

## FLOWER BEARERS

Nieces

## PALL BEARERS

Nephews

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We wish to express our sincere thanks and gratitude to our friends 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 Mrs. Beulah W. Cannon

~ Funeral Services Entrusted To ~

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*"Sympathetic and Efficient Service"*

A Celebration of Life

For

**Mrs. Beulah W. Cannon**



"Peg"

**Thursday, March 4, 2021**

**1:00 PM**

**Eskridge Grove Missionary Baptist  
Church**

**Shelby, NC**

**Rev. Strickland Maddox, Officiating**

## “Loving Memories”



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## “Loving Memories”



## ~ ORDER OF SERVICE ~

*Prelude*

*Processional*

*Officiating Minister.....Rev. Strickland Maddox*

*Selection.....“Blessed Assurance” .....Congregation*

*Scripture Reading*

*Old Testament.....Rev. Randy Thompson  
First Baptist Church, Earl, NC*

*New Testament.....Bishop Thomas Thompson  
Victory Temple, Hickory, NC*

*Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Robert E. Devoe  
Canaan Memorial Baptist Church, Shelby, NC*

*Selection.....Minister Sherry Beam*

*Remarks.....Ms. Jacqueline Barnes  
Ms. Offia Blanton*

*Poems.....Mr. Darius L. Clark  
Mr. Jimmy Hall*

*Selection.....Bishop Thomas Thompson*

*Words of Comfort.....Rev. Strickland Maddox*

*Recessional*

*Interment  
Eskridge Grove Baptist Church Cemetery  
Shelby, NC*

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## Heaven's Note to You

A beautiful woman with love so strong,  
Was quick to get the switch and show me right from wrong

Distraught feelings when you got called home,  
Wanted to dial up heaven and ask God to hand you the phone

Gave a lot of wisdom and taught a lot of lessons,  
Most important one was to count every blessing

A watcher of the birds well now you have your wings,  
Free at last, free at last, I know why the caged bird sings

Hugs and kisses you're reunited with Aunt Helen,  
You're back with Grandpa J.C. Sr., just like in two-thousand eleven

If there wasn't away, you told me I'd have to make it,  
Oh how, I'll miss your cooking and pies you've been baking

A cook, seamstress, and so much more,  
But it's the talks in the living room of which I'll always adore

Not so easy to accept that you're not here physically,  
But I have your love forever it's with me mentally

As I stand in front of your assembly, everyone notices me,  
I brought to them today these fine lines of poetry

They see greatness in a child, now a man that you reared,  
Grandma the storm is over, the skies are cleared

Exemplifying the intangible qualities you taught me,  
That will last life-long

Qualities that I learned from you,  
A beautiful woman with love so strong

Poem by Darius L. Clark

## ~ OBITUARY ~

*Mrs. Beulah W. "Peg" Cannon*

Peacefully transitioned from this life on February 24, 2021 at Wendover Hospice House, Shelby NC. Beulah was born September 22, 1934 in Cleveland County. She was the 2nd oldest child born to the late Cofford and Ida Wilson Wray. Beulah joined Eskridge Grove Missionary Baptist Church at an early age under the leadership of Reverend J.C. Mitchell. She participated in several church ministries. She taught a Sunday School Class in past years, and attended BTU classes held on Sunday evenings at the church with her family. Beulah was the President of the Lela Black Missionary Circle for over 20 years, sang on the Mass Choir, Sanctuary Choir and Senior "Sunflower" Ministry. She helped prepare food and served with the kitchen committee. Mrs. Cannon had several hobbies, read her bible and Sunday School books, loved to cook, , enjoyed canning fruits, vegetables, baking cakes and pies and her favorite was sewing for her family, friends and neighbors inviting them to her home to eat and fellowship. She was a great storyteller of her family history making you laugh and keeping a smile on your face. She supported her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren by attending school functions, and sporting events. Beulah loved to travel with her family; but most of all she loved the Lord and would tell you how good He had been to her and what you needed to do to be saved.

She was preceded in death by her husband J.C. Cannon, Sr.; daughter, Helen W. Fletcher; father, Cofford Wray; mother, Ida R. Wray; sisters; Mae Charles Ross, Betty Jo Wray, Dorothy Hall and brothers, Randy Wray, John Wray, and Robert Wray.

She leaves to cherish fond memories of her children; Kandy Allen (Lee), Ellenboro NC, J.C. Cannon, Jr. (Linda) Shelby NC, Garry Cannon (Adrienne) Chula Vista, California, Bobby Cannon (Sharon), Shelby NC, and Ann Clark (Randy) Shelby NC.; sisters; Vinnie Lee Johnson (Jimmy), Helen Banner, Merlean Carson (Jimmy); brothers; Willie Wray, and Sherwood Wray; sisters- in- Law; Diane Macopson (Joe), Bernice Cannon and grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.