

Pallbearers

METHODIST MEN

Flower Bearers

FRIENDS OF THE FAMILY

— In Appreciation —

Our Creator has given us a wealth of friends who have been generous in love and kindness. We are deeply and humbly appreciative of your sincere and warm generosity on our behalf during this period of bereavement. Your goodness shall always linger in our hearts for one is surely blessed to have friends like you. May God shower upon each of you His abundant blessings.

The Family

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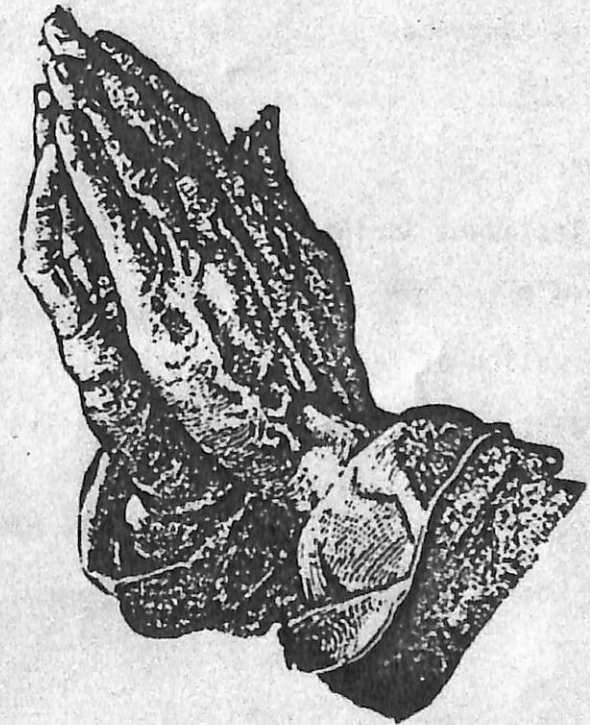
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A Service For The
Witness To The Resurrection

In Memory Of

MS. JOSIE HATTIE SUMTER



Saturday, February 20, 1988 -- 1:00 P.M.

MT. ZION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sumter, South Carolina

O. J. Nelson, Minister

Mom's Aunt

-- ORDER OF SERVICE --

Organ Prelude Mrs. Florence Vaughn
The Processional (Organ Music) No. 538
Scriptural Sentences The Minister
Hymn No. 207 "Be Not Dismayed"
The Prayer
The Old Testament Scripture Psalm 27
The Gloria Patri
The Affirmation of Faith (Apostle' Creed)
The New Testament Scripture . . Excerpts 1st Corinthians
15th Chapter
Solo Mr. Herbert Gadson
Words of Hope and Comfort
Prayer
Benediction
Recessional (Organ Music) No. 538
Organ Postlude
Interment Walker Cemetery
Sumter, South Carolina

THE OBITUARY

On Tuesday, February 16, 1988, God Almighty in His wise providence called from her labors here on earth to an everlasting home, the soul of our loved one, the late MS. JOSIE HATTIE SUMTER. Thus the end came to one that we shall all long remember. We, the members of the family, therefore bow in humble submission to the will of God.

MS. JOSIE HATTIE SUMTER, daughter of the late Joseph P. and Julia Ann Sumter, was born July 11, 1912, in Sumter, South Carolina.

Converted in her youth, she joined the Mt. Zion United Methodist Church. She was educated in the public schools of Sumter County, and graduated from Lincoln High School.

After reaching womanhood, she moved to Washington, D.C. Prior to her retirement, Ms. Sumter was a sales clerk for Leerner's Department Store, Washington, D.C.

She leaves to cherish her memory, a daughter, Ms. Amanda E. Samuel, Florence, S.C., five grand children and several great-grand children. Also surviving are seventeen nieces and nephews, two sisters-in-law, and a score of other relatives and friends.

God saw the road was getting rough,
The hills were hard to climb,
So God gently closed HER weary eyelids
And whispered, "Peace be thine."

The weary hours, the days of pain,
The sleepless nights are passed;
The ever patient, worn out home
Has found sweet rest at last.

Sorrowfully,

THE FAMILY

July 1988