

- Flowers Bearers -  
Church Family & Friends



- Pall Bearers -  
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- Interment and Committal -  
Thatch-Mann Cemetery  
Athens, Alabama



- Acknowledgement -

*When it seemed that our loss was too great to bear,  
We looked up and our friends were there.  
We, the GARRISON Family would like to thank everyone for  
Their flowers, kind words, and prayers.  
May God bless you and keep you.  
- The Family*

*Final Arrangements Entrusted To  
PEOPLES FUNERAL HOME  
Athens, Alabama*

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Homegoing Celebration  
For  
**Mrs. Beatrice Garrison**

Sunrise: October 14, 1905

Sunset: January 1, 2004



Wednesday, January 7, 2004  
1:00 p.m.

St. Mark P.B. Church  
Athens, Alabama 35611

Reverend Kenneth Owens  
Pastor and Officiant

## Obituary

WE, the family consider ourselves truly blessed to have had **BEATRICE L. GARRISON** in our lives. She departed this life on Thursday, January 1, 2004 at 1:10 p.m.; but God allowed her 98 years of a blessed life. She was born in Limestone County, Athens, Alabama on October 14, 1905. She was the seventh of nine children born to the late Rev. Green W. and Mary Ann Horton. She attended the public schools and was a domestic worker in a private home.

Beatrice was united in holy matrimony to the late William P. Garrison and to that union there was one son.

Beatrice committed her life to Christ, and in her last days often said, "Lord, I'm in your hands and I'm fixed up." She was a member of the St. Mark Primitive Baptist Church and affiliated with the Order of Eastern Star. When her health began to fail, she moved to Louisville, KY and lived with her granddaughter who cared for her until her death.

Beatrice leaves to cherish her memories a son, Richard Green Garrison, Sr. (wife Betty); granddaughter, Rejena Fay Garrison; grandson, Richard G. Garrison, Jr. (wife Ranetta); three great-grandchildren, Taylor, Richard III, and Nathan all of Louisville, KY; sister, Zula Mae Owens, Indianapolis, IN. A host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends .... she will be missed.

### *Psalms 23*

*Because the Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul:  
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the  
shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;  
thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:  
Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over,  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life:  
And I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.*

## Order of Service

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- Processional
- Selection ..... Choir
- Song & Prayer ..... Dea. Elijah Townsend
- Scripture ..... Richard G. Garrison, Jr.  
(Grandson)
- Acknowledgements ..... Church Secretary
- Obituary ..... Read In Silently
- 'As I Knew Her' ..... Rev. Isaiah Shoulders  
Rejena Fay Garrison (Granddaughter)
- Solo ..... ~~Choir~~ ~~Richard G. Garrison, Jr.~~
- 'As A Member' ..... Dea. Elijah Townsend
- Eulogy ..... Reverend Kenneth Owens
- Closing Prayer
- Recessional ..... Morticians

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