....Prophet Joseph

SOLO .....Queen Daisy

REMARKS .....Monarch Barbara Kennell

SOLO .....Royal Empress Corrinne

OBITUARY ..... Supreme Empress Tamar

SOLO ..... Supreme Empress Shiprah

EULOGY ..... Prophet Amos

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MOUNT GLENWOOD CEMETERY

Thursday, July 28, 1983

11:00 A.M.