



Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell

June 5, 1914 - December 28, 2014

Mother Beatrice Lobdell, 100, of Peoria, IL passed away peacefully at 4:34 PM on Sunday, December 28, 2014 at Unity Point Methodist Medical Center. Mother Lobdell was born on June 5, 1914 in Leland, MS to proud parents Benjamin Harrison Gordon and Mallie (Fox) Gordon. She married the late Felix Lobdell, Sr., in 1936 in Indianola, MS, they moved to Peoria, IL in the early 1940's. Shortly afterwards, Felix was called into the ministry where he served until his death in 1965. Beatrice continued to raise their three young children in the Christian faith and church. This will be her greatest legacy. Mother Lobdell was a founding member of Pleasant Grove M. B. Church. During her active church years, she was a minister's wife, president of the Baptist Training Union and the Sunshine choir. She served as a secretary, former president of the Mothers Board and worked where ever needed in the church.

Mother Lobdell was a quiet, private person who spent time at home with her beloved , poodles, Parker and Pepper and family. She will be greatly missed! Mother Lobdell leaves to cherish her most precious memories two sons, Felix E. (Loletha) Lobdell, Jr., and Andrew C. Lobdell both of Peoria; one daughter, Joann B. Lobdell of Peoria; one brother, Robert (Mabel) Gordon of Denver, CO; two sisters, Estella Jackson of Peoria and Mattie Smith of Leland, MS; 26 grandchildren and a host of great grand and great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and good friends who all constantly doted on her. She is also preceded in death by her parents, two sons, three daughters,

eight brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services will be held at 11 AM on Wednesday , January 7, 2014 at Church of The Living God, Temple 130, with a visitation one hour prior beginning at 10 AM. Vice Chief Bishop Leroy Smith, Jr., will officiate. Mother Lobdell will be laid to rest at Historic Springdale Cemetery. Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made to simonsmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Historic Springdale Cemetery

3014 N. Prospect Road
Peoria, IL 61603

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Church of the Living God
2815 W LAKE AVE
Peoria, IL 61615
(309) 688-6463
bishopsmith@ctlgcwff.org

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell*



Simons Mortuary - January 07, 2015 at 04:41 PM



“ *Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *I pray the God and Father of our Lord and Saivor Jeus Christ, comfort and keep you. Know that Aunt Bea is in Glory in the Lord's presence!*

Pat Ward - February 04, 2015 at 10:13 AM

RS

“ To the Family of Mother Beatrice Lobdell:

Aunt Bea, as we called her, was the sweetest, kindest, God loving lady on Earth. Yet to be so small, she carried a big stick and would use it. She loved everybody. God bless you all, "In The Name of Jesus". God love you and so do I.



Rev John H Lee Sr - February 04, 2015 at 09:52 AM

AN

“ I Love you Granny Beans you will live in my heart and thoughts forever. Love, Angie



Angie - January 09, 2015 at 03:31 AM

RT

“ Rev Johnnie M Trammell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell



Rev Johnnie M Trammell - January 06, 2015 at 10:17 PM

TM

“ Tammie Miller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell



Tammie Miller - January 06, 2015 at 10:14 PM

JL

“ J.T. Lobdell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell



J.T. Lobdell - January 05, 2015 at 08:07 PM

PL

“ Pastor James Lobdell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell



Pastor James Lobdell - January 05, 2015 at 08:05 PM

CL

“ Carolyn Lobdell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Beatrice (Gordon) Lobdell



Carolyn Lobdell - January 05, 2015 at 08:04 PM

EB

“ My Lil Granny, I will love you always and you will forever be in my thoughts. Rest in Peace.



Ebony - December 29, 2014 at 04:48 PM