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Acknowledgements
The family of Mrs. Josephine Hendley Samuels is sincerely
grateful for your unwavering support during our time of challenge.
Your visits and kind expressions of love and sympathy, your
cards, letters, telegrams, beautiful flowers, food and monetary
donations are heartfelt and deeply appreciated. May God bless
each of you is our prayer.

Home Going Services
from
Mrs. Josephine Hendley Samuels
1906 - 1987

Sunday, July 5, 1987
3:00 p.m.
Pilgrim Baptist Association Center
Guyton, Ga.
Rev. E. S. Woods, Officiating
Samuels Funeral Home
P.O. Box 294 Blandford Rd
Rincon, Ga. 31326
(912) 826-5333 or 712-5431
Obituary

On Sunday June 28, 1987, Josephine Hendley Samuels departed this life to live with God. She slipped peacefully away from a wide circle of relatives and friends who loved and admired her.

Josephine Hendley Samuel was born February 9, 1906 in Stilson, Ga., to the late Mr. Morris and Mrs. Mary Hendley. At an early age she became a Christian and accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Savior and joined Friendship Baptist Church of Stilson, Ga., under the leadership of the late Rev. Fred McGee where she served faithfully in the choir, Pastor's Aide Club and the B.M.W. Society and other auxiliaries of the church.

In 1925 she was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Walter Samuels, Sr. from this union ten children were born. She later moved to Marlow, Ga., where she has lived for 55 years.

She leaves to cherish her memory: a devoted husband, Dea. Walter Samuels, Sr.; six daughters, Mrs. Annie M. Henderson of Queens, N.Y.; Mrs. Mary Harris, Mrs. Ruby Sims and Mrs. Catherine Holmes all of Savannah, Mrs. Lucille O. Jewanmi of Brooklyn, N.Y., Ms. Jeannette Samuels of Marlow, four sons, Mr. James Samuels of Guyton, Mr. Rayfield Samuels of Savannah, Dea. Walter Samuels, Jr. of Marlow, Mr. Vernon Samuels of Brooklyn, N.Y.; two sisters, Mrs. Eunice Irvin of Bloomingdale, Mrs. Gency Winn of Jacksonville, Fla., 46 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren, 3 daughters-in-law, Mrs. Mary, Thelma an Mercerian Samuels; 3 sons-in-law, Elder Ulysses Harris, Dea. Daniel Sims and Mr. Willie Holmes; 1 brother-in-law, Dea. Joe Samuels; 3 sisters-in-law, Mrs. Pinkie Samuels, Mrs. Carrie Howard and Mrs. Leola Peoples. several nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and a host of loving friends.

Death Is Just A Transition

Be not dismayed that death has come
To claim our beloved Josephine
For our Lord's resurrection,
Assures us of life again.

We must not fret or be perplexed,
Because there's a celestial shore
Where tribulations and daily woes
Will surface never more.

Life was not promised without strife,
But it's comforting to know
That we serve a risen Savior
He, too, great burdens bore.

Let's keep the faith whatever betides,
We must be steadfast until the end
For God has prepared a Heavenly home.
Where we'll see Josephine again.

Order of Service

Presiding ................................ Rev. D. Williams
Selection .................................. Choir
Prayer ...................................... Rev. D. J. Germar.
Scripture: Old Testament .................. Rev. W. K. Free
New Testament
Selection .................................. Choir
Remarks (3 minutes) As A Member ........... Dea. S. Lonon
As A Neighbor ............................. Dea. W. Prescott
Solo ........................................ Sis. Viola Hicks
Tribute ..................................... Ms. Candis Sims
Obituary ................................... (Read Silently)
Acknowledgement ....................... Sis. Alma Johnson
Solo ........................................ Sis. Alma Johnson
Eulogy ..................................... Rev. E. S. Woods
B.M.W. Society Presentation
Benediction
Recessional

No Viewing After Service
Interment - Friendship Church Cemetery, Stilson, Ga.