

Psalm 23

*The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures,
He leadeth me beside the still waters.*

He restoreth my soul,

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil, for thou art with me;

Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies,

Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.*

PALLBEARERS

Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

*The family of the late Dorothy M. Keyes acknowledges, with sincere
appreciation, your understanding, your prayers, and all acts of
kindness shown at this time of bereavement.*

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Sunrise
February 10, 1927

Sunset
August 9, 2018

***A Celebration of the Life
of***



Dorothy M. Keyes

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 2018
11:00 AM**

ST PAUL BAPTIST CHURCH
7 W Highland Ave, Atlantic Highlands, New Jersey

Rev. Dr. Wilbur Whitehurst - Officiating

Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL.....CLERGY, FAMILY, FRIENDS

INVOCATION

HYMN.....IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL (RD. 189)

THE SCRIPTURE READINGS

OLD TESTAMENT PSALM 90:1-10

NEW TESTAMENT JOHN 3:16; Revelation 21:1-7

THE PRAYER OF COMFORT

SPECIAL SELECTION

O COME TO THE ALTAR (Elevation Worship)

FAMILY REFLECTIONS (2 MINUTES)

TRIBUTE.....REVEREND DR. HENRY P. DAVIS, JR.

Pastor Emeritus

St. Paul Baptist Church

Atlantic Highlands, NJ

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

THE OBITUARY.....Ms. TIFFANY PATTERSON

Granddaughter

THE EULOGY.....REVEREND DR. WILBUR A. WHITEHURST

SERVICE OF COMMITTAL

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL.....GOING UP YONDER

INTERMENT

Monmouth Memorial Park

Tinton Falls, New Jersey

REPAST

St. Paul Baptist Church

Atlantic Highlands, New Jersey

Obituary

Dorothy Mae (Aunt Dot) Keyes, 91, of Atlantic Highlands, NJ passed away on Thursday, August 9, 2018, at Home. She was born on February 10, 1927 in Plainfield, NJ to Calvin and Alneda Tunison.

In her early years after school, Dorothy, or Dot, as her friends called her, was employed as a seamstress by several clothing manufacturers in the Essex and Middlesex County area. She retired from working as a factory seamstress when she moved to Atlantic Highlands, NJ. Even in retirement from factory employment, she could be found sewing many outfits for family members or friends. In her free time, she would enjoy a night of Bingo with her sister and neighborhood friends. She inherited an artistic ability from her father, and sketched drawings and paintings for all to enjoy.

Dorothy was a faithful member of the St. Paul Baptist Church, Atlantic Highlands under the pastorates of the late Reverend Vassie L. Peek and Reverend Dr. Henry P. Davis Jr. She had joined the Church Choir and even in her later years, she could be heard quietly singing gospel hymns to herself.

Dorothy married Thomas (Booney) Keyes in October 1952. After their marriage, she became a homemaker. Before there were 'latch key' kids, there was "Aunt Dot", who would watch many a neighborhood child before and after school, while their parents were working.

She was predeceased by her husband, Thomas Keyes; brother, Edward Tunison; and sister, Jenny Butler.

She is survived by her daughter, Lynn Patterson and her companion, Allen Wright of Atlantic Highlands, NJ; two sons, Thomas and his wife, Michele of Howell, NJ, and Rodney of Middletown, NJ and his fiancée, Stacey Bailey of Matawan, NJ; sister, Lydia Motley of Atlantic Highlands, NJ; five grandchildren; Troy Patterson, Tiffany Patterson, Aaron Keyes, Isaiah Keyes and JaNae Keyes; five great grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews and friends.

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