



Isabelle Jane Foster

June 9, 1919 - June 13, 2015

Isabelle Friend Foster, daughter of Sarah and Gabriel Friend, was born on June 9, 1919 in Preston Maryland (Caroline County). She departed this life on June 12, 2015, at 10:26p.m. at the Samaritan Health Care and Hospice Center in Mt. Holly, New Jersey. She was preceded in death by her brother Walter Welsey Friend. Isabelle was educated at Dover Road Elementary School in Preston, Maryland, and Lockerman High School in Denton, Maryland. She became a member of Zoar Methodist Church at an early age. She was joined in wedlock to Charles Foster Jr. deceased, son of Charles and Lilly Foster on December 24, 1938. To this union three children were born Sarah, Charles, and Betty.

Isabelle was very involved in her home church and community. She not only taught Sunday School and Vacation Bible School, she sang on the Choir. She was a lay speaker and served on the finance board as well as the building fund committee. She was a member of the Women's Society of Christian Service now called United Methodist Women and was a delegate to the Peninsula Delaware Conference for many years.

Isabelle was a member of the Caroline County Home Extension Program and served as its First Black President. She loved cooking, sewing, and crafts. She contributed artifacts to the Baltimore Black American Museum when it opened. Isabelle also loved to travel. She went on many cruises, traveled to

Switzerland, to the Holy Land as well as throughout the United States.

She leaves to cherish her memory three children, Sarah Lamar of Willingboro, New Jersey, Charles Foster (LaVerne Foster) of Hercules, California, Betty Jones of Tabernacle, New Jersey, nine grandchildren, Paula Leeder, Debra Igein, Chauncey Lamar, Tonya Valentine (Charles), Roderick Lamar (Noelle), Dana Foster, Brian Foster, Jennifer Lewis (Trenton), and Michael Jones (Shantel) , ten great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Lovingly Submitted,
The Family

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