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Acknowledgement

With deep gratitude, we wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends for their cards, flowers and other expressions of kindness extended during the death of our loved one. God be with you.

- The Family

Professional Service Entrusted to:



KIMES FUNERAL SERVICE

102 South Kirkman Street
Liberty, North Carolina 27298
(336) 622-4497

Eulogistic Service for Mrs. Lala Staley



The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh and whither it goeth: so is everyone that is born of the spirit. - St. John 3:8

The grass withereth, the flower fadeth; but the word of our God shall stand forever. - Isaiah 40:8

OAKLAND MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Ramseur, North Carolina

SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 1998

3:00 P. M.

Rev. L. R. Gilmore, *Pastor*

Obituary

Very quietly and peacefully on Monday, January 13, 1998, while a patient at Cone Memorial Hospital in Greensboro, North Carolina, Almighty God in His infinite wisdom, having determined that His child, our beloved mother, grandmother and sister had suffered enough, reached down gently, closed her eyes, and carried her home.

Mrs. Lala Isley Staley was born to the late Jim and Hassie Isley in Randolph County in 1909.

She attended school in Randolph County. She was married to the late Herman Staley.

She was a faithful member of Oakland Baptist Church, where she worked as a member of the Adult Sunday School Class, member of the Senior Choir, former church clerk, former treasurer of the Mission Circle, and played the piano for the Sunday School. Lala retired from the Stanciu Housing Complex in Landover, Maryland. Lala was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and sister.

Cherished memories of her shall remain with: son, Grady "Buster" Brown of Liberty, NC; daughters, Rev. Ruth Lee McGill and Betty Jean Brown, both of New York; sister, Mary Richter of Washington, DC; grandchildren, Gregory Brown, Kenneth Brown, Brenda Williams, Iris Child, Sandra Bowles, Felex Brown, Foreman Roberson, Larry Brooks, and Faydean; 12 great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandchild. She also leaves in remembrance: her remaining children, Annie Matthews, Charolett Feaster, Phil Siler and Margie Crump, and a host of relatives and friends.

*God saw the road was getting rough,
The hill was hard to climb.
He gently closed her loving eyes,
And whispered, "Peace be thine."
Her weary days, her nights of pain,
Her restless hours have past.
Her ever-patient, worn-out frame
Has found sweet rest at last."*

Order of Service

PRELUDE.....Hattie Gales

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN.....No. 122

SCRIPTURES:

Old Testament

New Testament

PRAYER

SELECTION.....No. 451

TRIBUTE OF MEMORIES

SPECIAL REMARKS.....Rev. Harold Garner

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.....Etta Crump

OBITUARY (read silently).....Elvina Thomas

EULOGY.....Rev. L. R. Gilmore

SELECTION....."Lord, I Know You've Been So Good"

RECESSIONAL.....Kimes Service in Charge

INTERMENT.....Oakland-McCrary Cemetery
Ramseur, North Carolina