

*In Loving Memory
of*



Bessie Markham Holloway

Services:

Sunday ~ December 1, 1996

Visitation - 5:00 P.M. ~ Funeral - 5:30 P.M.

Avalon Park United Church of Christ

**8100 S. Dante
Chicago, Illinois**

Rev. Donald Fairley ~ Officiating

Obituary

Bessie Markham Holloway

was born July 26, 1906 in Brookhaven, Mississippi, to James Markham and Anna Culver Markham. She was the sixth of nine children.

She accepted Christ as her personal Savior at the early age of thirteen at Zion Chapel A. M. E. Church and remained a faithful member for years. After the family moved to Chicago, she joined Avalon Park United Church of Christ.

On January 16, 1932 she was united in holy matrimony to E. L. Holloway (who preceded her in death after fifty years of marriage). They were the proud parents of three loving daughters. A loving step-son, (N. C.), also preceded her in death.

She departed this life November 27, 1996 in Mercy Hospital.

In passing, she leaves cherished memories with: her three daughters, Edith Williams (J. C.), Annie Johnson, and Mary Toliver (Frank); a step-daughter, Clotee Levy; five grandchildren: Larry (Sharon), John (Karen), Jerry (Deborah), Richard, and Brenda; eight great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; step-grands and step-great grandchildren; one sister, Alberta McCrory (Joseph) of Moss Point, Mississippi; a brother-in-law, Charles Holloway (Eula) of Chicago; one special nephew, Rev. Ozzie McCrory of Moss Point, Mississippi; many nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.