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IN CELEBRATION
of the Life of

R E G I N I A C U R R Y - F I E L D S



Wednesday, January 13, 1988

1:00 p.m.

Lincoln Memorial United Methodist Church

641 Masten Avenue, Buffalo, N.Y.

OBITUARY

Reginia Bea Bell Curry-Fields was the daughter of James and Emma Burns Bell. She was born in Lancaster, South Carolina on May 27, about 1894. She departed this life on January 8, 1988 at Nazareth Nursing Home. She came to Buffalo, New York with her husband, Robert Curry, at an early age. Four children were born to this marriage: Stella (now deceased), Maurice (now deceased), Mildred (Mitchell) and Ulysses. After the death of her husband, Mrs. Curry married Jedediah Scott Fields. Her stepsons from this marriage were David Fields, Jedediah Fields, Jr. (now deceased) and Herman Fields, also deceased.

Mrs. Fields was an active member of the Eastern Stars and she served on the Usher Board of Lincoln Memorial. After many years of employment at Westinghouse she retired as one of the oldest members of their work force.

Reginia Curry-Fields leaves to mourn her loss, her daughter, Mrs. Mildred Mitchell of Pomona, Calif.; Ulysses Curry of Cheektowaga, New York, her son; a stepson, David Fields (Wilhelmina);

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude Mrs. Juanita Melford

*Congregational Hymn 224
"Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"

PROCESSION OF THE FAMILY

Opening Sentences and Prayer of Hope

HOLY SCRIPTURES

Old Testament: Psalm 139:1-5; 13-17
New Testament: John 11:14-27

Solo Mrs. Laoretta Anderson
"Nearer My God to Thee"

Reading of the Obituary-Mrs. Dorothy Bass

SERMON The Rev. Melba V. Chaney
"Which Way is Zion?"

Solo Mrs. Anderson
"Tis the Old Ship of Zion"

*Congregational Hymn 433
"Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross"

THE FAMILY PROCESSES OUT

- - - - - Postlude - - - - -
*people standing

INTERMENT: St. Matthew Cemetery

Funeral Director: Alfred Lewis Mortuary

PALLBEARERS

Will Brown Charley Fisher, Jr. William Leigh
Henry McEachin Caesar Scott

two stepdaughters-in-law, Mrs. Carrie Fields and Mrs. Inez Fields of Buffalo; two sisters, Mrs. Lula Thomas (Judson) and Mrs. Annie Savage of Buffalo; three grandchildren, four step-grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; three step-great-grandchildren; three step-great-great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

O HAPPY SOUL!!!!!!

O happy soul, be thankful now and rest!

heaven is a goodly land;

And God is love; and those He loves are blest!

how Thou dost understand

The least Thou hast is better than the best

That Thou didst hope for; now upon Thine eyes

the new life opens fair;

Before thy feet the blessed journey lies

through homelands everywhere;

And heaven to thee is all a sweet surprise.

-Washington Gladden

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family wishes to thank all of the friends for their many acts of kindness during this time of bereavement.