



Celebrating the Life
of
Donna Lee Hess
(December 17, 1937 ~ October 18, 2022)

Houghton Wesleyan Church
October 22, 2022
2:00 p.m.

Notes from a Mother's Bible:

THE LIVING BIBLE

Dedication written in the front cover: Donna L. Hess Christmas 1974

With love from Bruce, Mathy, Glenn and Linda

Title of a classic hymn: *Make Me a Captive Lord*

Faith that goes on triumphs.

Be faithful: to the world, to your tasks, to other people!

Nothing in life can take place of faithfulness.

The greatest ability you can have is dependability.

A church doesn't grow by addition but by nutrition (in the word of God).

The world calls the qualified. The Lord qualifies the called.

GET BACK TO THE BASICS

Everyone who accepts Christ is a missionary.

Everyone who doesn't know Christ is a mission field.

It takes time to win the confidence of people.

"Preach the Gospel all the time, if necessary, use words."

-St. Francis of Assisi

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF DONNA LEE HESS

Mother, Wife, Aunt, Cousin, Grandma and friend!

Prelude

Welcome and Prayer

Mateo Hess “Three Words”

Congregation: ***This is My Father’s World***

Song: “Jenn’s Song”

Open Mic

Bruce Hess “Two Points”

Scripture read by children Linda Núñez and Glenn Hess

Donna was called to serve her family.

Proverbs 31: 10-12

Donna was committed to the ministry of missionary work.

II Corinthians 4:5-7

Tribute from OMS: Austin Sullivan

Song: *Joy is Like the Rain!*

Open Mic

Congregation: *Cara a Cara/Face to Face*

Mateo Hess “Three Words”

Final Thoughts

Postlude

Officiant: Pastor Wes Oden

Organist: Jennifer Ross

Nuestra madre querida (Donna Lee Hess) escribió mucho en sus biblias a través de los años. En una hoja suelta ella escribió lo siguiente:

Our dear mother (Donna Lee Hess) wrote much in her bibles over the years. On a loose leaf she wrote the following:

GRIEF/PAIN:

My mother dying at easter time, before graduation from Nyack and the wedding (1960)

Death of Robby (February 27, 1962)

Death of father (1972)

Birth of Mateo – Costa Rica

Things can make you bitter or better.

God can use these experiences to help others.