

Chicago

November 20, 1977

In Celebration of the Completed Life of  
MARGARET ELAINE HOCKLEY

The Obituary

We are gathered here to mark the sojourn through life of Margaret Elaine Hockley. Elaine was sent by God to live in this world and now has been removed by God from her station. She was sent to be a part of the family of mankind. She was born in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, the only child of Malcolm and Leone Self Dickie on April 26, 1936, and died her death on November 17, 1977, in Chicago, Illinois, United States of America.

Elaine was a wife and mother. She was bound in covenant for nineteen years of marriage to Leonard and was a mother to Mark, Matthew, and to Wendy Jo and Stephanie, who are deceased.

Elaine was a citizen of the globe and of Chicago. She attended elementary school in Greenfield Village, Michigan, and high school in Owosso, Michigan. She attended Michigan State University in East Lansing, Michigan, where she obtained her undergraduate degree in English and Education.

Elaine was a Junior High School Teacher and taught at Derby Junior High School in Birmingham, Michigan from 1958 to 1959 where she was Chairman of the English Department. She, also, held positions as Director of the Community Day Care Center in Highland Park, Michigan, from 1968 to 1969 and Community Education Officer for the Corporation of Glasgow in Scotland from 1974 to 1975. In 1966 Elaine began her internship with the Order: Ecumenical at the Ecumenical Institute, Chicago, Illinois, United States of America.

Elaine died as she lived, looking toward the future. Her life and death are a sign calling all men to rise up and engage in building the new earth. She lived her life in radical engagement, and now in awesome tranquility is living her death. Her life is complete and will remain forever a part of the eternal mystery that creates and shapes the world.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.  
Amen.