

It broke our hearts to loose you
But you didn't go alone,
For part of us went with you
The day God took you home."

THE FAMILY

PALL BEARERS

NEPHEWS OF THE DECEASED

FLORAL BEARERS

NIECES OF THE DECEASED

The family wishes to express appreciation for every act of kindness, cards and floral tributes; especially for your varied expressions of sympathy to them during the sad hour which we are now passing. God bless each of you.

INTERMENT

ROCK CREEK CHURCH CEMETERY,
Alamance County, North Carolina

SHARPE FUNERAL HOME

Directors

17. P. 5 14th Ave

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. CORA ETHEL ALLEN PATTERSON
(1891-1976)

Services

Rock Creek A.M.E. Church
Alamance County, North Carolina

Elder J. D. Davis, Officiating
Rev. C. L. Parker, Pastor

Sunday, December 26, 1976
2:00 P. M.

"The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall
I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of
whom shall I be afraid?"

Psalm 27:1

ORDER OF SERVICE

THE PROCESSIONAL	"Come Ye Disconsolate"
The Hymn	The Choir
The Scripture Reading	Rev. M. P. McCleave
The Prayer of Comfort	Rev. Roy Shoffner
The Hymn	The Choir
The Remarks	
The Acknowledgements	Mrs. Mary R. Miles
The Obituary	Silent
The Solo	Miss Virginia Garner
THE EULOGY	Elder J. D. Davis
The Funeral Director In Charge	
THE RECESSIONAL	
SERVICES AT THE GRAVE	
BENEDICTION	

THE OBITUARY

MRS. CORA ETHEL ALLEN PATTERSON was born June 1, 1891 in Chatham County, the daughter of the late Tom and Izella Allen. She quietly and serenely departed this life Thursday, December 23, 1976 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nevada Jordan.

At an early age she professed faith in Christ and joined Oak Grove Baptist Church. After moving to Rock Creek Community she joined the Rock Creek A.M.E. Church where she remained a faithful member and attended regularly as long as her health permitted. Boards and organizations served were Deaconess Board, Class Leader and Conference Worker.

In 1908 she was united in Holy Wedlock to Azel Patterson who preceded her in death. To this union nine children were born. Three preceded her in death. She was a devoted mother and spent her life helping others.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Nevada Jordan, Route 2, Snow Camp and Mrs. Cordia Matthews, Liberty; four sons, Mr. Cecil Patterson, Williamsburg, Virginia, Mr. Calvin Patterson of the home, Mr. Wayne Patterson, Mt. Vernon Springs, North Carolina and Mr. Joe Patterson of Asheboro; 19 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Although death has taken our most earthly possession, our mother and grandmother, her memory we will cherish forever.

"In tears we tried to reach you,
Before you faded away.
Our hearts were truly broken,
We wanted you to stay.
But when we saw you sleeping,
So peacefully and free from pain.
How could we wish you back with us
To suffer that again.