

Sunrise September 6, 1911 Sunset March 31, 2012

Saturday, April 7, 2012 - 9:00 a.m.

**MT. ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH** 

187 Pearl Street Paterson, New Jersey *Rev. Betty Montgomery, Officiating Gwendolyn Hillard, Organist* 

<u>Reflections of Life</u>

**Beulah (Lowery) Farmer**, 100, was born on September 6, 1911 in Bishopville, South Carolina to the late Samuel and Julia Ann Lowery.

Beulah received a formal education in Bishopville, South Carolina.

Beulah married the late Robert Farmer, Sr. on April 6, 1947 together they raised five children. Beulah and Robert moved the family to Paterson, New Jersey in 1952. After relocating to Paterson, she joined the Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of Reverend E.M. Bates.

Beulah was employed at Spotless Cleaners in Paterson, NJ. She also worked as a Domestic Engineer for many years.

Beulah was predeceased by her husband, Robert Farmer, Sr., daughters, Ruth March and Arlene Godbolt and sons, Robert Farmer, Jr. and Albert Farmer.

Beulah leaves to cherish her precious memories: daughter, Dorothy Hall; sixteen grandchildren; twenty great grandchildren; her buddies, Lester Liverpool and Vivian Wright; and a host of nieces, nephews and the Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church Family.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude Gwendolyn Hillards
Processional/Final Viewing Clergy & Family
Opening Hymn "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms"
Scripture Readings Old Testament - Psalm 23 New Testament - John 3:11-16
Prayer of Comfort Clergy
Resolutions/Acknowledgements Trustee Rose White
Remarks Church Deacon Trustee Sis. Hattie Benjamin Friends Family
Selection Choir
Reflections of Life Deacon Ernestine Jackson Richards
Solo Darius Edwards
Eulogy Rev. Betty Montgomery
Recessional Family

Interment Fair Lawn Cemetery Fair Lawn, New Jersey

## 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

## <u>Acknowledgement</u>

The family 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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