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When the perishable has been clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality, then the saying that is written will come true: 'Death has been swallowed up in victory.'

Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?

The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law.

But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Cor 15: 54-57

October 6, 1926 – June 4, 2000

Lincoln Memorial United Methodist Church
641 Masten Avenue
Buffalo, New York 14209
Rev. Dr. James S. Webb Jr, Pastor
June 11, 2000
6:00 PM
OBITUARY

Emily E. Lafayette was born on October 6, 1926 and died on June 4, 2000. The daughter of the late Johnny Gordon, Emily was raised by her Grandmother, Lily Rainey. Emily was a long time, active member of Lincoln Memorial United Methodist Church. Some years ago she was honored by the Senior Choir for her service to the church. She was a member of The Usher Board, Altar Guild, United Methodist Women, and was a Communion Steward. She was the church secretary for a number of years, always working many more hours than those for which she was paid. Emily drove the church van for five years, and when this was no longer possible, she coordinated the van pick-up schedule, and continued to do this until her death. For over five years, she purchased the supplies for, and set up, the coffee hour. When illness struck Emily five years ago, she was no longer able to continue her active schedule of assistance to the church. She continued to do the things that she could, however. She called the sick and shut-in members of the church on a daily basis, visiting them when she was able. She faithfully remembered birthdays and anniversaries of members with a card. Emily was also an avid bowler until her illness. The church will miss her smile and special laughter on Sunday morning in the front corner of the church. We will remember her as a good and faithful servant of her church and her God.

Order of Service

Prelude
Opening Hymn "Great is Thy Faithfulness" UMH # 140
Prayer Rev. Dr. James S. Webb, Jr.
Scripture:
Old Testament Psalm 121
Selection "Beams of Heaven as I Go" UMH # 524
Remarks and Memories:
  Visiting Ministers
  Usher Board
  Church Secretary
  Communion Stewards
  Trustees (Van Driver)
  Altar Guild
Selection "When We All Get to Heaven" UMH # 701
Benediction Rev. Dr. James S. Webb, Jr.