

Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my father's house there are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. Whither I go ye know and way ye know.

John 14: 1-4



In Loving Memory

of

Mrs. Ida Mae Scott

1935 - 2002



*Wednesday, June 12, 2002
1:00 pm*

*Little Ezekiel Missionary Baptist Church
Tanner, Alabama*

~ Rev. Charles Simmons, Pastor ~

I Needed the Quiet

I needed the quiet, so he drew me aside,
Into the shadows where we could confide.

Away from the hustle where all the day long,
I hurried and worried when active and strong,

I needed the quiet, though at first I rebelled,
But gently, so gently my cross he upheld.

And whispered so sweetly of spiritual things,
Though weakened in my body, my spirit took wings.

To heights never dreamed of when active and gay.
He loved me so gently, he drew me away.

I needed the quiet, no prison my bed,
But a beautiful valley of blessings instead.

A place to grow richer, in Jesus to hide,
I needed the quiet, so drew me aside.



~Obituary~

Ms. *Ida Mae Scott was born on June 3, 1935 in Limestone County to Mose and Lois Roberts. She confessed hope in Christ at the age of 11 and joined the Little Ezekiel M.B. Church under the leadership of Rev. Davis. She remained a faithful church member and senior choir member until her health began to fade.*

In 1952 she married Horace Scott and to this union seven children were born. Along with her father, three of her children preceded her in death (Stevie, Brenda, and James).

She leaves to cherish her memories a devoted husband, Horace Scott; four children: Edward (Georgia Mae) Scott, Anna (L.T.) Shoulders, Joyce (Leonard) Malone, and Mary (Thomas) Gill, all of Athens, Alabama; a mother, Lois Roberts and one sister, Bertha Williams, both of Athens, Alabama; eight sisters-in-law, Edna Ruth Dawkins, Earline Madry, Queen Allen, Flossie Williams, Mattie (Walter) Allen, Annette (Billy) Farrar and Lisa Williams, all of Athens, Alabama, and Gracie Hoard of Decatur, Alabama; three brothers-in-law: Dave M. Williams of Athens, Alabama; three daughters-in-law, Zola Scott of Huntsville, Alabama and Georgia Scott of Birmingham, Alabama; four sons-in-law, Rickey Pitts of Athens, Alabama; very dear friend, Ruby Mason of Athens, Alabama; her caregivers and grand-daughters: Andrea Shoulders, Myra Scott and Raven Scott; Fifteen grandchildren; Fourteen great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

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"Grandma"

The time has come for us to part
But you will always be in our hearts.
We could never thank you enough
For everything you have done for us,
Your gentle heart and hand
We could always trust.

Even when you were tired,
weary and sometimes unable,
You always made sure
there was food on the table.

Your were the first one up in the morning,
And the last one to lay down at night,
Never once letting us kids
Get out of your sight.

I sometimes sit and think
about all the old days.
The way you used to talk,
laugh, cry and even pray with us.

A beautiful lady you were always
Looking good and at your best,
Now it's time to go home
And give your soul a rest



~Order of Service~

Processional

Song..... *Choir*

Song & Prayer..... *Deacon*

Scripture..... *Elder Samuel Wright*

Words of Comfort..... *Elder Lewis Baker*

Song..... *Choir*

Obituary..... *Read Silently*

Acknowledgments..... *Sis. Beverly Malone*

Song..... *Choir*

Eulogy..... *Pastor Charles Simmons*
Pastor, Little Ezekiel M.B. Church
Tanner, Alabama

Solo..... *Sis. Mary Freeman*

Closing Prayer..... *Pastor Simmons*

Recessional

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So man lieth down, and riseth not; til the heavens be no more, they shall not awake, nor be raised out of their sleep. O' that thou wouldest hide me in the grave, that thou wouldest keep me secret, until thy wrath be past, that thou wouldest appoint me a set time, and remember me! If a man die, shall he live again? All the days of my appointed time will I wait, till my change come.

Job 14:12-14



But I would not have you to be ignorant brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him.

I Thessalonians 4:13-14

"Flowers Bearers"

*Mrs. Bertha Frazier
Mrs. Sue Harris
Mrs. Lula Howell
Mrs. Liddie Lucas
Mrs. Elizabeth Malone*

*Mrs. Amelia Montgomery
Mrs. Doris Rogers
Mrs. Elois Townsend
Mrs. Katie Townsend
Mrs. Annie Ruth Toney*

"Pall Bearers"

*Mr. George Caldwell
Mr. Mozell Caldwell, Jr.
Mr. Jesse Davis, Jr.
Mr. Johnny Green, Jr.*

*Mr. Puter Montgomery
Mr. Turner Rogers
Mr. James Russell, III
Mr. Curtis Townsend*

"Interment and Committal"

*Hatchett Cemetery
Tanner, Alabama*

"Thank You"

The family of the late Mrs. Ida Mae Scott would like to express their deepest feeling of thanks for all acts of kindness and words of condolence extended to them during the illness and death of their loved one.

Final Arrangements Entrusted to:

*People Funeral Home
Athens, Alabama*

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