

OBITUARY

"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the Heaven." Ecclesiastes 3:1

On Thursday, July 16, 1998, the hour of 8:00 a.m. at King Daughters Hospital, the angel of death took from our midst a loving wife, mother, and dear friend, **Sister Ida Mae Clark**.

Sis. Ida Mae Clark was born on November 28, 1928 in Lincoln County, Mississippi to the late Mr. Amos Benson and Mrs. Pricilla Snowball Benson.

She was married at an early age to Mr. Robert Lee Clark. To this union two sons were born: J. W. Clark and Leroy Clark, Sr. She was a member of Mt. Zion M. B. Church. She served on the Usher Board and was a member of the Senior Mission. She was a faithful member and a hard worker until health failed. She worked at the Holiday Inn for over 30 years. She was a loving person, wife, mother, and friend. She was loved by many.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Amos and Pricilla Benson; two sons, J. W. Clark and Leroy Clark, Sr.; one grandson, Tyrone Clark; five brothers, Amos Benson, R. T. Williams, Ester Smith, John Benson, Woodie Benson, and two sisters, Mattie Smith and Margaret Clark.

She leaves to cherish her memory a loving husband and faithful father, Mr. Robert Lee Clark of Wesson, MS; two brothers, L. C. Benson of Bloomington, IL and Moses Benson of Flint, MI; three sisters, Bessie Lee Scott of Caseyville, MS, Louise Benson and Virgie Mae Green, both of Indianola, MS; four grandsons, Michael Clark of Hattiesburg MS, Leroy Clark, Jr., Cast Clark, and Patneek Clark, all of Wesson, MS; four sisters-in-law, Annie Mae McCall, Gladys Sanders, Queen Ester Brothern, and Mary Alice Brown, all of Brookhaven, MS; one brother-in-law, Johnny Clark of Los Angeles, CA; one daughter-in-law, Linda Clark of Wesson, MS; four great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, and many loving friends.