

Homegoing Service

For

Edith (Edie) Gwyn

Sunrise

October 13, 1944

Sunset

August 31, 2015



Tuesday, September 8, 2015

Viewing: 1:00 pm

Funeral: 2:00 pm

First Samuel Grove Progressive Primitive Baptist Church

765 Willis Gap Road

Ararat, VA 24053-3661

Dr. Tony O. Carter/Officiating

Dr. W. E. Martin, Pastor/Eulogist

Order of Service

Family Viewing 1:00 until 2:00pm
Selection.....First Samuel Grove P.P.B. Church Choir
Invocation Dr. Tony O. Carter
Words of Comfort..... Evangelist John Bennett
Scripture Readings:
 Old Testament..... Guest Minister
 New Testament Guest Minister
Selection.....First Samuel Grove P.P.B. Church Choir
Acknowledgements/ Church Resolution..... Sister Gracie Brim
Solo "Falling in Love with Jesus" Brother Scott Hale
Eulogy Dr. W.E. Martin
Recessional
Interment.....First Samuel P.P .Baptist Church Cemetery
 Ararat, VA
Committal/Benediction Dr. W.E. Martin
Final Flight..... Spencer Funeral Home Staff

Repast will follow in the church fellowship hall

Pallbearers

Sons and Nephews of Edith Gwyn

Flower Bearers

Nieces of Edith Gwyn

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Obituary

Edith Gwyn affectionally known as “Edie” by family and friends and as “Nome” by her younger grandchildren, departed this life on August 31, 2015 at the Select Specialty Hospital in Harrisburg PA. She was the daughter of the late Raleigh and Martha Rucker and was also preceded in death by her beloved husband Nathaniel Gwyn; two grandchildren Markita Walker, Jeremy Evans and two brothers Randolph and Jack Rucker. Edith accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior at an early age and baptized at the former Mt. Lebanon, Edith joined First Samuel P.P. Baptist Church where she was affiliated with the following ministries: The Women’s Auxiliary, the Choir, the Mother Board, and was former member of the kitchen ministry. She loved Pastor Martin and First Lady Dora Martin and truly enjoyed the preaching of the word. She loved the Lord with all her heart, soul and body, her favorite song was “Falling in the Love with Jesus.

She was survived by her loving sons Joseph Walker (Denise) Jackie Walker (Maria), Jamie Walker (Chrissy) , Harmon Mitchell all of Mount Airy, NC and John Walker of PA, adopted grandson V.J. of Mount Airy, NC; 19 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, one brother George Rucker, four sisters Frances Robinson, Shirley Easter, all of Harrisburg, PA; Dorothy Robinson of Mount Airy, NC and Peggy Burford (James) Clinton, MD; two sisters-in-law, Catherine Green of Pilot Mountain and Elizabeth (Mattie) Gwyn of Mount Airy, NC, one brother-in-law Edward Smith of Winston Salem, NC; dear friends Evangelist John Bennett and Walter and Walter Yellock; and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.



They are not who find
The light of sun and stars and God

Safely Home

I am home in Heaven, dear ones;
Oh, so happy and so bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this everlasting light.
All the pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
Safely home in Heaven at last.
Did you wonder I so calmly
Trode the valley of the shade?
Oh! but Jesus' arm to lean on,
Could I have one doubt or dread?
Then you must not grieve so sorely,
For I love you dearly still;
Try to look beyond earth's shadows,
Pray to trust our Father's Will.
There is work still waiting for you,
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth—
You shall rest in Jesus' land.
When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home;
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,
Oh, the joy to see you come!

Acknowledgements

The Family extends their sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kind expression and compassion during the illness and passing of our love one. Special thanks to Wallace Funeral Home, Harrisburg, PA and Spencer Funeral Home, Mount Airy, NC

Interment

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