

FLOWER BEARERS  
Ministers' Wives and Deaconesses

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*A Mother's Love*

*A Mother's Love is like a tower  
Rising far above the crowd,  
And her smile is like the sunshine  
Breaking through a threatening cloud ...  
A Mother's Love is like a beacon  
Burning bright with Faith and Prayer,  
And through the changing scenes of life  
We can find a Haven There ...  
For A Mother's Love is fashioned  
After God's enduring love,  
It is endless and unfailing  
Like the love of Him above ...  
For God knew in His great wisdom  
That He couldn't be Everywhere,  
So He put all His Children  
In a Loving Mother's Care.*

-Unknown



HOME-GOING CELEBRATION FOR  
*Mrs. Ethel Washington Braddy*



*" Her children arise up, and call her blessed." Proverbs 31:28*

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2016  
1:00 PM

PINEY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH  
4715 INDIANA AVENUE  
WINSTON-SALEM, NORTH CAROLINA

REVEREND DR. JAMES F. LINVILLE, PASTOR/EULOGIST

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Ethel Gladys Washington Braddy, 109, was born to the late George Carlos Washington and the late Amada Douthit Washington in a log cabin in the Old Town Community of Forsyth County, North Carolina on September 5, 1907.

She attended Oak Grove School, a historic one room school for African American students. She was a faithful member of Piney Grove Baptist Church where she formerly served on the Nurse's Board.

Mrs. Braddy married the late Joseph Braddy and they became the proud parents of seven children, one daughter and six sons.

She was a "good mother" and homemaker who reared her children on a farm in Old Town, where she disciplined them and often gave them wise counsel. She admonished her children to: '*watch the company that you keep*' and '*keep your hands to yourself- you'll live longer.*' And she also encouraged them to attend church.

Mrs. Ethel Gladys Washington Braddy passed away at Kate B. Reynolds Hospice Home in Winston-Salem, North Carolina on Sunday, November 20, 2016. In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by five sons, Montana, David, John, Sterling and Thomas.

Those family members who survive and who will forever cherish loving memories of a devoted mother and friend include two children, her daughter, Dilcy Braddy and her son, Charles Braddy; several generations of grandchildren, great grandchildren and great, great grandchildren; many extended family members and friends.

### IN GRATITUDE

*Our sincere thanks are extended...  
To God Almighty, whose love sustains us.  
To Our Church Family, whose understanding blesses us.  
To Community Friends, whose peace comforts us.  
To One and All, whose prayers and presence lift us.*

**THE BRADDY FAMILY**

Processional

Clergy and Family

Gathering of Family and Friends

12:30 p.m.—1:00 p.m.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Song

Piney Grove Baptist Church Choir

The Holy Scripture

Old Testament Reading

Ms. Velma McCloud

New Testament Reading

Mr. Bobby France

Prayer of Comfort

Reverend Dr. James F. Linville

Solo

Mr. Leon Scales

Community Resolution

Ms. Brenda Nance

Piney Grove Baptist Church Resolution

Ms. Deborah Holmes

Musical Tribute

Ms. Lora Braddy, Granddaughter

Selection

Piney Grove Baptist Church Choir

Eulogy

Reverend Dr. James F. Linville  
Pastor, Piney Grove Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC

Recessional

### The Interment

Piney Grove Baptist Church Cemetery  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

