

HONORARY PALLBEARERS
Mt. Olive Steward Board

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS
Grandsons

FLORALBEARERS
Ushers of Mt. Olive and Dancyville

PROSPECTIVE

I am standing on the seashore. A ship spreads her sails to the morning breeze and starts for the ocean. I stood watching her until she faded on the horizon and someone at my side said, "she's gone." "Gone where?" The loss of sight is in me, not her. Just at the moment when someone said, "she is gone." There are others who are watching her coming. Others take up the glad shout, "here she comes." And that is dying.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family gratefully acknowledges with sincere appreciation whatever you did to console our hearts. We'll never forget your acts of understanding, sharing and caring. May God bless and keep you in his care is our prayer.

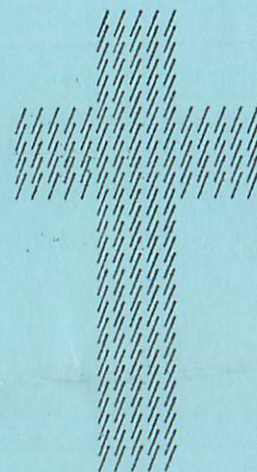
ARRANGEMENTS

Rawls Funeral Home
36 South Jackson Avenue
Brownsville, Tennessee 38012
(901) 772-1472

IN MEMORY

of

MRS. ETHEL MAE BAILEY



Saturday, March 8, 1986
1:00 P. M.

Dancyville C. M. E. Church, Host Church
Rev. Oliver, Host Pastor

Rev. E. L. Perry, Officiating
Mt. Olive C. M. E. Church

Rev. H. J. Massey, Eulogy

OBITUARY

On March 3, 1986 in the early morning hours, Mrs. Ethel Mae Bailey completed her life's novel, a personal contribution to the great masterpiece, "The Book of Life."

Mrs Ethel Mae Bailey, daughter of the late Jake and Kate Ora Jones, was born March 1, 1906, Dancyville, Tennessee.

Seeing a need for spiritual guidance, she joined Dancyville C. M. E. Church and later united with the Mt. Olive C. M. E. Church. In church she was a faithful servant, eager to render service.

She was united in matrimony to the late James A. Bailey. Five children were born to this union.

Cherished memories are left for two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Hobson of Memphis and Mrs. Augustine Spicer of Nashville; three sons, Mr. James Bailey of Memphis, Mr. Leroy Bailey of Chicago and Mr. Marcus Bailey of Somerville; two sisters, Mrs. Sally Jones of Stanton and Mrs. Hortense Hay of Brownsville; one brother, Mr. Walter B. Jones of Brownsville; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Gladys Jones; two brothers-in-law, Mr. W. L. Hay and Mr. Robert Maclin; two aunts, Mrs. Mary Coleman and Mrs. Henrietta Person; three daughters-in-law, Mrs. Olivia Bailey, Mrs. Hertha Bailey and Mrs. Gertrude Bailey; two sons-in-law, Mr. Clarence Hobson and Mr. Charles Spicer.

We cannot know when God will lift us from our mountain of responsibility into the fullness of life everlasting, but this one thing we can be sure: We are made for the mountains and whenever He calls, we should be found climbing.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection Mt. Olive & Dancyville C. M. E. Churches

Prayer & Scripture

Selection

Choir

Remarks

Mrs. Mary Sue Rivers

Remarks

Mr. Marcus Bailey

Acknowledgements

Mrs. Betty Sue Morrow

Solo

Mrs. Mamie R. Jones

Resolutions

Mrs. Josephine Selby

Obituary

(Read Silently)

Soft Music

Eulogy

Rev. H. J. Massey

Recessional

(Remains will not be viewed)

INTERMENT

Dancyville Cemetery