

Flower Bearers
Family and Friends
Pall Bearers
Great Nephews

To Those I Love

When I am gone, release me, let me go.
I have so many things to see and do.
You mustn't tire yourself with tears.
Be happy that we've had so many years.
I gave you my love, you can only guess
How much you gave to me in happiness.
I thank you for the love each have shown,
But now its time I've traveled alone.
So grieve awhile for me if grieve you must,
Then let your grief be comforted with trust.
It's only for a while that we must part,
So bless the memory within your heart.
I won't be for away, for life goes on,
So, if you need me, call and I'll come.
Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near,
And if you listen with your heart, you 'U hear
Ail of my love around you soft and dear.
And then. when you must come this way alone,
I'll greet you with a smile, and say "Welcome Home."

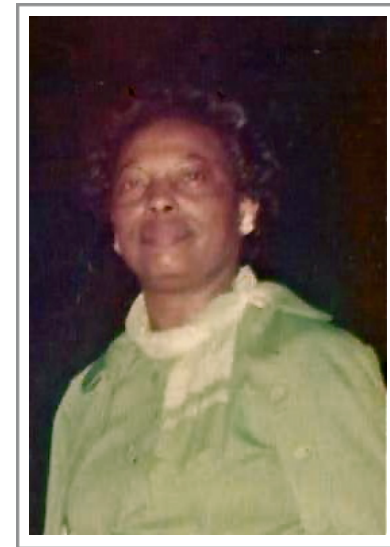


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A Celebration of Life
For
Ms. Evelyn E. Barber

February 12, 1929~July 5, 2011



Saturday, July 9, 2011

Visitation 1:30 PM

Service 2:00 PM

Knox Grove Baptist Church
3500 Third Creek Church Road
Cleveland, North Carolina

Reverend James R. Millsaps, Pastor
Officiating

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

Processional

Family and Friends Visitation

1:30 PM ~ 2:00 PM

HYMN

"Near The Cross"

Choir

SCRIPTURES

Old Testament

Psalms 23:1-6

New Testament

1Corinthians 13:8-13

HYMN

"Walk With Me"

Choir

EULOGY

Reverend James R. Millsaps

Pastor

RECESSIONAL

"Amazing Grace"

Choir

INTERMENT

Knox Grove Baptist Church Cemetery

Obituary

"The Lord your God is with you, he is mighty to save. He will take great delight in you, he will quiet you with his love, he will rejoice over you with singing"

ZEPHANIAH 3:17 NIV

Miss Evelyn Elzenia Barber of 6033 Santa Maria Drive, Winston-Salem, NC (formerly of 333 Brevard Street, Statesville, NC) gave herself willingly to the Lord, July 5, 2011 at Kate B. Reynolds Hospice Home.

Evelyn was born on February 12, 1929 to the late Henry and Ola Woods Barber. She was educated in the Rowan County School System-Knox County. Evelyn retired from Iredell Memorial Hospital after over 40 years of service. She enjoyed cultivating joyful and meaningful relations with family and friends. She nurtured and enriched the lives of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Evelyn gave graciously and unselfishly to her only child, as well as, to all of her family members.

Evelyn joined Knox Grove Baptist Church at an early age. She was an active participant in many church functions and activities. Having a gifted voice she was a member of the Soul Stirrers Gospel Choir. In later life (as resident at the Oaks At Forsyth) Evelyn was known to begin and end her day singing songs of praise to the Lord. She would also sing during the day giving thanks for her blessings.

Evelyn is survived by a very appreciative and loving family. She taught them the true meaning of Trust, Faith, Peace and Love-which she gave unconditionally and received unconditionally. Cherishing her living love is her daughter Cynthia (Linwood), grandson Brent, great-grandsons Kaleb, Bryson, and Cameron, and her special niece Kashja, and a host of nieces and nephews, great nieces and nephews, great-great nieces and nephews.

"For ye shall go out with joy, and be led forth with peace: the mountains and the hills shall break forth before into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands. "

ISAIAH 55:12

Acknowledgment

The family of Evelyn Barber expresses deep appreciation for all expressions of caring and support shown during our hour of bereavement. The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.