

*Life Celebration  
of*



*Rachel Hunter*

*Sunrise*

*June 12, 1910*

*Sunset*

*March 13, 2011*

*Saturday, March 19, 2011 - 10:00 a.m.*

**SHILOH A.M.E. ZION CHURCH**

**129 William Street • Englewood, NJ 07631**

**Rev. John D. Givens, Pastor**

## *Obituary*

**Rachel Hunter** was born June 12, 1910 in Canton, MS to the union of the late Jacob Garrett and Sallie Jackson.

She was educated at the Public School System in Canton. Rachel relocated to Englewood, NJ to pursue her career and accepted Christ as her Savior at Shiloh A.M.E Zion Church in Englewood, NJ. She served as a faithful member who truly loved the Lord and her church family.

Rachel was a faithful member of Shiloh A.M.E Zion Church for over thirty years. She was a woman of great faith and all who knew her witnessed her faith in God on a daily basis. She was a praying woman of God and a great believer in the healing power of God. She was awarded “Outstanding Member” and “Mother of the Year” for her service in the church community. Rachel found joy in gardening, uplifting others and spending time with her family/friends.

The Lord called Rachel home on March 13, 2011 after serving 100 years on the Lord’s battlefield.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Jacob Garrett and Sallie Jackson; one sister, Callie Reed; one brother, Percy Sims; two sons, John Shaw and Tommy Shaw.

Her celebration of life will be remembered by: her children, Mrs. Pearl Brooks of Chicago, IL, Mrs. Deloris Caldwell of Canton, MS, Ms. Artistine Terrell Archie of Englewood, NJ, Ms. Brenda Martin of Englewood, NJ, Mr. Napoleon Terrell of Sherwood, IL and Mr. Willie Hunter of Teaneck, NJ; fifteen grandchildren, twenty great grandchildren, three great-great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

# Order of Service

*Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden,  
and I will give you rest. -Matthew 11:28*

Musical Prelude

Processional

Hymn

Scripture Readings

Old Testament - Psalm 27:1-4

New Testament - 2 Timothy 4-8

Selection ..... Choir

Acknowledgements and Resolutions

## Expressions of Love

*Marcus Shaw, Sylvia Epps,  
Bobby Wright, and Fred Johnson*

Obituary

Solo

Selection ..... Choir

Eulogy

Recessional

## Interment

*Onisha Burks Memorial  
Canton, Mississippi*

*Friends are invited to join the family for the repast at  
Shiloh A.M.E. Zion Church in the Fellowship Hall.*

## Pallbearers

Marcus Shaw	Leon Cleveland
Jimmie Archie	Timothy Terrell
Gerald Chavis	Robert Young

## **-Granny-**

*When we think of you, we think of love & strength. We are truly blessed to have you as our grandmother. You laid the foundation for our family. You taught us when life gets hard, to get down on our knees and pray. You showed us that we could always rely on family. Your spirit will forever be in our presence. Your strength and grace will forever be remembered. We will love you always.*

*Your Grandchildren,  
Great-Grandchildren, & Great-Great Grandchildren*

### ***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 we all must take and each must go alone.  
It's all a 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.  
And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds. Miss me, but let me go.*

### ***Acknowledgement***

*The family acknowledges with sincere appreciation every kind expression of love shown in thought, word and deed. We believe that Jesus has given love to his people to give to those who are in need. So again, we say thank you. In addition, we would like to extend a very special thank you to the staff at Inglemoor Center.*

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