# Celebration of Life Homegoing Services For

MRS. FRANCES WEST DAVIS

Monday, July 13, 1998 2:00 p.m.

Vaiden Friendship M. B. Church 109 Mulberry St. Vaiden, Mississippi Rev. Charles Branch, Pastor

> OFFICIATING: Rev. Wardell Sawyer

Interment: Vaiden Cemetery

Funeral Services Entrusted To: ROBERTS AND SONS MORTUARY, INC. 524 Greensboro St. Winona, MS 38967

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### HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Mr. Frank Bailey, Sr.

Mr. James Kinney

Mr. Tom Brown

Mr. Anderson Roberts

Mr. Sammie Cain

Mr. James Vance

### **ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Mr. Bernard Curry

Mr. Frank Davis, Sr.

Mr. Harvester Curry

Mr. Rickey McKinney

Mr. Michael Weeks, Sr.

Mr. Jasper Curry

### FLOWER BEARERS

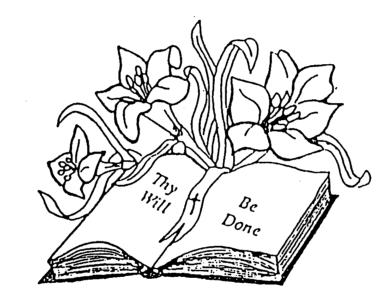
Nieces and Great Nieces



### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:**

The family of Mrs. Frances West Davis sincerely thanks the many friends for all acts of kindness, love and concern. May God bless each of you.

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### **OBITUARY**

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth, there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.

(II Timothy 4:7-8)

MRS. FRANCES WEST DAVIS was born April 19, 1920 in Carroll County, Mississippi to the late Mr. William and Mrs. Sally Bailey West.

She attended Vaiden Jr., High School and graduated from high school in Grenada, Miss. She received her BS Degree from Mississippi Vocational College, Itta Bena, Miss. She taught in the Carroll County Schools for a number of years.

Her church work, teaching career and love of children caused her to touch many lives. One of her favorite sayings was, "If you don't use them, you will lose them."

She was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Elijah Davis, who precedes her in death.

She confessed a hope in Christ at an early age and united with the Vaiden Friendship M. B. Church. She served in many capacities including: Sunday School Teacher, Superintendent, Choir Member, Church Clerk and Youth Leader. She served in both District and State Conventions as a Youth Leader. She also served as an Instructor in the State Congress.

Life came to a close on Wednesday, July 8, 1998 at 4:30 a.m. at St Michael's Hospital in Milwaukee, WI.

She leaves to cherish fond memories; a brother, Mr. Willie Lee West, Jackson, MS; a stepson, Mr. Earnest (Geraldine) Davis, Chicago, IL; two devoted nieces, Mrs. Mary Frances (Allen Ray) Walker, Milwaukee WI; Mrs. Bernice Briscoe, Delhi, LA; five other nieces: Annie Lee, Jackson, MS; Geneva, Mary Elizabeth, Essie Lee and Sarah, all of Milwaukee, WI; two nephews, Andy Woods and John Henry West; a devoted sister-in-law, Mrs. Everlena Davis, Vaiden, MS; one brother-in-law, one godson, Mr. Cade Davis, Vaiden, MS; two goddaughters, Mrs. Bettie McGee, Vaiden, MS; and Mrs. Katie R. Sago, Chicago, IL; one step-grandson, numerous great-nieces, and nephews other relatives and friends.



### **TRIBUTE**

God saw that you were getting tired,
And a cure was not to be,
So He wrapped his arms around you,
And whispered come with me.
Heart of gold stopped beating,
Hard working hands at rest,
God broke our hearts to prove to us,
He only takes the best.
--FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS--

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

ProcessionalSoft Music
Song"Sweet Hour Of Prayer"
Scriptures: Old Testament
PrayerRev. I. L. Conley
Song"Soon And Very Soon"
ResolutionsVaiden Friendship M. B. Church Montgomery-Carroll County Association
PoemMr. Keith Cain
SongWhen All God's Children Get Together"
Remarks(Two Minutes)Mrs. Omeria Hathorn Others
AcknowledgementsMrs. Jo Ann Burkhead
ObituaryRead SilentlySoft Music
SoloMrs. Pearlie Greer
EulogyRev. Wardell Sawyer
***Funeral Director In Charge***
RecessionalSoft Music