The Victorious Triumphant Homegoing Service for

Missionary Azree Marable

Alpha:

May 19, 1921 Oxford, North Carolina Omega: June 23, 2015

Rahway, New Jersey



<u>Service</u> Wednesday, July 1, 2015 ~ 10:00 am

Second Baptist Church

378 East Milton Avenue Rahway, New Jersey Reverend Dr. James W. Ealey, Pastor

Order of Service

Musical Prelude Deacon Mack Williams
ProcessionalFamily & Ministers
Parting ViewFamily
Opening Hymn"Blessed Assurance #27Choir
Scripture Readings Old Testament: Psalm 27 New Testament: John 14:1-7
Prayer of Comfort
Words of ComfortAngel Avette Williams Hawkins
Duet
Acknowledgement of CondolencesErma Harmon, Church Clerk
Poem ReadingsJo-Ann Jefferson, daughter Dawn Fields, granddaughter
ObituaryErma Harmon, Church Clerk
Duet
EulogyReverend Dr. James W. Ealey
Recessional"Soon And Very Soon"Choir
Interment

<u>Interment</u> Heavenly Rest Memorial Park East Hanover, New Jersey

Immediately following the interment, family and friends are invited to return to the church where a repast will be served.

Services Entrusted To:

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<u>Reflections of Life</u>

Missionary Azree Marable was born on May 19, 1921 in Oxford, North Carolina, the fourth of eight children born to the late Samuel Cooper and Queen Esther Mays Cooper. She received her early childhood education from Young Zion Elementary School and attended Mary Potter High School in Oxford. Azree accepted Christ at the age of 12 and was baptized by Reverend Batt, the pastor of Westone Baptist Church in Oxford, North Carolina.

At the age of 17, she married Nathaniel Marable and was blessed with six children: Carnell W., Carl, Garrison "Gary", twin daughters Jane and Janet, and Jo-Ann. The family moved to Newark, New Jersey in 1941 and to Linden in 1966

She was a School Bus Aide at the Vogel Bus Company in Roselle for 20 years of service, retiring in 2012. She was dearly loved by the children. Previously, she was employed at Technair Packaging Company in Rahway for many years.

Missionary Azree joined White Rock Baptist Church in Linden where she was an active member for 22 years. A member of various ministries including the Missionary Circle, Senior Choir, Sunday school, and Pastor's Aide Committee. In 1988, she decided to continue her Christian discipleship as a member of Second Baptist Church in Rahway under the pastorate of Reverend Dr. James W. Ealey where she served in the Missionary Society, the Women's Guild, attended Wednesday night Midweek service, sang in the Church-Inspirational Choir and 100 Women in White Choir. In 2014, she was given the "Special Recognition Award" from the Women's Guild. Azree could be seen attending service in her gorgeous hats and fashionable color coordinated outfits praising the Lord.

Missionary Azree was a lady who loved Jesus and devoted her entire life to her family and the church. She had a loving heart and would do anything for anyone. Her favorite song was "Amazing Grace." Azree's favorite scripture can be found in John 14:2-3 which says, *In my father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may he also.*

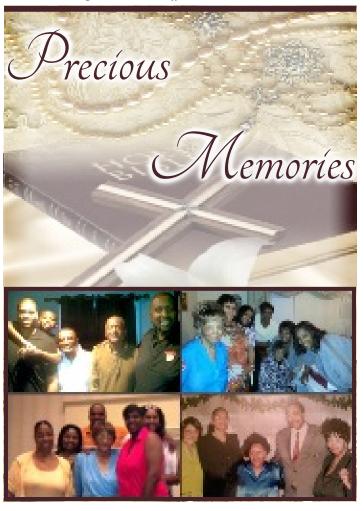
She was predeceased by her husband, Nathaniel Marable; and three of her children: Garrison "Gary", Carl and Jane.

On Tuesday, June 23, 2015, Missionary Azree Marable departed this earthly life at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital in Rahway at the tender age of ninety-four.

Missionary Azree Marable leaves to cherish her memory, her children, Deacon Carnell W. Marable and wife, Deaconess Jessie Marable, Janet Burns and husband, David Burns, and Jo-Ann Jefferson and husband, Elelake Jefferson; sister, Doris McClinton; daughter-in-law, Marie Marable; 17 grandchildren, 21 greatgrandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, dear relatives and friends.

Lovingly submitted, The Family

Mother you are my angel. Mother I want you back, but Jesus has your back. I am going to let you go because Jesus loves you so. Love Your Daughter, Jo-Ann Jefferson





God Called Your Name So Softly

God called your name so softly,

That only you could hear And no one heard the footsteps Of angels drawing near. It broke our hearts to lose you. But you did not go alone, For part of us went with you, The day God called you home. You're always close beside us, *In everything we do,* You were our greatest treasure, God's gift to us was you. We will always remember that way you looked, The way you talked and smiled, The little things you said and did To make our lives worthwhile. Each time we look at your picture. You seem to smile and say, Don't be sad but courage take And love each other for my sake. Just a prayer from the family to you, Just a memory fond and true, In our hearts you will stay forever Because we thought the world of you.

Andre Marable Jimmy Marable LouVon Sneed



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free I'm following the path God laid for me I took his hand when I heard Him call I turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day. To laugh, to love, to work or play. Tasks left undone must stay that way, I found that peace at the close of day. If my parting has left a void, Then fill it up with remembered joy. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, Oh, yes these things I too will miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow, I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow. My life's been full, I savored much. Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch. Perhaps my time seemed all too brief, Don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your heart and share with me, God wanted me now, He set me free! -author unknown

Acknowledgement

The family of **Missionary Azree Marable** acknowledges with sincere appreciation every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this our hour of bereavement. We will always keep you in our prayers. May God continue to richly bless you.



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