

A Memorial Service  
for  
Mrs. Priscilla Broadus

*Entered Eternal Rest*  
Wednesday, March 25, 1992



-Service-

MONDAY, MARCH 30, 1992  
1:00 P.M.

POWERHOUSE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST  
701 Commerce Street  
Marlin, Texas

*Elder Ozell Hall, Pastor Officiating*  
*Reverend F. A. Green Sr., The Spoken Word*

There's a Tree That's Good For the Healing  
By Eula M. Allen

*I told a friend the other day that I would soon be coming his way. I told him this body was getting weak surely but slowly, there's a leak. Sometimes I would get up and sit back down, but still I make it, round by round; someone told me about a tree and just one leaf would heal me. I know that death was coming as a thief, so I asked my friend to pull me a leaf; Don't you worry and don't you fret, today I have not one regret. No more prescriptions to be filled, this old body is already healed. This should not take you by surprise, I told you I was going to paradise; I said it wouldn't be very long you'd look for me and I would be gone. I've fought a real good fight, between me and God, it's alright; I don't want you to be sad, rejoice and be exceedingly glad. I'm not suffering, I have no pain, I am going where there's more to gain; I have finally made it to that tree, my friend was waiting with a leaf for me.*

## Precious Memories Unfolded

On September 9, 1919, Mr. Acie Bledsoe and Mrs. Minnie Soto Robertson Bledsoe were blessed with twins. They were named Priscilla and Aquilla and were two of nine children.

Priscilla attended public schools in Robertson and Falls counties. She professed a hope in Christ at an early age and joined the church under the Pastor Elder G. V. Clark in Long Branch, Texas. After moving to Marlin, Texas, Priscilla united with the United Powerhouse Church of God in Christ, under the stewardship of Elder Thomas. She remained a devoted member there until her homegoing.

Professionally Priscilla pursued a career as a Nurse's Assistant at the Torbetts-Hutchins-Smith Memorial Hospital until her retirement in 1978.

Priscilla met and married William H. Broadus Sr., and to their blessed union six children were born.

As a member of the church and Hiawatha Court Heroines of Jericho Lodge, Priscilla was an inspiration to all who have grown to know and love her. She will forever be remembered as a devoted wife, loving and kind mother, and spiritually inspiring to all of her friends who have known her throughout the years.

Priscilla's husband, William Broadus Sr., one son, Billy Broadus, three brothers, Eugene, George and Aquilla Bledsoe, and one sister, Alma Randle preceded her in death.

On Wednesday March 25, 1992 our Father in Heaven whispered to Priscilla to come and rest. Therefore, with no hesitation, she fell asleep in the "Arms of Jesus" upon His command in Austin, Texas with her daughter La Tricia.

After all was said and done Mrs. Priscilla Bledsoe Broadus leaves her two daughters, Deloris Hudson of Dallas, Texas and La Tricia Broadus of Austin, Texas; four sons, the Reverend James Baker of Hearne, Texas, Oliver Broadus of Temple, Texas, William Broadus Jr. of San Antonio, Texas and Michael Broadus of Marlin, Texas; two sisters, Pauline Johnson and Lillie Mae Bledsoe, both of El Paso, Texas; two brothers, James Bledsoe of Palo Alto, California and Matthew Bledsoe of Odessa, Texas; nine grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and a host of close relatives and friends to carry on the works that were left undone.

# Order of Service

Prelude

Processional . . . . . Ministers, Bearers, Family

Song-Choir . . . . . *"When the Saints Go Marching In"*

Scriptures

Old Testament . . . . . Rev. Robert Paul Sr.

New Testament . . . . . Rev. O. W. Mack

Prayer . . . . . Rev. Wm. Johnson

Song-Choir . . . . . *"I'll Fly Away"*

Resolutions . . . . . Powerhouse Church of God in Christ  
and Others

Remarks . . . . . (Limit three minutes, please)

Eulogistic Remarks . . . . . Pastor Ozell Hall  
Reverend James Baker

Obituary . . . . . (Read silently to soft music)

Solo . . . . . Elder Lonnie Garrett

The Spoken Word . . . . . Reverend F. A. Green Sr.

Recessional . . . . . *"When We All Get To Heaven"*

## Active Pallbearers

### *Nephews of the Deceased*

Dwayne Broadus  
Horace Bledsoe  
James Broadus

Gary Bledsoe  
A. W. Woodard  
Herman Simpson

## Honorary Pallbearers

James Bledsoe, Brother      Matthew Bledsoe, Brother  
Deacons of Powerhouse Church

## Graveside Rites

Heroines of Jericho, Hiawatha Court

## Interment

Broadus Family Cemetery  
Cedar Springs Road

## Acknowledgment

The Broadus family gratefully acknowledges the many kind deeds and comforting expressions of sympathy during this hour of sorrow.

- The Family

*WILL THOSE DRIVING IN THE PROCESSION KINDLY  
TURN ON THEIR HEADLIGHTS FOR SAFETY!*

*"Serving with Compassion"*

**Final and Most Sacred Arrangements**

**Entrusted To**

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