



Mrs. Sarah Alice Henning

November 2, 1915 - November 27, 2012

Sarah Alice Henning, 97, of Peoria, passed away peacefully at 1:35 am on Tuesday, November 27, 2012 at OSF St. Francis Medical Center.

Sarah was born in Ripley, TN on August 2, 1915 to loving parents, Will and Serrena (Maynard) Lovelace. She married Robert William Henning, Sr., on April 22, 1933 in Ripley, TN and to that union three children were born.

Robert, Sr., preceded her in death.

Sarah worked for many years at the Caterpillar Factory.

Sarah was a faithful member of Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church where she was active in many church ministries over the years. She served as a member of the women's mission, usher board and president of the women's auxiliary.

Sarah was a great orator and was asked to speak at churches within the community.

Sarah leaves to cherish her memories her three children, Alberta Harris of Cleveland, OH, Robert Henning, Jr., and JoElla Harris both of Peoria; two nephews whom she raised, James Burns of Gallatin, TN and David Burns of Peoria; 5 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; 2 great-great-grandchildren.

She is also preceded in death by her parents; 16 siblings; two great grandsons.

Funeral services will be held at 12 noon Friday, December 7, 2012 at Mt. Zion M.B. Church with a visitation beginning at 11 am. Pastor Alphonso Lyons, Jr., will officiate. Sarah will be laid to rest at Parkview Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences

may be made at simonsmortuary.com website.

Cemetery Details

Parkview Cemetery

2001 N University St
Peoria, IL 61604
(309) 688-0733

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church
305 S. MADISON PARK TERRACE
Peoria, IL 61605
(309) 674-4379

Service

DEC 7. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Sarah Alice Henning*



Simons Mortuary - November 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mrs. Sarah Alice Henning*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



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January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM