



Bobbie Crudup

February 16, 1943 - June 20, 2011

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 25, 2011 at Bethlehem Temple Church, 3521 Webber Street. Pastor Curtis Johnson will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at Browne's Mortuary, 441 North Jefferson Avenue, on Friday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m. Our dearly loved Bobbie J. Fletcher-Crudup passed away June 20, 2011 from a lengthy illness. She was born in Little Rock, AR on February 16, 1943 to Lawrence and Nettie Fletcher. She received the baptism in Jesus name at an early age under the leadership of Bishop Leodis Warren in Little Rock, AR. She was a faithful member of Bethlehem Temple Church in Saginaw, MI where she served on many committees until her illness. Mrs. Crudup co-owned her own business, "Crudup Associates" for over 30 years, in which she ran the day to day operations of the organization. She was known for her kindness and generosity. She enjoyed shopping, cooking, gardening and animals, especially her dog, "Precious". Her memory will be cherished by her husband, Prenethus Crudup; two children, Marcella Fletcher-Jones and Prenethis Williams, both of Saginaw, MI; two grandchildren, Lawrence Jones and Evans Jones, both of Saginaw, MI; her siblings, Mattie Fletcher-Starks and Theodore (Gerdie) Holmes, all of Little Rock, AR; god-daughter, Mary Wynn of Southfield, MI; special nephews, Mickey Conley, Hosea Leavy, both of Little Rock, AR, Michael Leavy of Pine Bluff, AR and Eluehue Crudup of Saginaw, MI. Bobbie was preceded in death by her parents, Lawrence and Nettie Fletcher; two daughters, Debra Fletcher and

Shelia Crudup; and her siblings, Anna, Lonzo Smith, Bessie Mae Conley, Sadie, Rosco Fletcher and Lloyd Fletcher.

Tribute Wall

TH

“ We will always love you, and you will be missed but not forgotten. God has a plan and a purpose for all of us. He has put you out of your pain and suffering. My heart is heavy but I know God will see me threw it all.

Theodore & Gertie Holmes - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Praise the Lord from whom all blessings flow. Just want you all to know that our God is the God of all comfort. Though your hearts may be heavy now, you will find wonderful joy as He strengthens you and wraps you in His loving arms to hold you close at this time and even forever more. I love you and am praying for you all.

Mary E. Bond - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

IC

“ To Deacon Crudup, Marcella, Eluehue and the entire Crudup Family, I would like to express my deepest condolences to you. Sister Crudup was such a beautiful woman, I still remeber how laughter and beautiful smile, I pray that God will give you the grace and strength that you need during this difficult time.

Ivy Reed Crudup - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ to the crudup family i am very sorry for the lost of mrs.crudup my prays are with you all.

deborah kelly - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ *Trust in the Lord with all your heart; and don't lean on your own understanding. In all things acknowledge him, and he shall direct your way. Proverbs 3:5, 6*

Pre we love you and anytime you need us we are here. Your mom is in a better place and you will see her again.

Mr. & Mrs. J.W. Martin Jr. - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the family. Sister Crudup was a very loving person. Our prayers to all.*

Mr. & Mrs. Milton Townsend - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

“ I AM FREE

(Author By Linda Jo Jackson, Ottawa, Canada)

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free.
I'm following the path God has made for me.
I took His hand when I heard His call.
I turned my back and just left it all.*

*I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way.
I found that peace at the close of the day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joys.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, special love one's touch.
Gifts no one should treasure more than me.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and peace to thee.
God wanted me now, He set me free!*

*Thank you God,
My pain is over, I have been set free!*

*Your Loving Brother & Sister-In-Law,
Bro Theodore & Sis Gertie Holmes*

PT

“ *My Precious Dear Aunt Bobbie,
Your laughter, your love, your generosity of always giving to us as I
remember and reflect on the years gone by, how we always looked
for you and you never came home or in our presence empty
handed! You always gave, my Mother (your sister) Bessie Mae
loved you so much and you were her baby that she always cared
for, now the two of you are together along with Grandma Nettie &
PaPa Lawrence, and the other siblings as well. I know you are
resting, no more pain, but gain on the other side of this life. What a
virtuous wife, woman & mother you were and heaven has your labor
of love recorded. Marcella, Uncle Pre, Lawrence, Evan & Lil Pre,
you remained so faithful to her throughout her time of illness. There
is no greater love than the love of Christ Jesus to come & get her
from suffering to glory. She as the Apostle Paul, fought a good fight,
kept the faith, now there is a crown awaiting her. Sleep on Aunt
Bobbie, take your rest, we love you so much, but God loves you
best!*

Your Neice,

*Phyllis
came in contact with*

Phyllis Talbert - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *Her Journey Just Begun*

*Her journeys just begun
Don't think of her as gone away,
her journeys just begun,
Life holds so many facet
this earth is only one,
Just think of her as resting,
from the sorrow and the tears,
In a place of warmth and comfort,
where there are no days or years,
think how she must be wishing,
that we could know today.
How nothing but our sadness,
can really past away,
And think of her as living,
in the hearts of those she touched,
For nothing loved is ever lost,
And she was loved so much.*

Author unknown.

Mattie Fletcher-Starks - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *My sympathy goes out to Mr. P. Crudup and Family, She is gone to a Better place where there will be no more sickness and pain everyday will be a Great Day ,God Bless You All. Your old friend and Supervisor/ Sargent ,at Steering Gear.*

Luther Harrell - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM