# Heknowledgement

The family of the late Peggy Jean Minter-Melin would like to express with sincere heartfelt gratitude and appreciation for all acts of kindness shown during the passing of our loved one. This is the most difficult time for us, but because of your love, concern, and generosity, we are able to take one day at a time and move forward. With our family and friends by our side and God as our guide, we are prayfully holding on to God's unchanging hands. Thank you for your love, comforting words, flowers, and prayers. Special thanks to the Mt. Salem MB Church for your love and support.

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SUNSET September 29, 2020

Mrs. Peggy Jean McLin
"May the work I've Done Speak for Me"

Graveside Service Saturday, October 3, 2020 at 1PM

Mt. Salem MB Church 600 Lake Hardeman Rd. ~Hickory Valley, TN 38042 Pastor Melvin Bufford~ Eulogist Peggy, we shared our life and love together.

The wonderful years with you, will linger in my heart forever.

As time passed on we had some rough days and painful days,

But God brought us through it together.

I know now you are at peace, and you know I will always love you and will see you soon.

Your loving husband, Robert



# Heaven's Grocery Store

I was walking down life's highway a long time ago. One day I saw a sign that read, "Heaven's Grocery Store".

As I got a little closer the door came open wide, and when I came to myself I was standing inside.
I saw a host of Angels, they were standing everywhere.
One handed me a blanket and said, "My Child shop with care".
Everything a Christian needs is in that grocery store, and all you can't carry, come back the next day for more.

First, I got some Patience, Love was in the same row.

Further down was Understanding, needed everywhere you go.

I got a box or two of Wisdom, a bag or two of Faith,

I just couldn't miss the Holy Ghost, it was all over the place.

I stopped to get some Strength and Courage to help me run this race, but then my blanket was getting full, and I remembered I needed Grace.

I didn't forget Salvation, which like the others was free, so I tried to get enough of that to save both you and me.

Then I started to the counter to pay my grocery bill, for I thought I had everything to do my master's will.

As I went up the aisle, I saw Prayer and had to put it in, for I knew when I stepped outside, I would run right into sin.

Peace and Joy were plentiful, they were on the last shelf.

Song and Praises were hanging near, so I just helped myself.

Then I said to the Angel, "How much do I owe"?

The Angel smiled and said, "Just take them everywhere you go."

Again, I politely asked "How much do I really owe?"

The Angel smiled again and said,
"My Child, Jesus Paid Your Bill A Long Time Ago."

Love Always, Your daughter





We are confident, I say, and willing rather to be absent from the body, and present with the lord.

2nd Corinthians 5:8

# If Roses Grow In Heaven

If Roses grow in Heaven, Lord, please pick a bunch for us. Place them in our aunt's arms and tell her they're from us. Tell her that we love her and miss her, and when she turns to smile, place a kiss upon her cheek and hold her for a while. Because remembering her is easy, we do it everyday, but there's an ache within our hearts that will never go away.

Love you always, Your nieces and nephews.

The Lord is my Shepard; I shall not want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures.

He leadeth me besides 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 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.

Psalm 23

# Obituary

Elated, overjoyed, thrilled......just a few of the feelings that the late Quincel and Annie B. Minter felt on January 11, 1952 upon the arrival of their precious baby girl who they chose to name Peggy Jean Minter, affectionately known as "Peg, Baby, and Shorty."

Peggy was educated in the Hardeman County School System. She attended High School at Bolivar Central High and continue her education at Jackson School of Business earning a degree in business.

Knowing that one day, she would have a permanent home, Peggy dedicated her life to the Lord at an early age and was baptized at Mays Hill Baptist Church. She was a faithful member until she moved to Chicago, IL. After moving to Chicago, she joined Calvary MB Church where she was a member of the choir. After retirement, she relocated back to Bolivar, TN and joined Mt. Salem MB Church. Peggy served as a choir member and a member of the Pastor's Aide Committee. Singing was one of her passions and shopping was her joy. Peggy loved family and friends. She never met a stranger and she was a giving person, no matter what a person needed. She loved working in her yard as well as taking care of her indoor plants. She also had a love for her cats (Cranberry and Ladybug) and her dog (Princess).

After school, Peggy moved to Chicago, IL and was employed at National Futures Associations. After dedicating 30 plus years to the organization, Peggy retired. After retirement, she moved back to Hardeman County Tennessee, where she resided until her death.

On September 29, 2020, our Heavenly Father saw that our Peggy was tired, and He whispered, "Come child, and take your rest." Peggy was preceded in death by her parents and one sister; Shirley Lake.

Memories will forever cherished by her loving husband; Robert Mclin aka Bobbie: her magnificent daughter; Audrey Jeniel Roseborough aka Neil or Bruce-Bruce from Chicago, IL: Stepchildren; Crystal (Montrell) Simmons, Marshal (Cedric) Carter, Rahshied (Felicia) Mclin, Deleon (Crystal) Mclin: two brothers; Larry D. Minter (Cleo Griggs, devoted companion) of Bolivar, TN and Clarence (Cassandra) Minter of Corinth, MS: three sisters; Bobbie Lou Beard of Jackson, TN, Jeanett (James Sr.) Stewart, and Audrey Faye (Dennis) Rounds of Winter Garden, FL: two aunts; Peggy Bufford of Bolivar, Tn and Ovella (Sam) Horn of Chicago, IL: one uncle; Representative J.W. (Opal) Shaw of Bolivar, TN: one brother-in-law; Milton Harris (Eva, devoted friend): four sisters-in-law; Darlene Vasser, Mattie Edwards, Brenda Ward, and Joyce Harris: five special friends; Darlene (Melvin) Butler, Yvonne Clark, Margie Harris, Hazel Murphy and Dorothy Smith: numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.



A sister is a gift, a gift received from God. You know how each other feels, with just a smile or nod.

A sister is a friend, one you do not choose. She will tell you like it is, and never want to see you lose.

At times she makes you laugh and at times she will make you cry.

She will ask you the tough questions and is not happy until you knows why.

You always taught us by example, you were strong with a giving heart.

You're still the rock on which we stand. You are the bright star in the bright night.

You are the laughter through any headache. You're still our sister when things aren't right.

We thank God you were our sister and though it hurts to say goodbye. We will treasure the many memories knowing one day our tears will dry.

Goodbye sis, we'll see you again,

#### **Bobby Beard, Jeannette Stewart, Audrey Rounds**







Peggy

You were our supporter when weak, our encourager when in despair, our provider when in need, our corrector when in disarray, our protector when in danger and most of all our friend in lonely times.

Peggy, we saw you leaving, and watched you fade away; our hearts were sadly broken, we wanted you to stay,

but when we saw you sleeping so peaceful from pain; how could we wish you back to suffer that again.

It broke our hearts to lose you, but you have always tried to prepare us for this day by instilling God's Word in our hearts:

St. John 14:3

Let not your heart be troubled: Ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

Love always, your brothers

Larry D. Minter & Clarence Minter Sr.



