



Mrs. Ada Bell Holmes

October 5, 1922 - October 24, 2016

MRS. ADA BELL HOLMES, 94 WAS THE FIRST BORN CHILD OUT OF TWELVE CHILDREN OF THE LATE CICERO DELANEY, SR. AND NELLA STINGLEY DELANEY. SHE WAS BORN ON OCTOBER 5, 1922 IN KOSCIUSKO, MISSISSIPPI. ADA BELL DEPARTED ON OCTOBER 24, 2016 PEACEFULLY AT HOME, AFTER A SHORT BATTLE IN THE HOSPITAL.

ADA BELL COMPLETED THE 10TH GRADE IN KOSCIUSKO, MISSISSIPPI. MRS. HOLMES RECEIVED OUR LORD AND SAVIOR AT AN EARLIER AGE AT ST. MARK'S BAPTIST CHURCH. SHE WAS UNITED IN MARRIAGE TO UL Y C. JONES IN 1942. IN THIS MARRIAGE, TWO CHILDREN WAS BORN, EMMA AND JAMES. IN 1949, ADA BELL MARRIED ALAN JAMES HOLMES. IN THIS UNION, ELINE WAS BORN.

ADA BELL AND ALAN MOVED TO MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN IN 1951. SHE WAS EMPLOYED AT ST. JOSEPH HOSPITAL IN THE LAUNDRY DEPARTMENT. IN 1955, SHE JOINED PILGRIM REST BAPTIST CHURCH UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF REV. C.V. HARRINGTON. MRS. HOLMES JOINED THE USHER BOARD IN 1957, SERVING AS PRESIDENT AND MEMBER OF

THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY. SHE VOLUNTEERED IN THE CHURCH KITCHEN FOR REPASTS. IN THE COMMUNITY, SHE VOLUNTEERED AT THE NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING SERVICES FOR FRANKLIN HEIGHTS AND GARDEN HOMES RESIDENTS AND SHE WAS A MEMBER OF THE NAACP.

MRS. HOLMES RECEIVED RECOGNITION FOR HER DEDICATED SERVICE AS A MEMBER OF THE UNITED USHERS AND NURSES OF WISCONSIN AND FROM THE MILWAUKEE COMMON COUNCIL AND THE MILWAUKEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. SHE ALSO RECEIVED CERTIFICATES OF APPRECIATION FROM THE BETTY ANTHONY & FAMILY AND MT. ZION MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH USHERS & NURSES. ADA BELL ENJOYED COOKING, TRAVELING, AND SPENDING TIME WITH THE UNITED USHERS.

ADA BELL WAS THE LOVING MOTHER OF EMMA HINKLE, THE LATE JAMES(RUTH)JONES AND ELINE(DURWOOD) KIRBY. SHE IS PRECEDED IN DEATH BY HER PARENTS, HER SON JAMES, SIBLINGS FRED DELANEY, DOROTHY THOMAS, CICERO DELANEY, JR., ARTHUR DELANEY, ERNEST DELANEY, THEODORE DELANEY AND GRANDSON, RODNEY HINKLE. MRS. HOLMES IS SURVIVED BY HER SISTERS: MINNIE AND BETTY DELANEY, INELL NOEL AND BROTHERS: CLINTON(LENA) DELANEY, REV. CURTIS

DELANEY, AND

SISTER-IN-LAWS: WILLENE AND FREDDIE DELANEY. SHE HAD 9 GRANDCHILDREN, 22 GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN, AND 19 GREAT-GREAT-CHILDREN.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Pilgrim Rest Missioanry Baptist Church
3737 N. Sherman Blvd.
Milwaukee, WI

Service

NOV 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I'm going to miss eating "baked sweet potatoes " with her and I sit in her seat in the chapel at Trinity. She was an angel on earth. Loved my many.



Jeanette Williams - October 27, 2016 at 07:13 PM