In Loving Memory of Barbara Lee Stover

Sunrise April 12, 1929

Sunset November 25, 2014

Wednesday, December 3, 2014 - 10:00 A.M.

Good Shepherd Church

285 Nesbit Terrace Irvington, New Jersey Father Frank

<u>Obituary</u>

Barbara Lee Stover (maiden name: Dumas) who was also known as "Bobby Lee" departed this life on Tuesday, November 25, 2014 at Cornell Hall in Union, New Jersey.

She was born in Fayetteville, North Carolina to Hallie Dumas and James Bradford. She moved to Montclair, NJ as a teenager and attended Montclair High School. She lived in Montclair, NJ until adulthood. While attending college at Seton Hall University she met and married Percy Boyd Stover at St. Peter Claver Church in Montclair, NJ. After marriage the couple moved to East Orange, NJ where they raised their children. Their union produced five daughters.

Barbara worked as a nursing Assistant at the Lyons Veterans Administration for many years. She also worked as a Home Health Aide for several agencies. She was very active in the Rosary Society and Parent Teacher Association at the former 'Our Lady of All Souls Church and School" in East Orange, NJ. She loved to travel and participated in activities with her children.

Barbara is survived by her five daughters, Adrienne, Andrea, Barbara Anita, Angela and Ann Marie; two sons-in-law, Jimmy Lane and Gralin Banks; two nieces, Michelle Dumas and Cheryl Williams as well as twelve grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren, two grandnephews; and a host of friends.

She is predeceased by her husband, Percy Boyd Stover, brother, Rufus "Skipper" Dumas, sister-in-law, Catherine Dumas, Aunt Wyetta Dumas-Robinson as well as her Aunts Charlotte and Ann Dumas.

Order of Service

INTRODUCTORY RITES Greeting Sprinkling with Holy Water [Placing of the Pall] Entrance Procession [Placing of Christian Symbols] Opening Prayer

LITURGY OF THE WORD Readings Homily General Intercessions

POST COMMUNION SONG "The Lord's Prayer" by Kia Inman

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST Speaker for 5 minutes

FINAL COMMENDATION Invitation to Prayer Silence [Signs of Farewell] Song of Farewell Prayer of Commendation

PROCESSION TO THE PLACE OF COMMITTAL

<u>Interment</u>

New Jersey Veterans Cemetery Wrightstown, New Jersey

Miss Me, But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road and the sun has set for me, I want no rites in a gloom filled room, Why cry for a soul set free? Miss me a little-but not too long, and not with your head bowed low. Remember the love that we once shared. Miss me-but let me go. For this is a journey that we all must take. And each must go alone. It's all part of the Master's plan, A step on the road to home. When you are lonely and sick at heart, Go to the friends we know. Laugh at the things we use to do Miss me-but let me go. -author unknown

Acknowledgement

Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat guietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece If so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all just thought of us on that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts, We Thank You, Whatever the part.

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