

COMPLETE THIS WINDOW WITH THE BARTHOLOMEE MEMORIAL WINDOW.

No 3787

Place.....Towson, Maryland.....
Building.....The Towson Presbyterian Church, Chesapeake and Highland Avenues, Towson 4.
Date of Completion.....Sept. 1, 1956.
Persons Interested.....Mr. H. Dorsey Shipley.....
Price: \$4000 (\$50.00)

Profit \$361.00 = 9%

Minister.....The Rev. Robert W. Galloway.....
Denomination.....Presbyterian.
Architect.....

Vents.....
Position in Church.....Window over entrance.

Height from floor.....19'6".....
Protection.....Glass.....
Groove Rabbet.....
Metal Stone Wood.....

Exposure.....South.....
Footage.....80 feet.

Inscription....."In Memory of Bessie R. Shipley, Given by her Family."

Design wanted.....2nd week in September.....
By.....Lloyd.....
Staging.....

Templates.....~~W. H. Galloway~~.....~~this~~ Krager.....
Blueprints.....
Millwork Co, 1532 Thames St., Baltimore 31, Md. will send tracing of full size working drawing
General Information.....The Transfiguration.....

(Keep in mind the other windows there).

SEE BLUEPRINTS OF CHURCH SHOWING POSITION OF THE BALCONY WINDOW. THESE SHOW JUST HOW MUCH THE LOWER PART OF THE WINDOW WILL BE COVERED FROM VIEW BY THE BALCONY RAILING. All of the three dominant figures will be seen from a point about 3 bays up the nave, but we doubt if the complete window will be visible even from the chancel.

We have completed our study of the design for the window over the entrance of your church, and are sending you the rough color sketch herewith.

As planned, it is devoted to the Transfiguration. The radiant figure of Our Lord is represented at the center, with Moses bearing the Tablets of the Commandments at the left, and Elias at the right.

At the base of the central panel are the three witnesses, the Apostles, Peter, James and John, as Peter said, "Lord it is good for us to be here."

Symbols in the tracery are related to the dominant figures below: the Alpha and Omega for Our Lord, the broken serpent that Moses raised in the wilderness, and the raven who fed Elias. Plates of religious seal enrich the outer borders, while stars of heavenly steadfastness occur through the foliated borders of the lancets below.

Across the base is the memorial inscription: "In Memory of Beate R. Shipley, Given by her family."

We have kept the full color palette rather rich and deep, in recognition of the southern exposure. While the garments of Our Lord will be well controlled with texture, it will dominate the entire composition with loving radiance.