I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. (2 Timothy4:7) A Celebration of Life and Going Home Celebration of Belle Anderson Higgs Alpha: June 6, 1918 Omega: May 8, 2015 **Funeral Service** Friday, May 15, 2015 - 12:00 Noon CARNIE P. BRAGG FUNERAL HOME 256 Rosa Parks Blvd. • Paterson, New Jersey Rev. M.A. McMillan, Sr., Officiating





Processional

Selection

Solo Beatrice L Bloodworth

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Cedar Lawn Cemetery Paterson, New Jersey

Repast

Family and friends please join us for a repast at 110 Rosa Parks Blvd., Paterson, NJ

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Mrs. Belle Anderson Higgs was born on June 6, 1918 in Bleckley County, Georgia, a daughter of the late William Anderson and Annie Mae Blackshear. The Lord called her home early Friday morning, May 8, 2015 after a long illness. She received her formal education in the Bleckley and Bibb County public school systems.

In 1935 she met Nathaniel Bloodworth and from that union they had a son in 1936 Bobby Bloodworth. Belle then decided it was time to expand her horizons and with her family members they moved to Paterson, New Jersey in 1938. After moving to Paterson, she met Isaac Higgs and after a long courtship they were united in matrimony on October 5, 1940. Belle and Isaac gave their life to the Lord and were faithful members of St. Luke Baptist Church for more than sixty years. Where she was a devoted Deaconess, Missionary and faithful church member.

Belle was a loving and devoted daughter, sister, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, great-grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt and friend to many. Belle and Isaac loved spending time with their family and friends especially their many grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Belle loved trips to Shea Stadium, concerts and plays, taking her grandchildren to amusement parks and during her later years traveling with her granddaughter.

She was predeceased by her husband, the late Isaac Higgs, her son, Bobby Bloodworth, Sr, her brothers, Frank Anderson and Jerry Eason, her sisters, Willie Mae Paul, Rachel Redmond, Millie Ann DuBose, Annie Lee and Emma Lou Anderson, and her grandson, Gregory McMillan.

She leaves behind to cherish her memories: her

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After Glow

I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one,

I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles When day is done.

I'd like to leave an echo whispering Softly down the ways,

Of happy times and laughing times And bright and sunny days,

I'd like the tears of those who grieve,

To dry before the sun

Oh happy memories that I leave behind

When day is done.

Acknowledgements

The family of the late **Belle Anderson Higgs** wishes to express their deepest and most sincere thanks to all who shared with them in this time of sorrow. May God bless and keep you in a most gracious way.

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