# ORDER OF SERVICE

Ministers & Family
on Ma Naar the Cross
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ep Me Near the Cross
Psalms 46 II Timothy 4:1-8
Ms. Shelia Pugh
Rev. Keith Newsome Rev. F. L. Rush rar, Presiding Elder of Durham District
Mrs. Clara Brooks
_Mrs. Sandra Horton
Rev. Ridie Headen
White Wings Choir

FLOWER BEARERS
Nieces of the Family and Ministers

PALL BEARERS
Nephews of the Family

#### SINCERE APPRECIATION

Maybe you came to visit, or placed a call; some prepared food while others sent a card, maybe you whispered a prayer or extended a kind word. Whatever your gesture, it truly lifted our spirits, touched our hearts and helped ease our sorrow. We "Thank You!"

~ The Family ~



INTERMENT
Mitchell Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church Cemetery

# Celebration of Life for Reverend Carrie Mable Pugh

Sunrise - April 7, 1929



Sunset - October 5, 2001

#### SERVICE

Wednesday, October 10, 2001 Two O'clock PM Mitchell Chapel AME Zion Church Pittsboro, North Carolina

Rev. Kenneth Brooks, Officiating Rev. Ridie Headen, Eulogy



Knotts & Sons Funeral Homes 1501 Martin Luther King Junior Blvd. Siler City, NC 27344

# TO EVERY TIME, THERE IS A SEASON...

#### A Time to be Born:

Reverend Carrie Mable McCrimmon Pugh was born in Chatham County on April 7, 1929 to the late John Willie and Lubbie Brewer McCrimmon.

#### A Time to Love:

She married Harvey Dillard Pugh and they were blessed with three children - Jimmie, Danny and Diane, all of Siler City; eight Grandchildren - Kimberly, Adwan, Aljamek, Louries, Shannon, Tiffany, Brandon and Tiara; three great-grand children - Louries Jr. (LJ), Darian (DJ) and Tatiana; three sisters - Mary Dell Currie (deceased), Shirley Rodgers and Madeline Evans; five brothers - James McCrimmon (deceased), Roscoe McCrimmon, Jesse McCrimmon, Archie McCrimmon and Oris McCrimmon; three sister-in-laws and four brother-in-laws; many nieces, nephews, special ones, relatives and friends.

## A Time to Obey:

Rev. Pugh accepted Christ at an early age in Life. She joined Mitchell Chapel Church and was faithful in her stewardship until death. She accepted the call into the ministry in the early 70's. She continued to study and received her Deacon Orders in 1974 and her Elder Orders in 1998 from Central North Carolina Conference.

# A Time to Weep:

You are not forgotten loved one, Nor will you ever be; As long as life and memory last, We will remember thee.

We miss you now, our hearts are sore, As time goes by we'll miss you more; Your loving smile, your gentle face, No one can fill your vacant place.

~ Harvey and Children ~



A Heart of Gold stopped breathing,
Two shining eyes at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove
He only takes the best.

God knows you had to leave us, But you did not go alone; For a part of us went with you The day he took you home.

~ The Grandchildren ~

#### A Time to Labor:

In addition to ministering, she was led to be active in her church. She served as a Class Leader, Teacher of the Annie M. Farrington Sunday School Class and was President of the Evangelistic Board. She was a member of the Missionary Society, White Wings Choir, Stewardess Board and Ministers Alliance.

She unselfishly answered the charge to attend the needs of others. She organized a reading class and conducted service each first Sunday for the patients of Laurels of Chatham Rest Home. On every fourth Sunday, she held services at Sunbridge Rest Home in Siler City.

She was always there for the sick, the shut in, the imprisoned and the bereaved. The highways were her aisles, the hedges were her pews and the downtrodden were her members. Her sanctuary had no walls. The majority of her life was focused on one mission — she was *clear* on her <u>purpose</u>: To go wherever she was led to compel men and women, boys and girls to accept Christ for their Savior.

### Now, it is time to get my Crown:

Reverend Carrie Pugh departed this life on October 5, 2001 at Duke Medical Center. Memories of her will be cherished by many.

