

Pallbearers

OFFICERS OF FARMER CHAPEL CHURCH

Sherman Coleman
Rufus Flagg Sr.
Walter B. Jones

Jesse Kinnon
Lowell Tapp
William O. Taylor Jr.

Honorary Pallbearers

Lanier Douglas
Billie Jackson
William Dodson

Will Batcheler
Robert Coleman
Curtis Burns

Flower Bearers

Stewardesses and Ushers

Acknowledgements

The family of the late Mrs. Tishie Taylor Thomas would like to take this means of expressing its sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown during the illness and since the passing of their loved one. May God Bless each of you!

The Family

Interment

Rosenwald Cemetery

Morticians in Charge

Rawls Funeral Home / Brownsville, Tennessee

Services of Celebration

For the Life of

SISTER TISHIE TAYLOR THOMAS

1904-1988



Saturday, January 23, 1988

11:00 A.M.

Farmer Chapel C.M.E. Church

Brownsville, Tennessee

REV. MARVIN FRANK THOMAS...officiating

Obituary

If I can help somebody as I pass along,
If I can cheer somebody with a word or song,
If I can show somebody he is traveling wrong,
Then my living shall not be in vain.

Passing into eternity, when life has been sweet, is as going from one room into a larger and more beautiful one.

One could not wish to leave behind imprints such as our deceased has left imprints of an abiding peace and joy in spite of tears unless she loved God. Thus the life of Tishie Taylor Thomas is endless.

She bore her illness with patience, and her relatives, friends, neighbors, doctors and nurses did everything in their power to make her comfortable and happy.

She was born January 31, 1904, to the late Henry (Dang) and Emma Taylor. At an early age she united with the Hopewell C.M.E. Church. Later she joined Farmer Chapel C.M.E. Church, where she remained faithful, serving on the Stewardess and Trustee Boards and the Missionary Society. She was Treasurer of the Brownsville-Dyersburg District Lay Council, and the NAACP.

In 1920, she met and married Mr. Addie (Sling) Thomas, to this union no children were born.

She was a delight to her friends and a joy to her family.

Left to cherish her memories are: one sister Mrs. Theola Taylor, Detroit, MI.; three nieces, Mrs. Louise Hegger, Brownsville, TN., Mrs. Dorothy (Floyd) Mitchell, Jackson, TN., and Mrs. Martha Harris, Detroit, MI.; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Mattie Taylor, Brownsville, TN.; three great nieces, Miss Amy Harris, Mrs. Monica Qualls, Miss Sheila Harris, all of Detroit, MI.; three great nephews, Terrel Kenyon, Gregory Poole, both of Detroit, MI., and Willie Stewart, Brownsville, TN.; two adopted daughters, Mrs. Sarah M.P. Batcheler and Mrs. Ivory M. Reddit, both of Brownsville, TN., and one adopted son, Laymon A. Johnson and many cousins and friends.

To be able to smile in the storm,
To be watchful and careful and constant in prayer,
To be cautious, to do no harm,
To be useful and wanted to live everyday,
That whenever the bell tolls for you,
You'll be happy to say though my end is at hand,
I've done all the good I could do.

This is the life of our loved one and friend, who has gone. May those left behind catch the light of her light.

Order of Service

Processional Soft Music

Song Choir
"Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross"

Prayer Rev. James E. Brown
Presiding Elder, Jackson District

Scripture 90th Psalms-Rev. Edward C. McKelvy
Presiding Elder, Brownsville-Dyersburg District

Acknowledgements Mrs. Jessie L. Morris

Resolutions Mrs. Eva L. Oldham

Solo Mrs. Sarah P. Batcheler

Obituary Read Silently - Soft Music

Eulogy Rev. Marvin Frank Thomas
Pastor, Farmer Chapel C.M.E. Church

Recessional...