

Anna Lee Rouse

Sunrise November 15, 1922 October 15, 2015

Tuesday, October 27, 2015 - 12:00 Noon

TEMPLE OF RADIANT LIGHT

430 Franklin Street Bloomfield, New Jersey Bishop Shammah Womack-El, Pastor Officiating

<u>Reflections of Life</u>

Anna Lee Baker Rouse was born November

15, 1922 in Hartsville, South Carolina to the late William Baker and Lugenia Poole Baker. She resided in Darlington, SC before relocating to East Orange, NJ in 1944.

She was formerly employed by the Otis Elevator Company (formerly in Harrison, NJ) for 25 years before retirement. She was member of the Greater Mount Calvary Church of Christ of Paterson, NJ, where her husband, Bishop Eugene Rouse was the pastor, and where she served as the First Lady and church pianist. She was Mother Superior of the church, and Supervisor of the Women's Department. She was a member of the Inter-Denominational Women's Conference, where the late Rev. Dr. Allene Gilmore was the founder.

Her high-end fashions and unique style, caught the attention of many people. She was a trendsetter, who loved the Lord with all her heart. Whenever you would see her, you also would the Bishop, maybe even holding hands.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Barbara Gene Bell; a brother, Larry Baker; and her parents, William and Lugenia Baker.

She leaves to cherish fond memories: her husband of 75 years, Bishop Eugene Rouse; one son, Sean Eugene Rouse; five grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, friends and neighbors.

<u>Order of Servíce</u>

Prelude

Processional

Selection

Scripture Reading Old Testament New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Acknowledgements & Remarks (2 minutes each please)

Reflections of Life

Selection

Message of Comfort Bishop Shammah Womack-El

Recessional

ENTOMBMENT

Fairmount Mausoleum Newark, 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

The family of the late **Anna Lee Rouse** wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expressions of love, concern and kindness shown to their family during this hour of bereavement. May God Bless and Keep You!

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