

In Appreciation

God never takes without giving. The passing of our loved one has brought to the realization of what it means to have such truly wonderful friends. Every prayer, visit, phone call, flower, card, thought, and the many other tangible ways in which kindness was shown is deeply appreciated. We saw all these as God's love expressed through you.

Thank you ever so much,
The Family



Floral Bearers

Members of Evans Chapel Church

Pallbearers

Sons

Joe R. Degraffenreidt
Wallace T. Degraffenreidt
Michael Lee Degraffenreidt

Grandsons

Joey Glover
Willieneil French

Nephew

Vincent Marsh

A Celebration of the Homecoming of

Callie Mae Marsh Degraffenreidt



Sunrise Nov 30, 1926 - Sunset July 28, 2003

Thursday, July 31, 2003

2:00 PM

Evans Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church

Siler City, NC

Officiating

Reverend Ridie Headen, Pastor

Obituary

*"In nature, no object is without use or notice to the keen eye of intelligence
or the calm and quiet eye of taste, and no life is without notice."*

Callie Mae Marsh Degraffenreidt was born November 30, 1926. Her parents were Macon and Lelia C. Marsh. She was reared and educated in Chatham County.

She joined Evans Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church and remained a member until her passing.

She was joined in matrimony to the late Reverend Joe Nathan Degraffenreidt. She was preceded in death by three sisters; Mary Hobby, Lelia Mae Burnette and Corine J. Bridgers; four brothers; Jerry P., Grade, William Marsh and Leroy Gowins.

Callie is survived by a daughter, Loretta Degraffenreidt French (Ralph) of Pittsboro; three sons, Joe Russell Degraffenreidt (Inise) of Mebane, NC, Wallace Degraffenreidt of Siler City, NC and Michael Degraffenreidt of Oxon Hill, MD. In addition to her children, Callie leaves ten grandchildren: Joey Glover of Norcross, GA., Sandia D. Dark (Greg) of Mebane, NC, Zoretta French of Pittsboro, NC, Tonya Degraffenreidt of Richmond, VA, Schameka Degraffenreidt of Charlotte, NC, Tiffany Degraffenreidt of Raleigh, NC, Willieneil French of Auburn, AL, Tara Degraffenreidt of Liberty, NC, Karimae Degraffenreidt of Woodbridge, VA, and Kosha Headen of Goldston, NC; four great grandchildren, Adrian Degraffenreidt, Milayn Dark, Ashton Degraffenreidt and Katlyn Degraffenriedt; two sisters, LaRuth White of Siler City, NC, and Mexie Burnette of Pittsboro; six brothers, Cleatis, Macon, Oliver, Shirley Louis, Clyde and Charles Marsh all of Pittsboro; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

*"She found the road was getting tough
The hill was hard to climb
She gently closed her loving eyes
And whispered "Peace Be Mine"
Her weary days, her nights of pain
Her restless hours have past
Her ever patient worn frame
Has found sweet rest at last"
The Family*

- Author Unknown

The Order of Service

Prelude	Musician Mrs. Mary A. Moffitt
Processional	Ministers and Family
Hymn	"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"
Scripture Old Testament New Testament	Reverend Kenneth M. Brooks Reverend Sarah J. Hill
Prayer of Comfort	Reverend Bruce Hurst
Selection	"Because He Lives"
Acknowledgements & Resolution	Ms. Tonya Degraffenreidt
Obituary	Mrs. Sandia Degraffenreidt Dark
Solo	Ms. Zoretta French
Eulogy	Rev. Ridie Headen
Recessional	"I'll Fly Away"
Committal and Interment Service	Church Cemetery



*Family and friends are invited to return to the church fellowship hall
following the committal service for repast.*