



## Thelma Lyda Clash

April 8, 1921 - February 17, 2019

Thelma Lyda Clash, daughter of the late John W. and Lena B. Lyda, was born April 8, 1921, in Terre Haute, Indiana.

Thelma received her early education in the public schools of Terre Haute. She graduated with Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degrees in elementary education from Indiana State University. She also attended Morgan State College and the University of Maryland. For thirty-two years, Mrs. Clash taught in the elementary schools of Easton, Maryland, located in Talbot County.

Most of her life was spent in Indiana and in Cambridge, Maryland. An interest in the education of youth was one of the major thrusts in her life.

Mrs. Clash received her religious training at the Second Missionary Baptist Church in Terre Haute, where her parents were very active in all departments of the church. When she married Charles H. Clash of Cambridge, Maryland, she joined the Bethel A.M.E. Church in Cambridge. At Bethel, she was a member of the Missionary Society and the Scholarship Committee.

Her community, civic and professional activities included being a nursing home volunteer, tutoring, member of the National Teachers Association (NEA), Maryland State Teachers Association (MSTA), Talbot and Dorchester County Retired Teachers Associations, Delta Sigma Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., the Noddables Social Club, Literary Club and the Harriett Tubman Association.

Mrs. Clash is survived by two nieces, Meredith Morrow and Kimberly Lyda of Temple, GA; cousins, Lucille & Charles Lyda and family of Saginaw, Michigan and Rosetta Monman and Eddie Monman of Ohio; a sister-in-law, Minnie Lyda of Indiana; and friends.

# Tribute Wall

JO

“ Please accept my heartfelt condolences on the loss of your loved one. May the wonderful memories of your loved one continue to provide a measure of comfort to you until God's promise is fulfilled at Matthews 5: 5.

JoyceA - March 16, 2019 at 11:33 AM

IR

“ Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Isaiah 61:1,2 for words of comfort and peace.

Irene - March 04, 2019 at 12:45 PM

SU

“ During this most difficult time the scriptures serve as a comfort zone. 2 Thessalonians 2:16, 17; 2Corinthians 1:3, 4 Helping us to see that our pain and suffering will be a thing of the past, and we can cry tears of joy as we welcome back the ones that we love so much. John 5:28, 29; Revelation 21:4 I hope you find comfort in these promises. My deepest sympathy goes out to all the family.

Suzette - March 04, 2019 at 11:15 AM

AR

“ Dear Family, I like to express my sincere condolences for your loss during this most painful time. But in time there is only one who can solve all our problems and do away with sickness and death, it is our heavenly Father. So please find comfort from His word. 2Corinthians 1:3, 4; Isaiah 25:8a; Hosea 13:14

Artina - March 03, 2019 at 02:43 PM

PW

“ To the family, My sincere condolences in the passing of Thelma. Please find comfort in the words of Psalms 90:10, "The span of our life is 70 years, or 80 if one is especially strong. But they are filled with trouble and sorrow; they quickly pass by, and away we fly." Life is short. Thelma was exceptionally strong to reach the age of 97. Life in Paradise awaits her. (Luke 23:43)

Phyllis W. - February 28, 2019 at 06:45 PM

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“ Sorry For Your Loss Jesus Christ Loves Me We Love You

Thomas Widgeon - February 26, 2019 at 09:02 PM