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*"OUR GRATITUDE"*

*Because you cared, you came to share  
Beautiful flowers and words of prayer.*

*Because you cared enough to do,  
Words of comfort on cards came, too.*

*Because you cared, we were not alone,  
Calls and visits reached us at home.*

*Because you cared, we're grateful indeed,  
You've been a comfort and friends in need.*

*Because you cared, we're praying, too;  
For God's richest blessings for each of you.*

*The Family*

*PALLBEARERS*

*GRANDCHILDREN & FRIENDS*

*INTERMENT*

*FOREST LAWN CEMETERY*

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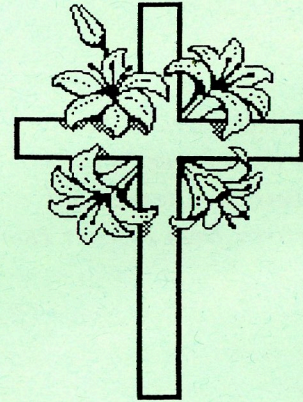
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*In Loving Memory  
of*

*Mother Virginia Louise Scott*

*"BIG MOMMY"*



*SERVICES*

*SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 1998*

*10:00 A.M.*

*Hopewell Baptist Church*

*1307 Fillmore Ave.*

*Buffalo New York 14211*

*Rev. Dennis Lee, Jr. Pastor*

*Officiating*

# Obituary

*With sadness, death has come among us, & silently closed the door of life, moved through the Celestial Gates to the eternal rewards of VIRGINIA LOUISE SCOTT. She was born in Dyersbury, Tenn. to the late James & Mary McGown and died in Roswell Park Hospital, Tuesday, June 9th.*

*She met and married the late Samuel Scott in Hazel Christ, Ill. and they moved to Toledo, Ohio. From there they made their home in Buffalo, New York. She worked at Bestway Cleaners off and on for about 30 years and retired from Blocher Home.*

*She became a member of the Hopewell Baptist Church in 1961 under the leadership of the founder (the late Rev. J.F.D. Lyles) and was an active member of the Senior Choir, Sunday School, the Mother Board and President of the Missionary Ministry until her health failed her.*

*She leaves to cherish her memories:*

*3 Daughters: La Vern Horton, Sarah & Willa Mae Scott of Buffalo, NY. 2 Sons: Samuel Jr. & Nathan (Diane) Scott. 2 Brothers: Tom (Diane) Sylvester of Arizona & Joe (Thelma) Sylvester of Toledo, Ohio  
1 Sister: Vernell Thomas of Toledo, Ohio*

*A host of Grandchildren. To name a few: Glenn Horton of Las Vegas, Nevada. Bryon K. Rhodes, the late Kimberly Rhodes & Angela Scott of Buffalo, NY. Several Great-Grandchildren which included Bryon K. Williams and a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.*

# Order of Service

*Processional.....Clergy & Family  
Final Tribute*

*Selection*

*Scripture:*

*Old Testament*

*New Testament*

*Prayer*

*Selection*

*Resolutions*

*Remarks - (Limit 2 Minutes)*

*Obituary*

*Selection*

*Eulogy.....Pastor Dennis Lee, Jr.*

*Recessional.....*

*"I'm Going Home On The Morning Training"*

*Order of Service*

*Memories*

*Family Meditations*

*Love*



*Outspoken*

*Unique*

*Inquisitive*

*Strong*

*Earnest*

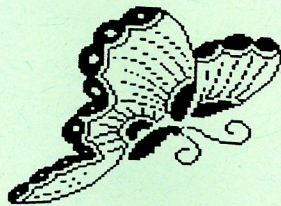
*"BIG MOMMY"*

*You held many titles throughout your life  
Some called you daughter, sister, mother, wife*

*You graced us with wisdom  
Embraced us with care  
Showered us with laughter  
Taught us to share.*

*We know there must be angels here on earth  
How else could we explain  
The joy your spirit brought our life,  
At the mention of your name.*

*There aren't many like you  
There are only a few  
Holding the title "BIG MOMMY"  
As strongly as you do.*



## "A PSALM"

*The Lord is my Shepherd  
And He leadeth Me...*

*Beside the still waters*

*At peace I will be!*

*In Pleasant green pastures*

*My feet will find rest...*

*And there in His presence*

*My heart will be blest!*

*My soul is restored when*

*I look on His face...*

*For freely He offers*

*Forgiveness and grace!*

*My cup runneth over*

*With measures divine...*

*And daily His showers*

*Of blessings are mine!*

*The Lord is my Shepherd*

*And he leadeth me...*

*His rod and His staff for*

*My comfort will be!*

*In goodness and mercy*

*With Him I shall dwell...*

*Forever to know,*

*"With my soul it is well!"*

## "I AM FREE"

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free*

*I'm following the path God has laid you see.*

*I took His hand when I heard Him call*

*I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day*

*To laugh, to love, to work or play.*

*Tasks left undone must stay that way,*

*I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void*

*Then fill it with remembered joys.*

*A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,*

*Oh yes, these things I too will miss...*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow*

*I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow,*

*My life's been full, I savored much,*

*Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,*

*Don't lengthen it now with undue grief,*

*Lift up your hearts and share with me,*

*God wanted me now; He set me free...*

