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A Celebration of Life

In Loving Memory Of

Elizabeth Goddard Borders



Wednesday, May 15, 2019 | 2:00 PM
Mount Calvary Baptist Church
 422 Carolina Avenue | Shelby, North Carolina
 Pastor Dr. M. L. Littlejohn, Jr.
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Order of Service

- Processional Clergy | Family | Friends
- Receiving of Friends 1:30 PM — 2:00 PM
- Hymn “What A Friend We Have In Jesus”
- Old Testament Reverend Thomas C. Goddard
- New Testament Reverend Timothy Wilson
- Prayer of Comfort Pastor Les Howard
- Selection Sis. Barbara Spikes
- Remarks Deacon Howard Camp
Pastor Les Howard
- Selection Deaconess Carolyn Wilson
- Words of Comfort Pastor Dr. M. L. Littlejohn, Jr.
- Closing Song “I’ll Fly Away”
- Interment Sunset Cemetery
Shelby, NC



The Obituary

Elizabeth Goddard Borders

Elizabeth Goddard Borders, age 69, of 114-8 Goddard Road, Shelby, North Carolina departed this life peacefully on Wednesday, May 8, 2019 at Brian Center of Gastonia, North Carolina.

Elizabeth affectionately known as “Lib” was born January 25, 1950 to the late King and Cora Byrd Goddard.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Stephen L. Borders, one son; Wesley Maurice Borders, her parents; King and Cora Goddard, two brothers; Charles (Bill) Goddard, Willie Ed Goddard, and a sister, Annie Clara Goddard.

She leaves to cherish fond memories, two sisters, Rosa Ash of Shelby, North Carolina, Cora Mae Borders of Lawndale, North Carolina, one brother; Reverend Thomas C. Goddard of Shelby, North Carolina, one granddaughter; Carmen Borders of Cherryville, North Carolina and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Sorry I Had To Leave

Sorry I had to leave in a sudden kind of way
 But my friend Jesus said He needed me today.
 So I won't call or even say goodbye;
 Jesus, a friend of mine is waiting so I won't even
 try, Don't worry about the future,
 it's really not that long;
 I know you will be waiting because that's the way
 of a saint's home.
 He told me He had a house, larger than
 all the mansions on earth;
 So I must go with Him now,
 in my heart He comes first.
 Well, family, saints, friends, I've got to go;
 My friend Jesus told me I can't be late.
 So I must leave with Him in order to get inside
 the pearly gate.
 Don't wait up please don't cry;
 besides you didn't hear me say goodbye.
 Just remember who I left with,
 He's the one that knows the way,
 So don't take another route and be lost,
 Because He's coming back for you one day.

