

Introducing
our young

Gospel Singer



Miss Mildred Griffin

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Seeking To Serve You
in the most helpful
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MISS GRIFFIN was born April 20, 1923, in Des Moines, Iowa, in which city she is still a resident. She finished High School in 1941. Miss Griffin has been raised in a sincere and very earnest Christian home, baptized by Rev. G. W. Robinson, pastor of Corinthian Baptist Church, of which she is a member.

MISS GRIFFIN is a young Gospel Singer. She thought of no better career than that of Gospel Singing, devoting her life and talent, using it for the cause of Christ; thinking that some soul might be lifted up by her songs and her spiritual gift.

HER FIRST PROGRAM was given March 22, 1942, at St. Paul A. M. E. Church of Des Moines, Iowa, of which Rev. H. C. Boyd is pastor. This program, with her delivering the Gospel in Song poured out from the very depths of her heart, brought 14 to the Altar—10 young people, 4 adults.

She was endorsed by the National Baptist Home Mission Board April 13, 1942.

Miss Griffin is taking advanced Gospel Singing training under the direction of Mrs. Johnnie Howard Franklin, National Gospel Singer of St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Minister:

I am asking you to consider my coming to show your people the blessing God has intrusted in my heart and soul. I realize I am very young and have not had the experience others have had, still I have something to say for my Lord, who suffered, bled and died that I might have everlasting life.

Today the Youth of the World needs to get a stronger hold on God's hand and get on the march for His cause. Our job today is to replace the evil qualities of fear, discouragement and doubt with courage and hope; rebuilding discouraged and despondent folk and making ourselves and our fellowmen into courageous warriors on the home front.

My hopes are that God will give each one of us the vision of a better world tomorrow, which we shall translate into reality by having a part in the building thereof. I hope you will consider me and let me help you instill this spirit in the hearts of the youth and people of your community.

I have appeared in Evangelistic services in the following places:— You may refer to these Ministers for further reference.

DES MOINES, IOWA — Rev. Robinson, Rev. H. C. Boyd, Rev. W. F. Ogleton, Rev. L. McAllister, Rev. E. E. Zachary (white).

OTTUMWA, IOWA—Rev. W. Shaw.

OMAHA, NEB.—Rev. St. Clair, Rev. C. Adams, Rev. J. H. Reynolds, Rev. Williams, Rev. E. D. Johnson.

COUNCIL BLUFFS—Rev. St. Clair.

CHICAGO—Rev. E. Thompson, Rev. Wm. L. Lambert, Rev. Gibson.

GARY, IND.—Rev. L. A. McGee.

MAYWOOD, ILL.—Rev. Haynes.

ST LOUIS, MO.—Rev. J. D. Howard.

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If on free will offering plan, 50 per cent of proceeds.

If you are accustomed to having tickets sold in the auditorium of your church, I can come on 50 per cent of proceeds if you furnish them. If I furnish them, 60-40 basis.

May God add His blessing until we meet.

Yours in Christ,