

Homegoing Service for
Dorothy Louise Boyd



Sunrise
August 8, 1936

Sunset
November 30, 2011

Memorial Service

Saturday, December 03, 2011

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Woody's Home For Services

163 Oakwood Avenue

Orange, NJ 07050

Reverend Michael J. Jordan, Officiant

Homegoing Service

Tuesday, December 06, 2011

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

St. Andrews United Christian Church

203 Mulberry Street

Henderson, NC

Reverend Jerome Taylor, Officiant

Obituary

Dorothy Boyd, the youngest daughter of the late James and Sophia Gregory was born in Henderson, NC on August 08, 1936. Dorothy departed this life on November 30, 2011.

She attended Vance County School system. Dorothy was united in holy matrimony to Jethro Boyd in April 04, 1953.

In 1956 Dorothy and her husband relocated to East Orange, NJ.

At an early age she was baptized at Saint Andrews United Christian Church in Henderson, NC. She joined Mount Olive Baptist Church in East Orange, NJ where she remained a faithful member for over 50 years.

Dorothy was employed at Mountainside Hospital in Montclair, NJ where she was a Laboratory Aide. She retired in 2001 after 36 years of service.

Dorothy was a member of the Executive Board of District 1199J. She was instrumental in helping form the Union at Mountainside Hospital. Dorothy also had been a member of Queen Ella Number 99 of the International Order of the Eastern Stars. While a member of the International Order of Eastern Stars she was a Financial and Recording Secretary. She was also the Queen of the South Princess Rahab. Dorothy was also a political activist and campaign worker for Carol Clark.

Preceding her in death four sisters Ruth, Girtha, Frances and Sophia, one brother James Thomas, son-in-law Jerome and granddaughter Angela.

Dorothy leaves to cherish her memories her husband Jethro Boyd (Jacksonville, Fl.), daughter Sandra V. Russell (East Orange, NJ), granddaughter JhaNene Russell (East Orange, NJ), one sister Christean N. Parker (Henderson, NC), two sisters-in-law Ernestine Taylor and Elizabeth Boyd (Henderson, NC), dear friends Ruby Thomas, Pat Becket, Ann Bennett and Geraldine Vass. She is also survived by a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Officiant: Reverend Michael J. Jordan, (New Jersey)

Officiant: Reverend Taylor (North Carolina)

Prayer Reverend Michael J. Jordan
Mount Olive Baptist Church

Old Testament Scripture Reading

New Testament Scripture Reading

Soloist Selection

Obituary Reading

Acknowledgements

Remarks

Dorothy's Special Song Selection

Words of Expression Reverend Michael J. Jordan
(New Jersey)

Eulogy Reverend Jerome Taylor
St. Andrews United Christian Church (North Carolina)



Interment

Evergreen Cemetery
Henderson, North Carolina

The Master Called

*I'm sorry I had to leave you.
My loved ones, oh so dear.
But you see, the Master called me,
His voice was very clear!
I had made my reservation
A heaven bound ticket for one,
And I knew that He would call me
When He felt my work was done.
I know that your hearts are heavy
Because I have gone away,
But when the Master called me,
I knew that I could not stay.
Yes, I'm sorry I had to leave you
My loved ones, oh so dear,
But, you see, the Master called me
And, now I'm resting here.
Yes, I've crossed on over to glory
And to you all I say
Just stay in the hands of Jesus
And we'll meet again someday.*

-Author unknown

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The calls you made comforted us. All the prayers you prayed lifted us. For all you did in thoughts, words and deeds, we thank you and may God continue to bless you and keep you in His tender, loving care.

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