

Acknowledgements

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Psalms 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

2 He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

3 He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

5 Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

-Amen

Final Arrangements Entrusted To
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Celebrating the Life of



Sunrise

September 5, 1933



Sunset

April 28, 2019

Melba Jane Carrington

"Mickey"

Tuesday, April 30, 2019

Family Hour 12 pm

Service 1 pm

The House of Day Funeral Service

2550 Nebraska Ave.

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United Methodist Church

Celebrating the Life of Melba Jane Carrington

Melba Jane Carrington, affectionately known as "Mickey", age 85 of Toledo, Ohio, passed away peacefully in her sleep at home on April 23, 2019. She was born September 5, 1933 in Lockport, New York to the late Ulmont Jack and Jennie Belle (Jones) Jenkins. She was the oldest and only girl of six children.

As a young woman enjoying life, she met her Sweetheart, Harold M. Carrington, at a dance in Newfane, NY and was later married on April 2, 1954. Harold and Mickey remained active and worked in the Lockport community, while raising their 9 children until moving to Toledo, Ohio in 1974. Her role as a dedicated wife, loving mother and grandmother, was most important to her. So much so, that after raising their nine children, she decided to be a foster mother for Lucas County Children Service throughout the years. Keeping two sets of siblings together, they decided to adopt eight children in 1991.

Throughout her life she maintained a sweet and simple demeanor with an entertaining sense of humor. She was a woman of faith who nurtured her family through prayer, cooking and offering an ear and encouraging word of support. She especially loved the peace and beauty of gardening. She was known as Grandma/Granny to her grandchildren and great grandchildren who adored her and brought her immense joy. Mickey's life was family. Her ability to love in abundance spans generations.

She was preceded in death by all her siblings; son-in-law Jerry Darnell; grandchildren Anthony and Tyson; great grandchildren Anita, Julio, Mylove and Da'Von.

She is survived by her beloved husband of 65 years; her 17 children Jennie (Emmanuel) Mbohi of Canton, OH, Harold (Monica) Carrington of Bowling Green, OH, Howard Carrington (Nancy) of Toledo, OH, Joanne Darnell(Justin) of Toledo, OH, Juliana Carrington of Douglasville, Georgia, Cheryle(Kevin) Gregory of Toledo, OH, Hugh Carrington (Dora) of Toledo, OH, Carol (Roosevelt) Chandler of Toledo, OH, Deborah Carrington(Dean) of Toledo, OH, Kimberley Rambus of Toledo, OH, LaVonda Carrington of Raleigh, NC, Charles Carrington of Dayton, OH, Tiffine Carrington of Raleigh, NC, Michael Carrington of Columbus, OH, Terrance Carrington of Toledo, OH, Larina Carrington of Toledo, OH and Tomica (Jamal) Carn of Toledo, OH. 58 grandchildren, 74 great grandchildren and 4 great-great grandchildren; sister-in-law Carol Jenkins of Lockport, NY; along with a many other loving relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Organ Prelude.....

Opening Prayer.....

Musical Selection.....Old Rugged Cross by Kevin Gregory Sr.

Scripture: (OT: Psalm 23).....Tomica Carn

(NT: Matthew Chapter 5: 4-12).....Tomica Carn

Remarks.....(2 minutes please)

Acknowledgment of Condolences

and Obituary.....Kim Rambus

Musical Selection.....His Eye is on the Sparrow by Kevin Gregory, Jr.

Eulogy.....Elder William Davis

Recessional.....Family

"When tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart, for every time you think of me, I'm right here in your heart."

-author unknown