

<u>Obituary</u>

Helen L. Pinckney (nee Howard) was born on October 4, 1924, to the union of the late Luther and Ella Howard in Staunton, Virginia. She passed away at home in East Orange, New Jersey on Tuesday, November 29, 2011.

She worked several years in New York for Ohrbach's Department Store before retiring from Neiman Marcus Department Store in Short Hills, New Jersey in 2000. Helen's life was dedicated to bringing love and compassion not only to her family but to everyone. She thrived on keeping family and friends close to her heart.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John E. Pinckney, Sr., sons, John E. Pinckney, Jr. and Steven Pinckney and granddaughter, Shamaine.

She is survived by: are her daughter, Frances L. Mathis; daughter-in-law, Yvette; son, Donald H. Pinckney and wife, Ruth; grandchildren, Craig, Sr., Steven, Jr., Stephanie, Sharkirah and Destiny; five great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews too numerous to mention, but all very dear to her.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude	
Invocation	
Hymn of Consolation	 "What A Friend"
Scripture Readings	
Old Testament	
New Testament	
Prayer of Comfort	
Selection	"Blessed Assurance"
Acknowledgements and Remarks	
Obituary	
Selection	
Eulogy	 Rev. Dwight Gill

Interment Rosedale Cemetery

Orange, New Jersey

Recessional

We Little Knew That Morning

We little knew that morning, God was going to call your name, In life we loved you dearly, In death we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you, You did not go alone, For part of us went with you, The day God called you home. You left us beautiful memories. Your love is still our guide, And though we cannot see you, You are always by our side. The family chain is broken, And nothing seems the same, But as God calls us one by one, The chain will link again.

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