## **IF YOU COULD SEE ME NOW**

If you could see me now you wouldn't shed a tear. Though you may not understand why I'm no longer there. Remember my spirit, that is the real me because

I'm still very much alive.

I've just been set free, Oh if you could only see!

I have beheld our Father's face and I've touched my Savior's hand. All of Heaven's angels rejoiced as I entered the **Promised Land.** Beyond the gates of pearl, I've walked on the golden streets. I've touched the walls of jasper and dipped my foot in the crystal sea.

The beauty is beyond words and nothing could compare I've even seen your mansion and someday I'll meet you there. Let Jesus be your guide because His Word will show you the way! So please don't cry because we will meet again someday.

**Author: Patsy Stambaugh Deskins** 

**Flower Bearers** Seniors on the Move

**Pall Bearers** Deacons and Trustees of Mount Calvary Baptist Church

## Acknowledgement

We wish to express our sincere thanks and gratitude to our friends, church members and extended family for your many comforting acts of kindness and sympathy shown during the passing of our loved one. May God bless each one of you.

The Family of Miss Mary Elizabeth Borders



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Friday, October 9, 2020 1:00 PM S.T. Enloe Memorial Chapel Shelby. NC Dr. M. Lamont Littlejohn, Officiating

A Celebration of Life

Miss Mary Elizabeth Borders

## **Order of Service**

Prelude
Processional
Reception of Friends12:30 PM until 1:00 PM
Officiating MinisterDr. M. Lamont Littlejohn
SelectionBishop James Wiley
Scripture Reading Old Testament New TestamentRev. Billy Houze
Prayer of ComfortBishop James Wiley
SelectionBishop James Wiley
RemarksMs. Marge Gordon Ms. Jeanette Morrison Ms. Sylvia Hush
SelectionRev. Billy Houze
Words of ComfortDr. M. Lamont Littlejohn

Interment Sunset Cemetery Shelby, NC



Miss Mary Elizabeth Borders, departed this life on Monday, October 5, 2020, at Wendover Hospice House in Shelby, NC. She was born on December 2, 1946 in Cleveland County, NC to the late Betsy Gwendolyn Hogue and the late J.C. Borders.

Mary was a graduate of Shelby High School and was amongst the first African Americans to help integrate the school system at that time. She went on to graduate from Cleveland Community College with a certificate in childcare. Mary was employed in the textile industry for many years and worked briefly in daycare before finding her passion in the dietary department of White Oak Manor where she worked until her retirement.

Mary was a member of Mount Calvary Baptist Church where she attended until her health declined.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Wanda Robertson.

Mary leaves to cherish her memory, one brother, Bradley
Hogue of Hickory, NC; two nephews, Brandon Robertson of
Shelby, NC, Frank Ross (Georgette) of Gaffney, SC; nieces,
Carla Haynes (Maurice) of Shelby, Donna Robertson (Kevin)
of Creedmoor, NC and Mikki Robertson of Winston-Salem,
NC; special friends, Janice Dickens, Juanita Allen, Lucrecia
Brooks and Angela Ellis and a host of great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins and other friends.

## Obituary