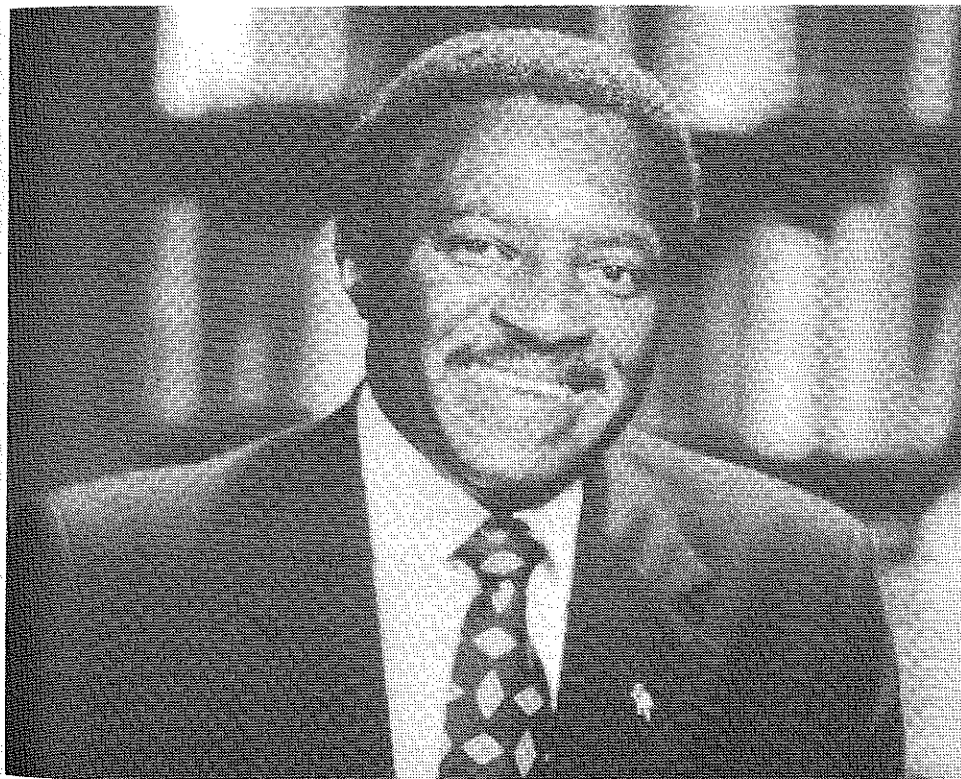


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Bishop Woodie W. White

give vision, but also personal energy, to make dreams come alive again for the community of the near southside.

Miss Fehr is survived by her sister, Marie Harris, three nieces, one nephew, four great-nephews, four great-nieces, two great-great-nephews and a host of friends for whom she was spiritual mentor, a guide to affirmational living and a model for the life of devotion. At her funeral service, a seventeen-year-old colleague, Nicole Mulholland, sang, "Here I Am, Lord." It was Helen's favorite hymn from the new hymnal, for it spoke the emotions of her heart, as well as her understanding of God. "...I have heard you calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart."

ANNA ADIS ROBBINS

November 7, 1905 - May 30, 1999

Adis was twelve years old when, at the close of a worship service, the minister (her father) invited young people to dedicate their lives for full-time Christian service. At that moment, she felt that God was calling her to be a missionary and she began preparing for missionary work.

Indiana was her home state and where she graduated from high school. She graduated from the University of Evansville in 1926 with a B.A. degree. After finishing college, she taught high school in Indiana for three years. She received an M.A. degree from Ohio Wesleyan University in June 1930.

On November 30, 1930, her twenty-fifth birthday, she arrived in Bombay, India. She first served in Girls' High School, Kampur, teaching English and having duties in hostel and play ground. The next six years were in Sawtel's Memorial School for poor village children.

Her last and longest service was twenty-three years in Rosra, Dist Ballia, U.P. Here she worked in an area of poor farmers who became Christians. She supervised primary day schools for children in the villages and also did evangelistic and welfare work. Her aim was to see that boys and girls got a good education and training. It was her joy to see many of her students become good Christian leaders, established in life with a skill and vocation.

Adis served as a missionary to India for forty years. She came to Brooks-Howell Home in July 1971, and became involved in Abernethy United Methodist Church, where she continued membership. She volunteered at ABCCM and was active in Family Council.

A memorial service was held at Brooks-Howell on June 22, 1999.