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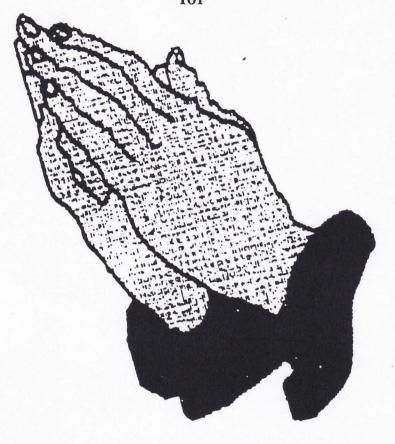
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# HOMEGOING SERVICE for



# LOUISE C. BARTON

November 20, 1913 - December 28, 1999

Tuesday, January 4, 2000 Christian Wake: 11:00 A.M. - Funeral Service: 12:00 Noon

> Lincoln Memorial United Methodist Church 641 Masten Avenue Buffalo, New York 14208

REVEREND DR. JAMES S. WEBB, JR.,

## Obituary

She Suffered long but with a smile
For she knew in her heart all the while,
That God was patiently waiting there
To put a Halo in her hair.

Louise C. Barton received her Halo early in the morning of Tuesday, December 29, 1999 at Sisters Hospital, Buffalo, New York.

On November 20, 1913, Louise C. Barton entered this life in Boligee, Alabama and graced it for eighty six years. She was the sixth child of seven children born to Bernice Crawford and Leslie Crawford.

Louise C. Barton educated in the Green County Public Schools in Boligee, Alabama, She was raised in a Christian Home and became a church member at an early age in Boligee, Alabama. Where she joined Mt. Olive Baptist Church. On September 3, 1950 she married George Barton in Bradford, Pennsylvania. Later, they moved to Buffalo, New York where she worked at the New York State Psychiatric Center until her retirement in 1979.

Upon her moved to Buffalo she became a member of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, Buffalo, N.Y. under the late Rev. Guy Graves and the Rev. William Bunton. She joined Lincoln Memorial United Methodist Church in the early 1960's under Rev. Williams and, while a member of Lincoln United Methodist Church, She served faithfully on the Rachel York Circle.

Louise Barton, even though she was seriously ill, always had a sunny disposition. She had a kind word for everyone she met. And, Louise never wanted her visitors to leave and she would always urge them to come back to see her.

Left to cheerish her memory are: her husband, George Barton, two sisters-in-law, Mamie Crawford of Sarasota, Florida and Luella Crawford of Boligee, Alabama; two nieces, Cynthia Harmon of Pheonix, Arizona and Leslie Merriweather of Pheonix, Arizonia, one nephew (Al) Orlando Brown of Buffalo, New York, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Now she is well and strong and whole.

No longer a victim of life's hard toll.

Lift your voice in joyous breath

That she was touched by the Angel of Death.

Weep not that her life on earth is o'er

For she is beyond the Golden Door!

Waiting...Waiting to meet us there

With a shining Halo in her hair!!!

Betty Webber Lovingly Submitted, The Family

## Order of Service

### Rev. Cassandra Salter-Smith Officiating

PRELUDE
SOLEMN PROCESSIONAL
OPENING HYMN NO. 526What a Friend We Have in Jesus
INVOCATION
LORD'S PRAYEROrganist
HOLY SCRIPTURES Old Testament: Psalm 27 New Testament: 1 Corinthians 15: 42-45 Gospel: John 14: 1-14
GLORIA PATRIOrganist
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH  Minister: The Lord be with you.  People: And with thy spirit  Minister: Let us pray.
PASTORAL PRAYER OF INTERCESSION
RESPONSE NO. 496Organist "Sweet Hour Of Prayer"
WORDS OF COMFORT
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND OBITUARY
HYMN: NO. 377

SERMON......Rev. Cassandra Salter-Smith

HYMN: NO. 469....."Jesus Is All the World to Me"

RECESSIONAL HYMN.....Organist

BENEDICTION (At The Gravesite)......Rev. Cassandra Salter-Smith

#### **Pallbearers**

William Leigh Bee Fogan George W. Nicholas Henry Worrell Charlie Fisher, Jr. Louis Chapman

#### Acknowledgement

The Family of the late Louise C. Barton wishes to acknowledge and thank neighbors and friends for all expressions of sympathy. May God Bless each of you.

Arrangements

Providence Funeral Homes Inc. 1275 Sycamore Street Buffalo, N.Y. 14211

> Interment Forest Lawn Buffalo, New York