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INTERMENT

Ragland Cemetery • Greenbrier, Alabama

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of the late Mrs. Roberta Thatch wishes to thank everyone for the kindness extended during this period of bereavement.

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ROYAL FUNERAL HOME, Directing

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

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IN LOVING MEMORY

OF

Mrs. Roberta Thatch

1912 - 1998



Saturday, April 25, 1998

Two O'clock P.M.

Union Hill C. P. Church

3126 Nevel Drive

Huntsville, Alabama 35810

REVEREND MCKINLEY JONES, Officiating

OBITUARY



ROBERTA THATCH departed this life on April 20, 1998 in the Huntsville Hospital, following an extended illness in the home of her niece, Idella Jefferson.

Mrs. Thatch was born to the late Katie and William Thomas on the 22nd day of May 1912 in Limestone County. She is the sister of the late Major and Jessie D. Thomas.

She confessed hope in Christ at an early age under the leadership of Reverend John Page, Belle Mina, Alabama. She later moved to Lawrence, New York and united with the First Baptist Church of Lawrence under the leadership of Reverend Dr. James P. Taylor, until her health failed.

In 1994, she moved back to Huntsville, Alabama and united with Union Hill C.P.C.A., under the leadership of Reverend McKinley Jones, where she attended faithfully, before becoming confined at home

She leaves to mourn, **eight nieces:** Ms. Idella Jefferson, Mrs. Geneva Sledge (Lewis), Ms. Katie Thomas, Mrs. Roberta Douglas (Terry), Ms. Elizabeth Thomas, Mrs. Maggie Wade (Leon), Mrs. Gloria Washington, all of Huntsville, Alabama and Ms. Jessie Mae Bradley of Chattanooga, Tennessee; **two nephews:** Mr. Leonard Thomas (Bertha) and Mr. John Henry Thomas (Legusta) of Huntsville, Alabama; **three cousins:** Mrs. Idella Clemons (Charlie) and Mr. Leroy Fuller of Athens, Alabama and Ms. Annie Fuller of Huntsville, Alabama, and a host of great nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

*God saw the road was getting rough,
The hills were hard to climb;
He gently closed her lovely eyes,
and whispered, "Peace be Thine."*

*The weary hours, the days of pain
The sleepless nights are past.
The ever-patient worn out frame
Has found sweet rest at last.*

ORDER OF SERVICE



PROCESSIONAL

SELECTION.....	Choir
OPENING PRAYER.....	Reverend Alive Holman
SELECTION.....	Choir
SCRIPTURE.....	Appointee
REMARKS (<i>As He Knew Her</i>).....	Elder Hubert Garrett
SOLO.....	Brother Joe Ford
EULOGY.....	Reverend McKinley Jones
CLOSING PRAYER.....	Elder Joe Jordan
MORTICIAN.....	Royal Funeral Home

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