In Boving Memory of



Baura Bassiter

Sunrise March 27, 1910 Sunset January 29, 2015

Service

Thursday, February 5, 2015 - 11:00 a.m.

Macedonia Christian Church

186 Burkley Place • Vauxhall, New Jersey

<u>Obituary</u>

Laura (Whitaker) Lassiter, lovingly known as "MaMa", was born March 27, 1910 in Rich Square, NC to the late Wright and Rose Whitacker.

Laura was educated in the North Hampton County School System in North Carolina. She met and married Alexander Lassiter in 1932 in Emporia, Virginia. Their union was blessed with one son, Alexander "Calandas" Lassiter. She was a member of the Chapel Hill Church in Rich Square, NC. In 1941 she moved to Newark, NJ and became a member of the Metropolitan Baptist Church. During this time she was employed by Dr. and Mrs. Bressman. She remained in their employ for many years. In 1966, Laura moved to Union, NJ along with her son, daughter-in-law and grandchildren. She then became a member of Macedonia Christian Church of Vauxhall, NJ. She remained a member there until her passing.

Laura was a devoted and caring mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and friend. She dedicated her life and time to helping others in times of need. Laura was known to have a kind and outgoing soul who loved to greet you with a simple, but powerful "Good Morning" that would really make your day. She loved working in her garden and sharing what she grew. She enjoyed going to church and her favorite Bible verse was Psalms 23. She always believed that a family that prays together stays together.

Laura touched the lives of many people with her smile and generosity. She maintained her trademark sense of humor with all those she met.

Laura was preceded in death by her husband, son and all of her siblings.

Laura Lassiter leaves to mourn: one loving daughter-in-law, Annie L. Lassiter; three grandchildren, James Lassiter (Michelle), Gwendolyn Lassiter and Alexandra Lassiter; five great grandchildren, Kiana, Quinten, Breanna, Daisia and Wali; one great-great granddaughter, Zoe; and a host of other relatives and many friends.

Order of Service

Processional
Hymn
Prayer of Comfort
Scripture Readings Old Testament New Testament
Selection
Reflections
Obituary
Selection
Eulogy
Recessional

~Interment~ Hollywood Cemetery Union, New Jersey

~Pall Bearers~ James Lassiter Paul Opoku Quinten Opoku Quadro Opoku



God's Garden

God looked around his garden and found an empty place. He then looked down upon the earth, and saw your tired face.

He put His arms around you
And lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He only takes the best.

Acknowledgements

The **Lassiter Family** would like to thank you for your sympathy, prayers and kindness at this most difficult time.

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