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Sunrise December 12, 1923

Sunset February 27, 2013

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Service Friday, March 8, 2013 - 12:00 Noon

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<u>Obituary</u>

Olevia Bailey, was born December 12, 1923 in Boyle, Mississippi. She attended school in Boyle, Mississippi. She was one of ten children born to Adlina and Henry Sharpe.

All nine siblings: Willie, Miles, James, Mckinley, Reace, Louise, Annie Mae, Arlover and Catherine, have all preceded her in death.

Olevia came to New York City and married, Floyd Bailey Sr. and out of that union three children were born. Floyd Bailey, Jr., Dorothy Bailey-Smith and Maryanne Bailey-Bobo. Floyd Bailey Sr. and Jr. have preceded her in death.

Olevia was employed at Tishman Building Management for thirtytwo years.

Olevia enjoyed taking her car a blue 1978 Buick LaSabre out every weekend for a car wash, or to visit family in the Bronx and Brooklyn and on special trips to Atlantic City, New Jersey casino. Her favorite shopping store was Macys. She loved to look good, smell good and feel good. She was very proud of her family.

She leaves to cherish her memory: two daughters, Dorothy Bailey-Smith (Tyrone Forde), New York and Maryanne Bailey-Bobo, South Carolina; three granddaughters, Tracey Bailey Hynson, San Diego, CA, Sequin Kimberly White, New York and Deborah Denise Crosby, New York; three grandsons, Kenneth White, Jermaine Bailey (Alisha) and Jason Bailey (Lisa); one great-granddaughter, Crystal Marie Bailey; one great-grandson, Kenneth Parson; two great grandsons, Michael Gaskin and Clavin Graham; one great granddaughter, Noel Gaskin; one great great grandson, Cristofer Lawrence Shaw; and a host of nieces and nephews.

We Love You!!!!

Psalm 83-18

"That men may know that thou, whose name alone is JE-HO-VAH, art the most high over all the earth."

<u>Order of Service</u>

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Woodlawn Crematory Bronx, New York

When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you for a little while Please do not grieve and shed wild tears And hug your sorrow to you through the years But start out bravely with a gallant smile And for my sake and in my name Live on and do all things the same Feed not your loneliness on empty days But fill each waking hour in useful ways Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer And I in turn will comfort you And hold you near And never, never be afraid to die For I am waiting for you in the sky!

-Helen Steiner Rice

Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven: A time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted; A time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up; A time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance; A time to cast away stones; a time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing; A time to get, and a time to lose; a time to keep, and a time to cast away; A time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak; A time to love, and a time to hate; a time of war, and a time of peace.

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

We sincerely appreciate the kind deeds each of you have rendered to make our loss easier to bare. We are so grateful for the prayers, kind words and other expressions of sympathy. In due course, we hope to personally express our gratitude to each of you-We, the family, thank you with all our hearts. A special thanks to Lamont Taylor for your help.

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