

*In Loving Memory of*  
***Dorothy Mae Beecham***

*November 16, 1931 - May 22, 2012*



*Saturday, May 26, 2012 - 9:00 a.m.*

**COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE**

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, NJ

*Rev. Reginald Clark, Officiating*

*Emory Lee, Organist*

## *Obituary*

**Dorothy M. Beecham** of Arsdale Terrace, East Orange passed away in her sleep on May 22, 2012, she lived quietly while battling diabetes and heart problems.

Dorothy was born in Newark, NJ in 1931 to James Dougherty and Evelyn Dougherty.

Dorothy was happily married to her husband, the late John "J.D." Beecham.

She worked for the US Post Office and retired in 1991. Dorothy is a long time recognized supporter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars as both her husband and son served the US Army honorably with her son, Daryl, serving twice honorably.

She leaves to mourn and cherish her memory: her son, Daryl Beecham; her daughter, Desiree-Michelle Beecham; her two brothers, John and Wilbur; and a host of grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

# *Order of Service*

Musical Prelude

Processional

Opening Hymn

Scripture Reading  
Old Testament  
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgement / Resolutions

Remarks (*2 minutes please*)

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy  
Rev. Reginald Clark

Recessional

## **Interment**

Rosehill Cemetery  
Linden, New Jersey

## *Psalm 23*

*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 path 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 forever.*



### *Acknowledgement*

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.

Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there.

Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say.

Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day.

Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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