

Pallbearers

David Parnell
John Parnell
Joseph Parnell

Michael Reid
Carl Holmes
Jake Cooper

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Honorary Pallbearers

William A. Bessant II

Roosevelt Bessant

Danny Bessant

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Flower Bearers

Friends of the Family

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Interment

Detroit Memorial Park Cemetery
13 Mile and Ryan Road - Warren, Michigan

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Arrangements Entrusted To

JAMES H. COLE FUNERAL HOME
West Grand Boulevard

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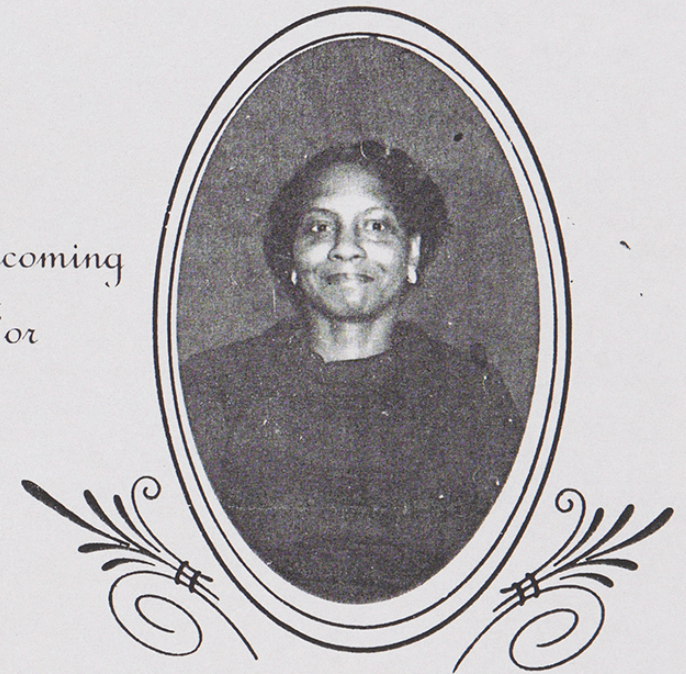
— In Appreciation —

Amie Bessant's family wishes to thank the many friends for their expressions of sympathy during her illness. We also acknowledge with deep appreciation your prayers, presence and helpful deeds of kindness. You've consoled our hearts. May God richly bless each of you.

Psalm 121

— Humbly Submitted In Jesus' Name
The Bessant Family

*Homecoming
For*



Amie Bessant

December 28, 1924 - October 26, 1984

Saturday, November 3, 1984

12:00 Noon

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
1519 Martin Luther King Boulevard
Detroit, Michigan 48208

*The Reverend Ervin A. Brown III, Rector Officiating
The Reverend Rodney W. Parnell, Preacher*

The Obituary

On the morning of Friday, October 26, 1984 the angel of silence came to the bedside of Amie Bessant, sealed her lips, and her soul winged its flight from this world of sin, sorrow and pain to a place of eternal rest.

Amie was the only child born to the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Washington in Buford, South Carolina, there she received her education.

She was joined in holy matrimony to William Bessant, Sr. on July 20, 1945. This union was blessed with four children: Patricia, Gloria, William II and Annette.

She accepted her place in God's Christian family and her spiritual cup overflowed with goodness and love. She was active in her church and community affairs. Her Christian life was like the fragrance of a beautiful rose. She was quiet in her mannerism, steady, and strong, her presence penetrated like the stars from the heavens.

Cherishing her beautiful memories are: a loving and devoted husband, William Ashton, Sr.; daughters, Patricia and Gloria Jean Bessant, of California; son, William A. II, of Detroit; daughter, Annette of Detroit; daughter-in-law, Debra Bessant; five grandchildren: Roosevelt, Danny, Channon, Carmen and DeAnna; one great-grandchild, Belinda; two brothers-in-law, Eugene and Fred; six sisters-in-law: Viola, Janie, Geraldine, Ina, Ethel, Arnita and a lovely host of other relatives and friends.

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I Thessalonians Chapter 4:13-18

