



ARIE AUSTIN-DELONEY

July 20, 1920 - December 14, 2014

Arie A. Austin-Deloney, 94, of Kankakee, IL, died Sunday, December 14, 2014 at her residence. Visitation will be Thursday, December 18, 2014 from 5:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. at Lax Mortuary. Visitation will be held on Saturday, December 20, 2014 from 12:00 noon until time of Funeral Services at 1:00 P.M. at New Zion Baptist Church in Lockesburg, Arkansas (Oak Grove Community). Pastor Ronald Goodloe will officiate and Reverend Kelly Wilbert Austin will deliver the eulogy. Burial will be in Williamson Cemetery, Lockesburg, Arkansas.

Arie A. Austin-Deloney was born July 20, 1920 in Lockesburg, Arkansas to Pink and Rosebud Williamson Johnson.

She was baptized at New Zion Baptist Church in Lockesburg, Arkansas and served in various capacities; as the church clerk; mission president and president of the usher board. When she moved to Kankakee, IL, she united with Second Baptist Church.

She was united in Holy Matrimony to Earl Austin in 1940 and to their union six children were born. He preceded her in death in 1973. She was later united in marriage to Curtis Deloney in 1983. He preceded her in death in 1990.

Mrs. Austin-Deloney was the secretary in the family agriculture business and

had also worked as a cook in a nursing home.

She leaves to cherish her memory, two sons and two daughters-in-law, Leonard Austin of Little Rock, Arkansas, Raleigh and Sheryl Austin of Raytown, MO and Ruth Austin of Raymore, MO; three daughters and two sons-in-law, Ruby and Ira Nelson of Kankakee, IL, Emma Burrell of Kankakee, IL and Margaret and Michael McNeil of Raymore, MO; one sister, Marjorie Wright of York, PA; in-laws, M. C. McElroy of Texarkana, Arkansas and Frances McElroy of Lockesburg, Arkansas; 18 grandchildren, 36 great-grandchildren; seven great-great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by a son, Anthony Austin; a brother, Judge Johnson and three sisters, Mable Austin, Lucy Bell and Dorothy White.

Tribute Wall

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“ I Would like to offer My condolences to the family in the Passing of Miss Arie. I feel Blessed to have Known her while working for the family and helping to care for her. May she always live in the many Hearts she touched through out her lifetime here w

Kerri Zimmerman - December 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ So sorry for your loss. What a wonderful, long life and what a great legacy of loving relatives! May cherished memories and the support of friends and relatives provide comfort during this difficult time.

Robert Schoening - December 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ I am a co-worker with Margaret McNeil. My family and I send our prays and thoughts to all of you who have lost this much love person. As long as she is remembered by love ones she will never be gone. God bless and help you all through this time.

Lois McMillan&family - December 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Prayers & God's comfort to the family.

the Davis Family - December 17, 2014 at 12:00 AM