

*In Loving Memory of*



*Dorothy E. (Miller) Hansford*  
*"Ms. Dot"*

*Sunrise*  
May 9, 1933

*Sunset*  
January 16, 2014

*Service*  
Saturday, January 25, 2014 - 11:00 a.m.

**UNION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
221 Myrtle Avenue • Passaic, New Jersey 07055  
*Rev. Kortney Haigler, Officiating*  
*Donovan Jackson, Organist*

## *Reflections of Life*

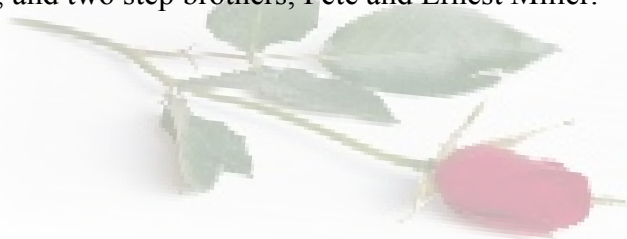
**Dorothy E. (Miller) Hansford aka “Ms. Dot”**, returned to God’s loving arms on Thursday, January 16, 2014. Ms. Dot, formerly of Passaic, NJ resided in Allentown, PA. She was born in Greenbay, VA and lived in Passaic, NJ for over fifty years.

Ms. Dot graduated from Eastside High School of Paterson, NJ, also attended different business schools in NJ and PA. Ms. Dot worked as an Electronic Technician at Western Electric of Kearny, NJ later transferred to AT&T Telephone Company in Allentown, PA, for over thirty years, retiring December 30, 1994. She formerly worked as a Head Receptionist at Dun & Brad Street of Fogelsville, PA.

Dorothy was a member of Union Baptist Church of Passaic for over sixty years, serving as a member of the Junior Choir, Intermediate Choir and Chorus Number 2 and also served as V.P. of the Pastor’s Aid.

Ms. Dot is survived by: her son, Craig Hansford of Allentown, PA; granddaughter, Chanell Washington of Clifton, NJ; grand son-in-law, Ankomo Washington of Clifton, NJ; four great-grandchildren, Alexes, Elasha, Amiah and Ava Washington of Clifton, NJ; brother, R. “Leon” Miller of Clifton, NJ; sister, Carrie Mae Jackson of Baltimore, MD; sister-in-law, Lottie Miller of Farmville, VA; aunts, Hortance Miller of Farmville, VA and Marie Riddick of Philadelphia, PA; and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

She was predeceased by her parents, Henry H. Miller and Catherine Scott; brother, Henry C. Miller; step mother, Eunice Miller; and two step brothers, Pete and Ernest Miller.



# *Order of Service*

**Music Prelude**

**Invocation**

**Scripture Readings**

*Old Testament*

*New Testament*

**Prayer of Comfort**

**Selection - Esther Wheeler**

*"When I See Jesus"*

**Acknowledgements and Remarks - Manor Care**

*A Letter From The Great Grands and Selection From Son, Craig*

**Reflections of Life**

*Carol Lucas*

**Selection - Dawn Simpson**

*"Walk Around Heaven All Day"*

**Eulogy**

*Rev. Dr. Calvin McKinney*

**Committal and Benediction**

**Recessional**

*Cremation*

*East Ridgelawn Crematory*

*Clifton, New Jersey*

# *Mother's Hands*

*Hands that rocked the cradle  
From the moment of my birth,  
Their tender touch  
remembered*

*By those still here on Earth.  
Soft as silk those hands  
That taught me how to pray,  
Banishing childhood fears;  
They soothed each one  
away.*

*When I grew much older  
And troubles came my way,*

*Those hands caressing mine*

*Did more than words could say.*

*Mother's hands were gentle,*

*They're missed so very much,*

*I'd give the world to feel once more*

*Their warm and tender touch.*

*Those hands were full of comfort*

*Now they lie at rest,*

*But memories hold them close*

*To the ones they served the best.*

## *Acknowledgements*

*Craig Hansford and Family would like to express a heart-felt thanks to Heartland Hospice and Manner Care for all the help provided and for all expressions of sympathy.*

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