

*In Loving  
Memory  
of*



*Rena Bobbitt*

**Sunrise**  
*November 17, 1919*

**Sunset**  
*November 5, 2012*

*Monday, November 12, 2012 - 11:00 a.m.*

**NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**

106 Sussex Avenue • Newark, NJ

**Pastor Joe A. Carter, Officiating**

**Reverend Lula A. Baker, Eulogist**

## *Obituary*

It has pleased our Savior Jesus Christ, to call from our earthly presence to join Him in Glory, our beloved, **Rena Bobbitt**. We bow in humble submission to the will of our Sovereign God, who doeth all things well.

Rena Bobbitt was born in Roxboro, North Carolina on November 17, 1919 to the late Robert Crutchfield and Betty Brandon, whereas God in his infinite wisdom and love for his own ended the suffering of Rena on November 5, 2012.

Rena was educated in the Roxboro School system where she met and fell in love with the late Eugene Bobbitt. They were united in marriage and celebrated sixty-six years together and their union was blessed with nine children. They migrated to Newark, NJ where Rena worked many years at St. Michael's Hospital before going on to work at Iver Lee's Company.

Rena was an extremely God fearing person with a strong will for life. She had a heart of gold and a smile that would light up the world. She was an exceptional mother that made sure all her children was raised with love, respect and great values and morals.

Rena was a member of New Hope Baptist Church where she was a member until her death. She served on many committees including the Mother's Board, Floral Club and Missionary Committee where she enjoyed visiting the sick and shut in. She was a devoted member with an extremely high faith in God.

She leaves to mourn and cherish her memories: her beloved children, Mary Dunn of Fort Myers, FL, Kathryn Andrews of Charlotte, NC, Janice Bobbitt Bragg of Orange, NJ and William Bobbitt of Charlotte, NC and the late Eugene Jr., Ronald and Maurice Bobbitt, Sandra White and Elizabeth Boyer Wilson; sixteen grandchildren; eighteen great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

# *Order of Service*

Hymn of Comfort

Scripture Reading  
Old Testament - Psalm 27  
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks

Acknowledgement, Condolences  
Resolutions

Obituary  
*(Read Silently)*

Selection

Eulogy  
Reverend Lula A. Baker

Recessional

## **Interment**

Fairmount Cemetery  
Newark, New Jersey

## **Repast**

At the V.S.W. 56 Melrose Garden  
East Orange, New Jersey.

# *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*



## *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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