

PALLBEARERS

Masonics (Solid Rock Lodge No. 899)

FLOWER BEARERS

Mothers of Bethlehem P. B. Church

HONORARY FLOWER BEARERS

Eastern Stars (Harris Chapter No. 633)

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It is appointed unto men once to die, and to die is gain, knowing that absent from this body means to be present with the Lord; and when this earthly body has dissolved we have another body not made by hands but eternal into heaven. The trumpet has sounded in Zion and she has answered the call, but most of all she endured the hardness of a good soldier. I know that she has fought a good fight and finished her course and through it all she kept the faith. So, I believe that there is a crown of righteousness laid up for her. You have suffered with Christ and know it is time to reign with Christ. Yes, in my flesh there is no more, wife for my father, no more mother for my brothers or my sisters, no more grandmother, no more aunt and no more cousin and friend. But in my spirit, I know that there is no more pain, no more tears, sorrow and no more suffering. And even though there is no more, I still believe that there is a place that is prepared for her and in that place there is a mansion and within that mansion there is a new body with eternal life. So mother, take your rest because God knows that you have done your best. And I believe that you have passed the test to hear Him say, "Take your rest, well done thou good and faithful servant."

~Keep Smiling, Love You - Son

INTERMENT

New Hope Cemetery

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of Mother Cora Fletcher wishes to express deep and sincere gratitude and appreciation for all acts of kindness expressed during the illness and passing of our loved one.

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ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:

Royal Funeral Home

4315 Oakwood Avenue • Huntsville, Alabama 35810

"When only memories remain, let them be beautiful."

*Pat Printing
(256) 830-9458*

Royal Homegoing Celebration for Mother Cora Mae Green Fletcher



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*Sunday, January 21, 2001
One O'clock P.M.*

*Bethlehem Primitive Baptist Church
7565 Greenbrier Road
Madison, Alabama 35756*

Elder Joe Cater, Pastor & Officiant

OBITUARY

*But those who wait on the Lord shall renew their strength;
they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary,
they shall walk and not faint. ~Isaiah 40:31*

Mother Cora Fletcher was born February 2, 1937 to the late Joe and Ella Green in Limestone County, Alabama. She was united in Holy Matrimony to Willis Fletcher, Jr. on December 16, 1961. They shared 39 loving years together. She departed this life on Tuesday, January 16, 2001 at Huntsville Hospital.

Mother Fletcher confessed hope in Christ in August of 1954 and joined New Hopewell M. B. Church. She later moved her membership to Bethlehem P. B. Church under the leadership of the late Elder W. E. Owes, where she served faithfully. She was a member of the No. 1 Choir, Mother's Board, and Women's Auxiliary.

She was employed by the Limestone County Board of Education as a Bus Driver for 14 years. She also served as Ada in Harris Chapter #633, Order of Eastern Stars.

Mother Fletcher leaves to cherish her memories a loving and devoted husband: Mr. Willis Fletcher, Jr.; one devoted daughter: Letoya Fletcher; three sons: Pastor Ronnie (Jennifer) Green and Mr. Adrian G. (LaShonda) Fletcher of Huntsville, AL; SSG Willis D. (SSG Barbara) Fletcher of Ft. Leavenworth, KS; one step-daughter: Pastor Janice (Ricky) Lewis of Huntsville, AL; two sisters: Mrs. Daisy (Booker) Cowan of Huntsville, AL and Mrs. Linda (Tim) Davis) of Elkmont, AL; six brothers: Pastor Ananias (Sarah) Green, Elder Willie L. (Frances) Green, Mr. Jim (Betty) Green, all of Athens, AL; Mr. Mickey (Marilyn) Green of Madison, AL, Mr. John (Maria) Green and Mr. Earl (Stella) Green, of Huntsville, AL; mother-in-law: Mrs. Eliza Fletcher of Triana, AL; three additional brothers-in-law: Mr. Walter (Estelle) Dillard of Hartford, CT; Mr. Charles (Virginia) Fletcher and Mr. Joe (Alberta) Fletcher of Madison, AL; one additional sister-in-law: Lillie Houston of Triana, AL; 13 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She had a very special friend and sister-in-law in Mrs. Virginia B. Fletcher, whom she loved like a sister. Her sister Daisy was devoted in helping to take care of her during her years of illness. Mother Fletcher's smiling face, quick wit, and strong determination will be truly missed. She was an inspiration to all who knew her.

... And now death can only mean that the battle is over! For her, we can assuredly say, life's race is well run; life's work is well done; life's victory is won, and now rest, sweet rest --- rest with the Father, rest with the angels ...

~Excerpt from D. C. Washington "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder"

ORDER OF SERVICE



PROCESSIONAL.....Participating Clergy & Family

SELECTION.....Bethlehem Mass Choir

OPENING PRAYER.....Deacon Robert Crutcher

SCRIPTURE.....Elder Ivan Jamar

SELECTION.....Bethlehem Mass Choir

TRIBUTES (*As I Knew Her*):

- As an Aunt.....Sister Danita Davis
- As a Member.....Deacon Donald Davis
- As a Mother.....Mother Mattie Vance
- As My Mom.....Elder Ronnie Green

SELECTION.....Bethlehem Mass Choir

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.....Mother Catherine Robbins

SOLO.....Mrs. Linda Raybon

EULOGY.....Elder Joe Cater

CLOSING PRAYER.....Elder David L. Robinson

MORTICIAN.....Royal Funeral Home

RECESSIONAL.....Participating Clergy & Family