

## Crossing Over

*Oh, please don't feel guilty*

*It was just my time to go.*

*I see you are still feeling sad,*

*And the tears just seem to flow.*

*We all come to earth for our lifetime,*

*And for some it's not many years*

*I don't want you to keep crying*

*You are shedding so many tears.*

*I haven't really left you*

*Even though it may seem so.*

*I have just gone to my heavenly home,*

*And I'm closer to you than you know.*

*Just believe that when you say my name,*

*I'm standing next to you,*

*I know you long to see me,*

*But there's nothing I can do.*

*But I'll still send you messages*

*And hope you understand,*

*That when your time comes to "cross over," I'll be there to  
take your hand*

*-Author Unknown*



### Acknowledgements

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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## In Loving Memory of

**Sunrise**

October 30, 1923

**Sunset**

July 23, 2012



# Nettie P. Cooper

Sunday, July 29, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

**ZION HILL BAPTIST CHURCH**

152 Osborne Terrace • Newark, NJ  
Rev. Douglas L. Williams, III, Officiating

# Order of Service

Call To Worship

Congregational Hymn - "Pass Me Not"

Scripture Readings:  
Old Testament - Psalm 23  
New Testament - John 14: 1-6

Prayer Of Comfort

Musical Selection - "How Great Thou Art"  
Professor Carlton Pope Organist

Remarks;  
Deacon Douglas Williams, Jr.  
Missionary Pauline Howard  
Family & Friends (two minutes)

Acknowledgements and Obituary Reading - Sis. Josephine Rog

Musical selection - Deacon Francis Winn

Eulogy - Rev. Douglas L. Williams, III

Benediction & Recessional

**Interment**  
Meeks Cemetery  
Spring Hope, North Carolina

*Dinner will be served in The J.R. Stanford Dining Room*

# Obituary

*Nettie P. Cooper was born to the late Mr. George and Mrs. Nannies (Baines) Cooper on October 30, 1923, in Nash County, North Carolina. Nettie joined Red Oak Baptist Church in Spring Hope, North Carolina where she was baptized and accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Lord and Savior.*

*She moved to Newark, New Jersey in 1940 and shortly thereafter joined Zion Hill Baptist Church. Sis. Cooper served faithfully under the leadership of the late Rev. John Pullins and the late Rev. J. R. Stanford. She was a devoted Christian woman. Mother Cooper was a faithful member of the Woman's Fellowship Ministry, The Missionary Society, and in February 2011, she was appointed to the Mother's Board by D. L. Williams. Mother Cooper loved her Zion Hill Church Family.*

*Nettie Cooper was active in her community and was very well known. She enjoyed attending social events at the local Senior Citizen Center especially Leaguers and the Nellie Grier Center. Nettie was always well dressed and known for her elegant sense of fashion. Nettie was a Licensed Practical Nurse and was professionally employed by the Greystone Park Psychiatric Hospital, in Morris Plains, New Jersey for over thirty years.*

*On July 23, 2012, after fulfilling her earthly duties, Mother Nettie P. Cooper was called home by her heavenly father.*

*Nettie is survived by: two siblings, Mr. Ernest Joseph Copper of Hampton, Virginia, and MS. Ruth Copper of Spring Hope, North Carolina; a cousin, Mrs. Gloria A. McCathern of Newark, New Jersey; a devoted friend, Mrs. Geneva Deshazior of Newark, New Jersey; and her Zion Hill Baptist Church Family.*

*She was preceded in death by ten siblings*

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