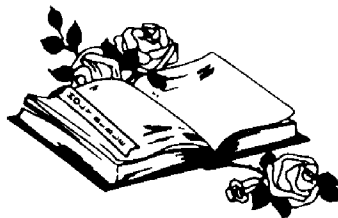


*In Loving Memory
of the late
Mrs. Hazeltine S. Gooden*

1899 - 1999



*Saturday, August 14, 1999
1:00 p.m.*

*The Second Baptist Church
Jackson Avenue
Oxford, Mississippi*

*Rev. Leroy Wadlington
Pastor and Officiating*

Obituary

Hazeltine S. Gooden, daughter of the late Reverend Homer Stafford and Nannie Cromwell Stafford, was born August 16, 1899, in Courtland, Mississippi. She departed this life on August 11, 1999 in St. Louis, Missouri.

She attended school in Panola County schools and later earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Home Economics from Alcorn College at Lorman, Mississippi. After having taught for many years, she retired from Central High School in Oxford.

After establishing her home in Oxford, she united with the Second Baptist Church.

Hazeltine was married to Sidney G. Gooden who preceded her in death.

She is survived by a great-niece, Barbara Lewis, with whom she resided; six nieces - Robbie Henderson, Eva Oliver, Jamie Harrison, Leora Morris, Cathryn Hyde, and Helen James; one nephew - Levi Miles; and numerous other great-nieces, great-nephews and friends.

Rock of Ages

*Rock of ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee;
Let the water and the blood, From Thy wounded side which flowed,
Be of sin the double cure, Save from wrath and make me pure.*

*Could my tears forever flow, Could my zeal no longer know,
These for sin could not atone - Thou must save, and Thou alone:
In my hand no price I bring, Simply to Thy cross I cling.*

*While I draw this fleeting breath, When my eyes shall close in death,
When I rise to worlds unknown, And behold Thee on Thy throne,
Rock of ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in Thee.*