

## 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.*

### 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*



# Nannie Ann Dent

**Sunrise**  
April 27, 1927

**Sunset**  
March 27, 2013

### Service

Wednesday, April 3, 2013 - 2:00 p.m.

**Cotton Funeral Service**

1025 Bergen Street  
Newark, New Jersey

# Order of Service

**Musical Prelude**

**Opening Hymn**

**Scripture Reading**

Old Testament

New Testament

**Prayer of Comfort**

**Selection**

**Acknowledgement / Resolutions**

**Remarks (2 minutes please)**

**Obituary**

**Selection**

**Eulogy**

**Recessional**

**Interment**

Fairmount Cemetery  
Newark, New Jersey

# Obituary

**Nannie Ann Dent** was born April 27, 1927 to Fannie Lambert Mitchell and Solomon Mitchell, Jr. in South Hill, Virginia. She was the youngest of eleven bothers and sisters.

Those who knew Nannie Ann would say that she was a kind and giving person. Always giving unselfishly of what she had. She was nurturing to her family and a sincere friend. She gave love and always tried to make someone's day a little brighter. She smiled often and showed kindness to all.

Nannie Ann worked in the Newark Public Schools for more than twenty-five years as a cafeteria service worker. She worked at Madison Avenue Elementary, Avon Avenue Elementary, Shabazz High, and finally retiring from Harriet Tubman Elementary. She loved working with the children and often spoke of their energy and love. Her loving and nurturing spirit will surely be missed.

On a peaceful evening March 27, our Lord called Nannie Ann home. She joins her son Lawrence Dent and husband Hubert C. Dent and her bothers and sisters who predeceased her. She leaves to cherish her memory, her two loving children Arthur C. Dent and Diane D. Jones; son-in-law Richard Jones; seven grandchildren; great grandchildren; a sister-in-law, Queola Dent and a host of nieces, nephews other relatives and friends.

***The Watcher***

“She always leaned to watch for us  
Anxious if we were late,  
In winter by the window,  
In summer by the gate.  
And though we mocked her tenderly  
Who had such foolish care,  
The long way home would seem more safe,  
Because she waited there.  
Her thoughts were all so full of us,  
She never could forget,  
And so I think that where she is  
She must be watching yet.  
Waiting ‘til we come home to her  
Anxious if we are late Watching from Heaven’s window  
Leaning from Heaven’s gate.”

Lovingly Submitted,  
The Family

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