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Funeral Services

for

MRS. ETHEL MAE POLK BEST

Wednesday, December 6, 1978 — 2:30 p.m.

Harmony Baptist Church
R.F.D., Statesboro, Georgia

Rev. J. D. Battles, Officiating
Interment—Eastside Cemetery, Statesboro, Ga.

Payton's Mortuary In Charge Of Arrangements
Obituary

Mrs. Ethel Mae Polk Best was born in Bulloch County, Georgia, to the late Warren and Rebecca Polk. She passed away at the Bulloch Memorial Hospital, Statesboro, Georgia, December 2, 1978.

Ethel Mae sought divine guidance at an early age, and joined the Johnson Grove Baptist Church where she served faithfully. In 1974, she transferred to the Harmony Baptist Church and worked diligently until death.

She leaves to cherish her memory a devoted husband, Charlie Best, Statesboro, Ga.; two daughters, Mrs. Archie Mae Denson, Statesboro, Ga., and Mrs. Sherlie B. Adams, Ramstein, Germany; two sons, Charles and Lawrence Winnon Best both of Statesboro, Ga.; one sister, Mrs. Dothia Smith, Philadelphia, Pa.; one brother, Alonzo Polk, Cincinnati, Ohio; five grandchildren, four aunts, one uncle, several nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me!
And may there be no moaning of the bar,
When I put out to sea.
But such a tide as moving seems asleep,
Too full for sound and foam;
When that which drew from out the boundless deep,
Turns again home.
Twilight and evening bell,
And after that the dark!
And may there be no sadness of farewell,
When I embark.
For though from out our bourne of time and place
The flood may bear me far;
I hope to see my Pilot face to face
When I have crossed the bar.

Order of Service

PROCESIONAL
PRESIDING .......................................................... Rev. R. L. Lee
SELECTION .......................................................... Payton's Chorus
INVOCATION .......................................................... Rev. R. L. Lee
SCRIPTURE .......................................................... Rev. James Canty
SELECTION .......................................................... Payton's Chorus
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ...................... Mrs. Priscella Mainer
REMARKS .......................................................... Dea. Ernest Williams
SELECTION .......................................................... Payton's Chorus
EULOGY .......................................................... Rev. J. D. Battles
RECESSIONAL

Honorary Pallbearers
Deacons of Harmony Baptist Church

Active Pallbearers

Tommy Burroughs       Dan Bostic
Hinton Ward           John Zeigler
C. L. Jenkins         Lee A. Johnson

Floral Attendants

Ms. Eula Odom         Ms. Lucille Scott
Ms. Johnnie M. Love    Ms. Essie Onia Mincey
Ms. Earnestine Jenkins Ms. Veronica Young

The members of the family wish to express thanks to their many friends and relatives for their many acts and expressions of kindness extended to them. This kindness will always be remembered with deep gratitude.