



The Celebration Of The Life
Of



Jessie Houston Rayburn

VISITATION AND SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE

FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1989
7:00 P.M.

UNITY FUNERAL PARLORS, INC.
4114 South Michigan Avenue
Chicago, Illinois





Obituary

JESSIE HOUSTON RAYBURN was born September 26, 1902 to the union of Douglas and Mariah Houston. She was the ninth in a family of ten children. Her early education was received in the Charleston School System and studied further at Rust College. She taught for a number of years in the elementary school system in Yalobusha County

Prior to locating in Chicago she was united in holy matrimony to Ira T. Rayburn and they enjoyed a warm and loving relationship for over 50 years. She accepted Christ early in life and was a member of several churches including Mt. Oliver M. B. Church, and Ellen Grove Methodist Church. She united with Jubilee Temple Methodist Church in Chicago and was an active member there until her illness.

Although Jessie was not a natural parent, she was extremely devoted to all children. In her community, she was warmly referred to as "mother" to everyone. She portrayed the same kind of relationship with her many neices and nephews. She will always be fondly remembered by them.

Jessie departed this life on March 14, 1989. She leaves to rejoice in the life that she lived her brother, Walter Houston of Tillatoba, Mississippi, sisters-in-law Glennie and Viola of Tillatoba and many loving neices and nephews.





FUNERAL

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1989

2:00 P.M.

Mt. Oliver M.B. Church, Tillatoba, Mississippi

Order of Service

MARCH 21, 1989 Tillatoba, Mississippi

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN "Amazing Grace"

SCRIPTURE READING

PRAYER

SOLO

REMARKS

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

OBITUARY

EULOGY

Rev. Larry Harvey

RECESSIONAL

-INTERMENT-

Tillatoba, Mississippi

Palbearers

LARRY HOUSTON

REON GIBSON

CHARLES HOUSTON

CLIFFORD GIBSON

WALTER C. HOUSTON

CLAUDE GIBSON

MARK ANTHONY HOUSTON

In Appreciation

The family wishes to extend sincere thanks and deep gratitude for the many expressions of sympathy and the acts of kindness and consideration shown in their hour of bereavement.

