



**ALICE MARIE CREAG**

A woman is the cradle of civilization. Through her, God gives us the miracle of life. On November 7, 1930, such a miracle was bestowed to Jason and Clydie Young in Groveton, Texas. They named their precious gift, Alice Marie. Even with all the joy she brought them, they knew one day she must be returned to the Gift - Giver, Our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

On August 8, 2002, the angels called Alice's (Mother) name and she answered. She accepted Christ at an early age and joined Mount Olive Church in Jossierand, Texas, under the Pastorage of Rev. H. Dolphus and J.T. Groves, Sr. After graduating from Groveton High School in 1948 she attended Prairie View A.M. and later transferred to Mary Allen College.

In December, 1951 Alice met and married Curtis (J.B. Parker) Creag, they later moved to California where she attended Second Baptist Church under the leadership of Rev. I.N. Whitten. Upon her return to Texas she joined the St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church under the Pastorage of J.T. Groves Sr., then later the leadership of Rev. Lonnie Franks until her health failed her.

The fruits of her lineage that preceded Alice in her Homecoming include: (Father): Jason Young; (Mother): Clydie Young; (Brothers): J.C. Roberts and Rev. Dezell Young (Daughter) Tonya Creag (Son) Willie Creag.

The fruits that remain to celebrate her Homegoing are: Husband: Curtis Creag Sr.; seven daughters: Lois Henry (Richard), Mable Brown, Nina "Gale" Watson, Yolanda Faye Creag, Deavory Ervin (Ray), Clydie Creag, and Cynthia Creag, all of Crockett; five

sons: Shaundo Creag (Patricio), of Prairie View, Jason Brent Creag, (Mariang), of Tyler, Curtis Creag, Jr. (Heather), of Groveton, Donald Creag (Annie Mae), Reginald Creag (Diane), all of Crockett; 34 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; two sisters: Emma Lee (Dunn) Young, of Groveton, Lynn Davis, of Beaumont; brother Larry Fulcher (Myrna), of Humble; aunt: Alivia Vonner (Quinton), of Waco; nieces: Peggy Bates (Tyrone), Marilyn Galbert; Valarie Hill (Joseph), Lisa Linstack (Patrick), Delois White, Dominique Fulcher, Hugh Dell Reese and Diane Jackson; nephews: Daryl (Donna); Dewayne Roberts, Santa Ana, Cal. Alexander Davis, Kenneth Davis Jr., Lukas Davis, and Dezell Young, Jr.; special son-in-law: Sam E. Watson; adopted children: Carolyn Fields Davis; Evelyn "Jane" Burns Mcknight, Channon "Pooh" Jefferson; special friends: John L. and Mary Taylor; Willie Stewart, Ester Henry and Steve Wynn; special grandchildren that she cherished and adored their presence, Treshenia (Queeny and Yance); Candy; Shambrica (McMe), Ashton; Dodrlick; Ne Ne (Ms Cooksey; and Brittany, but she loved them all.

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Marie "Mother" Creag were held Thursday, August 15, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Luke Missionary Baptist Church in Crockett with Rev. R.P. Taylor, Pastor and Rev. Lynn W. Bolton officiating. Interment followed in the Sumpter Cemetery in Groveton.

Pallbearers were Shaundo Creag, Reginald Creag, Jason Creag, Curtis Creag, Jr., Donald Creag, Sam Watson, Ray Ervin, and Richard Henry.

Honorary Pallbearers were Larry Fulcher, Joe Dunn, Channon Jefferson, Leroy Haynes, Jonathan James, James Griffin, Chad Truscott, Luther Robinson.

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