



Until We Meet Again

WE THINK ABOUT YOU ALWAYS,
WE TALK ABOUT YOU STILL,
YOU HAVE NEVER BEEN FORGOTTEN,
AND YOU NEVER WILL.
WE HOLD YOU CLOSE WITHIN OUR HEARTS
AND THERE YOU WILL REMAIN,
TO WALK AND GUIDE US THROUGH OUR LIVES,
UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN.

Preston - Pruitt - Spurlin Funeral Home
331 South Fourth Street
Danville, Kentucky 40422



In Loving Memory of

ANTOINETTE FARLEY

December 14, 1946
~ November 4, 2023



Twenty-Third Psalm

The Lord is my Shepherd:

I shall not want...

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters...

He restoreth my soul:

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness

for His name's sake...

*Yea, though I walk through the valley
of the shadow of death,*

I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me;

Thy rod and Thy staff, they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me

in the presence of mine enemies:

Thou anointest my head with oil;

my cup runneth over...

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me

all the days of my life:

and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

In Loving Memory of

ANTOINETTE FARLEY

Date of Birth

December 14, 1946

Date of Death

November 4, 2023

Service

Monday, November 20, 2023

12:00 pm

Shiloh Baptist Church

Lexington, Kentucky

Interment

Camp Nelson National Cemetery

Nicholasville, Kentucky



Acknowledgments

The family wishes to express our sincere appreciation for all acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown to us at this time. Thank you for your gifts, calls, food, concerns, and most importantly, prayers. May the Lord bless each of you.

With love, The Family

Arrangements Entrusted To
Preston Pruitt Spurlin Funeral Home, Danville, Kentucky

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Charles Edward Farley



Sunrise

DECEMBER 17, 1941

Sunset

SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

VISITATION

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2023

5:00 - 8:00 PM

PRESTON PRUITT SPURLIN FUNERAL HOME

SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2023

11:00 AM

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Obituary

Charles Edward Farley, 81, of Fayette County, passed away on September 30, 2023 at Pine Meadows Post Acute in Lexington, KY. He was born on December 17, 1941 in Chicago, Illinois to the late James Farley and Willie Mae Farley Adams. He is survived by his loving wife, Antoinette Farley.

Charles served in the Marine Corps and attended Louisville Technical College. He retired from IBM where he worked for 25 years and was a member of First Baptist Church in Danville.

The last card that he gave to his wife read, "Being married to you is the best part of my life. I wouldn't trade any of it – the laughter and fun, the challenges we overcome, and all the ways we're there for each other with comfort, support, and love. Being on this journey with you is what makes life so meaningful. I love you."

Surviving are three sons, Tilford Farley (Rosie) of Texas, Tyrone Farley of Lexington and Jerone Farley of Lexington; a daughter Lolita Martina (Dino) of Lexington; two step-daughters, Heather Venable of Georgia and Kimberly Skillings of Florida; a brother, Louis E. Adams Jr. of New Mexico; a sister, Louisia Adams of Danville; and seven grandchildren.

Charles was preceded in death by a son, Anthony Farley; a brother, Leon Farley; and two sisters, Andrea Martin and Kitty McGill.

Order of Service

Processional	Soft Music
Musical Selection	"Midnight Cry" Rev. Ronald McCowan
Scripture	Dr. Darrick Briscoe
Obituary	Read Silently
Acknowledgments & Resolutions	
Remarks	(Please 2 minutes each) Visiting Ministers
Musical Selection	"How Great Thou Art" Church Choir
Eulogy	Dr. Darrick Briscoe
Recessional	Soft Music

Interment

Camp Nelson National Cemetery
Nicholasville, Kentucky

Pallbearers

Mario Martina • Lorenzo Martina • Omar Farley
Dino Martina • Jalen Daugherty • Michael Aguirre

Honorary Pallbearers

James Black • George Shannon • James Doneghy • Alonzo McGuire
McElroy Burdette • James Singleton • Lewis E. Adams Jr.

Pallbearers

Kenneth Adams
Chad Martin
Jalen Daugherty
Daryl Smalley
Keith Ponder
Aaron Hodges



Acknowledgements

The family gratefully acknowledges all expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness extended to them during this time of bereavement.

*We Have Entrusted Our Loved One
To The Care Of:*



A. D. PORTER & SONS FUNERAL HOME
4501 Bardstown Road
Louisville, Kentucky 40218
(502) 491-7885

*In Loving Memory
of*

Leon Farley

September 23, 1943 - August 10, 2019



Service

**Friday, August 16, 2019
12:00 Noon**

A. D. Porter & Sons Funeral Home Southeast
4501 Bardstown Road
Louisville, Kentucky 40218
Rev. William Nelson, Pastor
Greater St. Mark Baptist Church
Officiating

Obituary

Mr. Leon Ricardo Farley Sr. was born September 23, 1943, in Chicago, Illinois to the late James Farley and Willie Mae Adams.

He married Linda Farley (deceased) and they parented four children, Yolanda Johnson-Martin, Craig Johnson (deceased), Leon Farley Jr. and Rosalind Farley.

Leon was an Army and Navy Veteran, graduated from Eastern Kentucky University with a Bachelor of Science, and retired from Commonwealth of Kentucky the Department of Juvenile Justice as the Head Superintendent from Rice Audubon in Louisville, Kentucky. Leon was a hard working family man.

He was preceded in death by his wife Linda Farley; his parents James Farley and Willie Mae Adams; a step-son Craig Johnson; and a sister Kitty McGill.

He leaves to cherish his precious memories, his step-daughter, Yolanda Johnson, Louisville, Kentucky; son, Leon Farley, Jr., Cincinnati, Ohio; daughter, Rosalind Farley, Louisville, Kentucky; four grandchildren, LeMichael, Tyler, Jordan (Aaron), and Brian; four great grandchildren, ArMaria, Aiden, Aziyah, and Anyiah; two sisters, Andrea Martin, and Louisa Adams, both of Danville, Kentucky; two brothers, Charles Farley (Ann), Lexington, Kentucky, and Louis Adams Jr., Albuquerque, NM; and a host of other relatives and friends.

"After Glow"

*I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one
I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when day is done
I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days
I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave behind when life is done.*

Order of Service

Prelude		Musician
Processional		Family
Scripture		Minister
Prayer		Minister
Solo		Sharron Sales
Obituary	(Read Silently)	Soft Music
Remarks		
Solo		Sharron Sales
Eulogy/Words of Comfort		Rev. William Nelson
Recessional		



Interment

Louisville Memorial Gardens-East

Pallbearers

Elwood Johnson
Brian Raines
Aaron Hodges

Lonnie Johnson
LeMichael Biggers
Keith Ponder



Acknowledgement

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all expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness
extended to them during this time of bereavement.

SERVICES ENTRUSTED TO:



A.D. PORTER & SONS FUNERAL HOME - SOUTHEAST
4501 Bardstown Rd. - Louisville, KY 40218
Phone: 502-491-7885; Fax: 502-491-7882

IN LOVING
MEMORY OF

Linda Sue Farley

July 19, 1945 — December 23, 2017



Service

Friday, December 29, 2017
12:00 Noon

A.D. Porter & Sons Funeral Home Southeast
4501 Bardstown Rd. - Louisville, KY 40218

Officiating: Rev. William Nelson, Pastor
Greater St. Mark Baptist Church

Obituary

MRS. LINDA SUE FARLEY was born July 19th, 1945 in Campbellsville, Kentucky to the late William Johnson and Viola Tucker-Johnson.

She married Leon Farley and they parented four children, Yolanda Johnson-Martin, Craig Johnson (deceased), Leon Farley Jr. and Rosalind Farley.

Linda worked at Genesco Shoe Company in Danville, Kentucky and retired from Wendy's as a store Manager in Louisville, Kentucky. Linda was a hard working and giving woman.

She was preceded in death by her parents, William Johnson and Viola Tucker-Johnson; a step-mother Imogene Johnson; a son Craig Johnson; six brothers; a sister; and two stepbrothers.

She leaves to cherish her precious memories her husband: Leon Farley of Louisville, Kentucky; daughter: Yolanda Johnson of Danville, Kentucky; son: Leon Farley Jr. of Cincinnati, Ohio; daughter: Rosalind Farley of Louisville, Kentucky; five grandchildren: LeMichael, Tyler, Jordan, Brian, and Jamesha; four great grandchildren: A'Maria, Aiden, Aziyah, and Anylah; four brothers: Elwood Johnson (Gloria), Lonnie Johnson (Azalene), Owen Johnson (Lucinda), and James Johnson (Elizabeth); three sisters: Jane Groves, Mildred Smith, and Wanda Mattingly (Dennis); a host of other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Prelude	Musician
Processional	Family
Scripture	Rev. William Nelson
Prayer	Rev. William Nelson
Solo	Sharron Sales
Obituary (<i>Read Silently</i>)	Soft Music
Remarks	Visiting Ministers
Solo	Sharron Sales
Words of Comfort	Rev. William Nelson
Benediction	
Recessional	

Interment

LOUISVILLE MEMORIAL GARDENS — EAST

Pallbearer

Charlie Logan
Glen Gooch
Ernest Gooch

Cecil Alcorn
Gary Miller
Clarence Gooch

Honorary Pallbearer

Oliver Miller
Preston Alcorn
Boney Simpson

J.T. Gooch
Joe W. Helm
Theodore Simpson

Interment

Elias Simpson Cemetery

Appreciation

All expression of kindness and concern shown
deeply appreciated, God Bless you all.

Joe Kathryn Garrett Farmer



1909-1995

Funeral Service

Thursday October 19, 1995

1:00 p.m.

Bethel A.M.E.

Boneyville

Rev. Robert Coulter, Master of Ceremony

Rev. Willie Stewart, Officiating

Order of Service

Rev. Robert L. Coulter
Master of Ceremony

Processional

Selection

Prayer

Scripture Psalm 23

Acknowledgments

Remarks

Reading of Obituary (Soft Music)

Solo Sis. Margaret Brown

Eulogy Rev. Willie Stewart

Recessional

Family will be served following interment

The Obituary

Joe Kathryn Garrett Farmer was born May 5, 1909, in Pineville, Kentucky and departed this life on October 15, 1995 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center in Lexington, Ky. She was the daughter of Mary Lucy Garrett and Sam Garrett.

She accepted Christ at an early age and became a member of Bethel A.M.E. Church in Boneyville.

She leaves to mourn a sister Johnnie Bell McDowell of Stanford, Kentucky; one sister-in-law Viola Farmer of Cincinnati, Ohio; one nephew Richard McDowell of Indianapolis, Indiana; one great niece Leah McDowell of Indianapolis, Indiana; eight great nephews: Richard McDowell II., Wayne, Johnny, Dominuqe McDowell of Indianapolis, Indiana, David Garrett of Cincinnati, Ohio, Irvin Garrett III, Norman and Michael Garrett of Covington, Kentucky; one niece-in-law Delores Garrett of Covington, Kentucky.

*Peacefully sleeping, resting at last,
The world's weary troubles and trails past.
In silence she suffered, in patience she bore,
Till our Lord called her home to suffer no more.
The Family*

Pallbearers

Dec. Willie Coleman
Bro. William Howard
Bro. James Lorick

Bro. Robert Pendleton
Bro. Thomas Lockhart
Deacon & Trustee's

Honorary Pallbearers

Brothers of the Masonic Order

Flowerbearers

Missionary's & Eastern Star

Acknowledgement

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card,
Or sat quietly in a chair,
Perhaps you sent a funeral spray,
If so we saw it there,
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words,
As any friend could say;
Perhaps you were not there at all,
Just thought of us that day,
Whatever you did to console our hearts,
We thank you so much whatever the part.
By the family of*

Arrangements by
A. D. PORTER & SONS FUNERAL HOME

In Memory Of...



Friday, November 2, 1990
1:00 P. M.

GREATER GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC.
1100 South 26th Street
Louisville, Kentucky 40210

Reverend Joseph F. Scott
Pastor

Obituary

*Fierce was the wild billow, dark was the night,
Oars labored heavily, foam glimmered white;
Mariners trembled, peril was nigh;
Then said the God of Gods, "Peace, it is I!"*

Leroy Farris was born April 16, 1916 from the union of Virgil Farris & Nellie V. Barlow in Cave City, KY. In 1943 he moved to Louisville, KY.

He then joined Cable Baptist Church, where he served on the Trustee Board and Deacon Board. He also sang with the Sr. Choir and served on many boards and was involved in activities at the church.

He was a member of the Deep River Songbirds for many years.

He became a Master Mason of the St. Thomas Lodge in November, 1951, and later was elevated to the 33rd Mason. He served as Grand Master from 1984-1985.

He was joined in holy matrimony to Martha in March, 1976.

He joined Greater Good Hope Baptist Church, Inc. in 1984 and served on the Deacon Board as well as sang with the Brotherhood.

He was the 1st Vice President of the State's Layman's League and was involved in numerous civic and community activities.

He leaves behind a loving wife, his Masonic family, three nieces, one nephew, six great nieces, one great nephew, eight children, twenty-one grandchildren (who will always affectionately remember him as Pap a Lee) & a host of relatives & friends.



Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL	-----
SCRIPTURE	----- -Rev. E. Duncan
PRAYER	----- -Pulpit
SELECTION	----- -Choir
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS	-----
OBITUARY	----- -Soft Music (Read Silently)
SOLO	----- -Rosalind Daughte
REMARKS	----- -Ministers (2 Minutes Please)
SOLO	----- -Ollie Reynolds
EULOGY	----- -Rev. J. F. Scott
INTERMENT	----- -Green Meadows
COMMITIAL & BENEDICTION	----- -Gravesite



Honorary Pall-Bearers

James Singleton
Paul Logan
June Christy

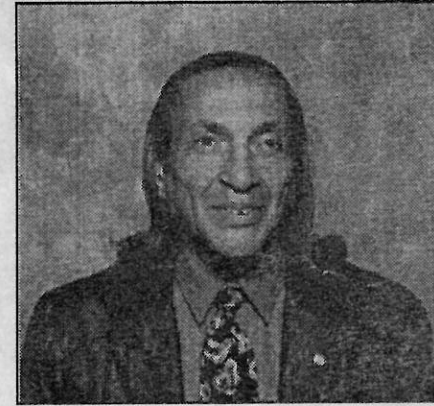
Casket Bearers

James Robert Payne
Bronston Coward
Guye Tarrance
Larry Coward
Ronnie Fain
Ray Fain Jr.

The family acknowledges with grateful appreciation all acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them during their time of bereavement.

Arrangements by
Smith Jackson Funeral Home
445 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

In Loving Memory
of



Charles A. Faulkner

Sunrise: October 3, 1921

Sunset: October 13, 2000

Services

Friday, October 20, 2000

11:00 A.M.

**Smith Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky**

**Rev. Clay Beasley
Officiating**

Obituary

On Friday, October 13th at the VA Hospital in Lexington, KY, Charles A. (Ross) Faulkner was called from this life.

Charles was born October 3, 1921 in Mercer County, KY, to the late Thomas and Cynthia Smith.

He attended the public schools of Danville. At an early age he united with the Church of God of America under the pastorage of Rev. A. R. Smith.

Charles was retired from the United States Army, serving in both World War II and the Korean War. Upon retirement from the military he was employed with Metropolitan Life of San Francisco, CA, from which he also retired.

He was a person who was involved in a lot of community activities. He was a Kentucky Colonel and a life member of the NAACP,

He leaves to cherish his memory, a sister, Bell Coward of Louisville, KY; two brothers, Sam Banks Sr. of Hot Springs, AR and Eugene Faulkner of Burgin, KY; an aunt, Stella Van Dyke Brown of Harrodsburg, KY; two special nieces, Mattie Henderson of Oberlin, Ohio and Mary Patton of Harrodsburg, KY; two special friends, Guye and Wanda Tarrance; nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends.

When?

I thank You, Lord Jesus. for guiding me.

When I wasn't aware of your presence, for loving me.

When I didn't even love myself, for protecting me.

When I was so sure I was being strong, for carrying me

When I was positive, I was standing on my own.

And for being by my side, when I ignored You.

Yes, Father, thank You for being my friend.

The Family

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture

Prayer

Solo...*"Just How Much We Can Bear"*Rev. Barry Bowman

Acknowledgements & Resolutions

Obituary.....*Soft Music*.....Read in Silence

Remarks.....Sister Deanna Gilliam

Solo.....*"I'll Fly Away"*Sister Cassandra Alcorn

Eulogy.....Rev. Clay Beasley

Benediction

Recessional

Interment

Camp Nelson Cemetery
Camp Nelson, Kentucky

Dinner will be served to the family and friends
at First Baptist Church, following the
interment.

PALLBEARERS

Otis Ford
Thomas Smith
Norman Faulkner
Orestes Richardson, Jr.
Danny Jones
Ronnie McCowan

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with grateful appreciation, the kindness of friends and neighbors, and all expressions of sympathy extended to them during this time of bereavement.

Arrangements by
SMITH-JACKSON FUNERAL HOME
Danville, Kentucky

IN LOVING MEMORY

of

Cornelia Faulkner
1912 - 1992



Funeral Services

Saturday, August 22, 1992

12:00 Noon

St. James A. M. E. Church
124 East Walnut Street
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Wink Sweat, Officiating

OBITUARY

On Tuesday, August 18, 1992 at 10:05 A.M. God in his infinite wisdom saw fit to call from our midst our beloved Cornelia Simpson Faulkner.

She was born October 5, 1912 in Boyle County, to the late Ernest and Mary Simpson.

She was united in marriage to the late George Faulkner and two children were born to that union.

She was a retired employee of Supreme Life Insurance.

She was a loyal and devoted member of St. James A. M. E. Church where she served as a Steward, Financial Secretary, Chairman of the Budget Committee, and President of the Usher Board for over 20 years.

She leaves to cherish her memory: a daughter, Joan Allen, a son, Don Faulkner, a daughter-in-law, Barbara Faulkner, four, grandchildren, Courtney Allen, Jr., Don Faulkner Jr., Rashard Faulkner, Edmond Allen, step-granddaughter Barshuanna Blair, great-grandchildren. Kayla Allen, Brandon Blair, three sisters, Haddie Simpson, Lurlene Bradshaw, Daisy Shavers, one aunt, Dora Simpson, one uncle Carl Simpson, son-nephew, William Shavers, several nieces and nephews and host of other relatives and friends.

A flower that blooms in the morning
Has closed at the end of the day.
It has been plucked from life's
Garden and taken far away.

Yet this beautiful flower
Is blooming brightly somewhere.
And shines with fragrance eternal
In heaven's garden so fine.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude.....Organ Medley

Processional

Selection.....Choir

Prayer.....Bro. Ralph Smith

Scripture

Solo.....Thomas Smith

Acknowledgements - Resolutions

Obituary.....Read in Silence

Remarks.....Visiting Ministers

Solo.....Ronnie McCowan

Eulogy.....Rev. Wink Sweat

Recessional

Interment.....
Hilddale Cemetary

PALLBEARERS

John Bates
Otis Ford
Bobby Faulkner

Tommie Faulkner
Paul E. Price
James Rush

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Harvey Chenault
Charles Ford
Gary Ford
Ronnie Mccowan



INTERMENT

Hill 'n Dale Cemetery
Danville, Ky

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family wishes to express their appreciation to everyone for all acts of kindness, gifts, prayers and concerns.

The family

Hawkins Funeral Home
John C. Taylor, Owner/Operator
632 West Pine Street
Lexington, KY 40508
(606) 255-7633

Home Going Services

for

Mrs. Dorothy Mae Pope Faulkner



Friday
January 17, 1997
1:00 p.m.

**First Baptist Church
Danville, KY**

**Rev. Richard Hill, Pastor
Officiating**



OBITUARY

I am home in Heaven, dear ones;
 Oh so happy and so bright!
 There is a perfect joy and beauty
 In this everlasting light.

Dorothy Mae Pope Faulkner was born in Boyle County, KY to the late Harrison and Fannie Mae Pope.

She was a member of First Baptist Church, Danville, KY where she was a faithful member until her illness.

She was united in holy matrimony to the late Matt Robinson Faulkner and to this union five children were born. Herbert Eugene Faulkner preceded her in death.

She is survived by three sons - William I. Faulkner, Norman Richard Faulkner, and Robert Louis (Kathy) Faulkner; a daughter - Betty S. (Henry) Simpson; twelve grand children; ten great grand children; two nieces - Dorothy Estill and Artis Jean King; sister-in-law - Georgia Bell Faulkner, a host of cousins, and other relatives.

All the pain and grief is over,
 Every restless tossing passed;
 I am now at peace forever,
 Safely home in Heaven at last.

- The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection

Scripture

Prayer

Solo

Acknowledgment

Obituary

Read in Silence

Remarks

(One (1) Minute)

Visiting Ministers

Solo

Words of Comfort

Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional



Active Pallbearers

Bro. Joe Warner
Bro. Troy Warner
Bro. Carlos Bess
Bro. William Warner
Bro. Michael Faulkner
Bro. James Meadows

Honorary Pallbearers

Bro. George Miller
Bro. Jones Coffman
Bro. Juan Warner

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of Elmer Lawrence Faulkner, wishes to acknowledge the messages, prayers, visits, telephone calls, flowers, cards, and expression of sympathy shown during this time of bereavement. Your kindness will always be remembered and appreciated may God Bless each of you.

Arrangements Entrusted To:
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky 40422

IN LOVING MEMORY
of
Elmer Lawrence Faulkner



Funeral Service
Thursday, May 12, 2005
1:00 P.M.

Smith-Jackson Funeral Chapel
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Everhart Walker
Officiating

~THE OBITUARY ~

Elmer Lawrence Faulkner, departed this life on Sunday, May 8, 2005, at his residence 206 Wilderness Road, Danville, Kentucky.

He was born on March 15, 1923 in Madison County, Kentucky, and was the son of the late Arch and Everree Faulkner. He is preceded in death by his wife Bessie Viola Faulkner, a son Lawrence Edward Faulkner and two brothers Edward and Franklin Faulkner.

Elmer was a loving father, brother, and all around loving and giving person.

He attended Old Mason School in Lancaster, Kentucky. Elmer was self-employed as a painter.

Elmer is survived by two daughters, Lilette Burgess, of Danville, KY and Barbara Wilkerson, of Lexington, KY; one step-son William (Marggie) Doty, of Monticello, KY; four sisters Lueetta Summers, Mary McGill, Lucille (Claude) Snodgrass and Minnie Meadows, all of Danville, KY; three brothers Archie (Eddy Mae) Faulkner, Allen (Mary Elizabeth) Faulkner and Samuel (Willie Mae) Faulkner, all of Danville, KY; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends;

Safely Home

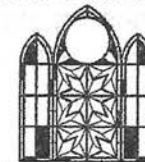
*I am home in Heaven, dear ones.
Oh, so happy and so bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In the everlasting light.*

*All the pain and grief is over;
I am now at peace forever.
Safely home in Heaven at last.*

~ORDER OF WORSHIP ~

Processional.....Soft Music
Scripture.....Clergy
Prayer.....Clergy
Solo.....Sis. Casssandra Alcorn
Acknowledgements, Tributes, Resolutions, Telegrams, etc
Obituary.....Read In Silence
Remarks.....Visiting Ministers
Solo.....Sis. Casssandra Alcorn
Words of Comfort.....Rev. Everhart Walker
Benediction

INTERMENT



Hilldale Cemetery
Danville, Kentucky

CASKET BEARERS

Mr. Virgil Jackman
Mr. William Shavers
Mr. James Jones

Mr. Benjamin Jenkins
Mr. Ronald McCowan
Mr. Joe Walker

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Mr. J. T. Gray
Mr. Fred Mayfield
Mr. George Fields

Mr. William Letcher
Mr. John Segar
Mr. George Parr

ARRANGEMENTS BY
SMITH-JACKSON FUNERAL HOME

IN MEMORY OF



GEORGE FAULKNER
1910 — 1978

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Danville, Kentucky

SEPTEMBER 2, 1978
1:30 P.M.

Rev. Richard Hill, Officiating

Burial - Hilldale Cemetery

OBSEQUIES

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On Wednesday morning, August 29, 1978 at 1:20 A.M. at Ephraim McDowell Memorial Hospital, God in his infinite wisdom saw fit to take from our midst, George Faulkner at the age of 68. He was the son of the late Joseph and Rose Ann Faulkner.

He joined the First Baptist of Danville, Kentucky, at an early age.

On November 29, 1935, he was united in holy matrimony to Cornelia Simpson. To this union two children were born. He was a devoted husband, a loving father, and he loved all. He was with the Southern Railroad Company, from which he retired.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Mrs. Cornelia Faulkner; a daughter, Mrs. Joan Allen; a son, Donald Lee Faulkner, of Lexington, Ky.; and same as son, William Shavers of Port Chester, New York. Six grandchildren, which for those who may be confused, include the two children of William Shavers; and a God son, Christopher Sydnor of Fort Bragg, North Carolina. One sister, Mrs. Saralyn Harris of Danville, Ky.; four sisters-in-law, Miss Haddie Simpson and Mrs. Georgia Faulkner of Danville, Ky.; Mrs. Lurline Brashaw and Mrs. Daisy Shavers of Port Chester, New York; a son-in-law, Courtney Allen, and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rosalyn Faulkner, of Lexington, Ky., and a host of nieces and nephews.



*Our Father knows what is best for us,
So shy should we complain,
We always want the sunshine,
But He knows there must be rain.*

*We love the sound of laughter,
And the merriment of cheer,
But our hearts would lose their tenderness,
If we never shed a tear.*

*Our Father tests us often,
With suffering and with sorrow,
He tests us, not to punish us,
But to help us meet tomorrow.*

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

- Processional
 - Selection Glee Club
 - Scripture Rev. Calvin Sydnor
 - Prayer Rev. Authur King
 - Selection Glee Club
 - Acknowledgements of cards, Telegrams and Letters Mrs. M. Dunn
 - Obituary Read Silently Soft Music
 - Solo Mr. Courtney Allen
 - Remarks Visiting Ministers
 - Eulogy Rev. Richard Hill
 - Viewing of Remains
 - Benediction
 - Recessional
- Dinner will be served for family and friends at the St. James A.M.E. Church.

**To Those I love
And Those Who Love Me**

When I am gone, release me let me go.
I have so many things to see and do.
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears.
Be happy that we had so many years.
I gave you my love, you can only guess
How much you gave to me in happiness.
I thank you for the love you each have shown
But now it's time I travel on alone.
Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near.
And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear
All of my love around you soft and clear.
And then, when you must come this way alone.
I'll greet you with a smile and

"Welcome Home"

The Family

Acknowledgments

The family of Georgia B. Faulkner appreciates
all acts of kindness shown during the illness
and death of their loved one.

Arrangements Entrusted to
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

**IN LOVING MEMORY
OF
Mrs. Georgia Faulkner**



1908-1997

Funeral Service
12:00 P.M.
Friday, October 3, 1997
First Baptist Church
200 W. Walnut Street
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Richard Hill
Pastor

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional.....
Selection.....Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross.....Glee Club
Scripture.....John 14:1-4.....Pulpit
Prayer.....Pulpit
Selection.....Blessed Assurance.....Glee Club
Acknowledgments.....Rev. Hill
Obituary.....(Read Silently).....Soft Music
Remarks.....Visiting Ministers
Solo.....Ronnie McCowan
Eulogy.....Rev. Richard Hill
Recessional.....

Interment

Hilldale Cemetery
Danville, Kentucky

Casket-Bearers

James H. Johnson	David Penman
Mitchell Penman	James Munford
Harvey Chenault	Robert Coulter

Honorary Casket-Bearers
Great Grandsons

HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

for

Sis. Georgia B. Helm Faulkner

Mrs. George B. Helm Faulkner departed this life on September 30, 1997, after a long illness. She was born on December 29, 1908 to the late Robert and Nancy L. Helm in Lincoln County. One brother Henry M. Helm preceded her in death..

She was the widow of Walter Z. Faulkner and to this union they were blessed with three daughters.

Mrs. Faulkner was member of First Baptist Church Danville, Ky. She was an active member of the M & W Club, served as past president of the Senior Usher Board and worked with the Junior Ushers.

She leaves to cherish her memories three daughters Sylvia B. Kennedy, Rosetta Ford, and Georgia G. McCowan all of Danville, Ky; one son-in-law Archie McCowan of Danville, Ky; one sister-in-law Mary H. Kennedy of Cincinnati, Oh; eight grandchildren, thirty great grandchildren, thirty-seven great great grandchildren; three nieces of Cincinnati, Oh; a loyal and trusted friend Mrs. Marzie B. Durr of Danville, Ky

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

William Carter
Willie Allen
Joey Griffin
Anthony Ford
Raymond Houston, Jr.
June Christy

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of Lawrence Faulkner, wish to thank everyone for their prayers, flowers, cards, phone calls, and all acts of kindness, shown to them during the illness and passing of their Dear Loved One.

Arrangements Entrusted To:
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

IN LOVING MEMORY
of
LAWRENCE FAULKNER
April 6, 1946 - October 6, 2001



Funeral Service
Wednesday, October 10, 2001
11:00 A.M.

Smith- Jackson Funeral Chapel
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

Elder Larry D. Weathers, Sr.
Officiating

~THE OBITUARY~

Lawrence Edward Faulkner, age 55, was called to his eternal rest on Saturday, October 6, 2001 at Ephraim McDowell Medical Center in Danville, Kentucky.

He was born April 6, 1946, in Boyle County, and was the son of the late Viola Faulkner.

He was a former employee of Burke's Bakery. He attended Church of God of America.

He is survived by two sisters, Lillette Burgess of Danville, Kentucky and Barbara Wilkerson of Lexington, Kentucky; and a brother, William Dotye of Monticello, Kentucky; two aunts Eustatia Johnson and Essia Burton; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousin and friends.

*"There's an open gate at the end of the road
through which each must go alone,
And there is a light we cannot see,
Our Father claims his own!
Beyond the gate our loved one
finds happiness and rest,
and there is comfort in the thought
that a loving God knows best."*

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

- Solo.....
- Prayer.....Clergy
- Scripture.....Clergy
- Acknowledgments, Resolutions, Cards, Telegrams, etc.....
- Obituary.....(*Read Silently*).....Soft Music
- Remarks.....(2 minutes please).....Visiting ministers
- Solo.....
- Words of Comfort.....Elder Larry D. Weathers, Sr.
- Recessional

Interment



Hilldale Cemetery
Danville, Kentucky

The Twenty-Third Psalm

The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters: He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. . Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. . Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. . .

IN MEMORY OF

LENA GARR FAULKNER

DATE OF BIRTH

FEBRUARY 24, 1943

DATE OF DEATH

AUGUST 4, 1989

TIME AND PLACE OF SERVICES

1:00 PM TUESDAY

STONY POINT BAPTIST CHURCH

MINISTER(S)

REV. M. P. CUSTARD

BURIAL

LEXINGTON CREMATORY

ARRANGEMENTS BY

PRESTON PRUITT

FUNERAL HOME

DANVILLE, KENTUCKY



PALLBEARERS

Charles Grey
Johnnie Pigg
Albert Taylor
J.W. Raines
Henry Lee Johnson
June Christy

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Madison Tarrence
Sam Southern

We wish to extend to everyone our grateful thanks and appreciation of love and sympathy rendered to us in our hour of need.
The Family

Arrangements by
SMITH-JACKSON FUNERAL HOME
Danville, Kentucky

In Loving Memory
of
Mrs. Lula T. Faulkner



Funeral Services
Wednesday, April 18, 1990
1:00 P.M.

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Richard Hill
Officiating

OBITUARY

Lula Trumbo Faulkner was born February 22, 1900 in Boyle County, Kentucky, to the late Will and Lu Vicie Trumbo.

She was united in marriage with Rev. L.W. Faulkner. He preceded her in death February 16, 1958.

She was a member of Clifton Baptist Church.

She leaves to mourn her passing a son, William L. Faulkner, of Danville; a daughter, Myrtle A. Taylor, of Frankfort; four grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren, and a host of cousins and many friends.

*I rest in Thee, complete, secure,
For in my soul is peace,
For Thou didst wash me clean,
And gave my soul release.
And now I rest in Thee alone,
Nor darkest night would fear,
For in the closing of my eyes,
I know that Thou art near.*

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Solo "His Eyes is on the Sparrow" Robert Trumbo

Organ Minnie B. Devine

Scripture

Prayer

Acknowledgements (of cards, telegrams, etc.)

Obituary (Soft Music) Read in Silence

Remarks

Music Minnie B. Devine

Eulogy Rev. Richard Hill

Benediction

Recessional

Interment
Clifton Cemetery



Mermon A. Faulkner

Mermon Allen Faulkner, 84, passed away Jan. 22, 2014, at his home.

Survivors include two sons, Robert and Timothy Faulkner; five daughters, Mary Gray, Linda Faulkner, Delina Gardner, Angela Faulkner and Denise Mansfield; a brother, Archie Faulkner Jr.; four sisters, Luella Summers, Minnie Meadows, Mary McGill and Lucille Snodgrass; and a host of family and friends.

Services will be 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, at Smith-Jackson Funeral Home.

Visitation will be 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday.

Pallbearers

Harvey Chenault

John Davis

Theodore Davis

Cecil Ford

Otis W. Ford

Earl Ragland

Honorary Pallbearers

King Solomon Masonic Lodge No. 8 of Lexington, KY

Bate High School - Class of 1956

Interment

Camp Nelson National Cemetery

Nicholasville, Kentucky

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their appreciation to everyone
for all acts of kindness, gifts, prayers and concerns.

THE FAMILY

Arrangements by:

Smith & Smith Funeral Home

340 East Third Street • Lexington, KY 40508

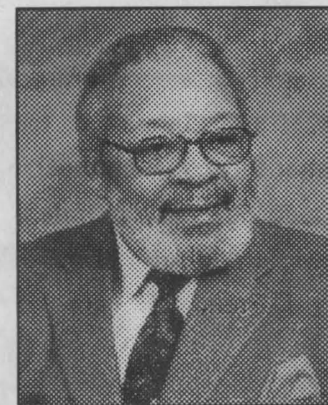
(859) 255-6273

*“Where Service Is Measured Not By Gold,
But By The Golden Rule.”*

In Loving Memory

of

Honorable Norman R. (Lonnie) Faulkner



August 20,
1934

July 11,
2003

11:00 a.m.

Saturday, July 19, 2003

First Baptist Church

Second and Walnut Street

Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Richard Hill, Pastor, officiating

Obituary

Honorary Norman R. (Lonnie) Faulkner, 68, of Hollow Creek Rd., #2 passed Friday, July 11, 2003. He was a native of Boyle County, the son of the late Matt and Dorothy Faulkner. He was a member of First Baptist Church, Danville, Kentucky and while living in Lexington, he attended Shiloh Baptist Church. He was a proud serving member of King Solomon Masonic Lodge #8 and Bluegrass Consistory #46, Lexington. He was a Kentucky Colonel.

He leaves behind children, Henrietta "Penny" Bowman - Harrodsburg, Lonnie "Gene" Faulkner, Lloyd "Hopp" Faulkner, - Lebanon, David (Margo) Caldwell - Danville, Adrian Faulkner - Raleigh, NC; a sister, Betty Faulkner (Henry) Simpson - Lexington; brother, Robert "Bobby" (Kathy) Faulkner - Ontario, CA. He was preceded in death by a brother, William Faulkner.

Other survivors include a host of grandchildren and great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, a special and devoted cousin, Artis King, Cincinnati, Ohio; a fond friend, Eleanor Kavanaugh and devoted friend, Maurice Bogarty.

Last Request

*My tears saw that you were going,
and I watched you go away.*

My heart was sadly broken, and wanted you to stay.

But God saw the road was getting rough,

The hills too hard to climb,

So He closed your eyelids

and whispered "Peace Be Thine."

Cuz . . . Artis

Order of Service

Processional

Selection Church Choir

Scripture

Prayer David Chenault

Solo Loretta Taylor

Acknowledgement

Obituary Read in Silence

*Remarks Visiting Ministers
(Two (2) Minutes)*

Solo Ronnie McCowan

Words of Comfort

Recessional

Celebrating the Life of
Robert Louis Faulkner

December 8, 1948 — May 4, 2016



Tuesday, May 10, 2016

Mt. Zion Baptist Church
224 West California Street
Ontario, California 91762

Officiant: Brian E. Kennedy, Sr., Senior Pastor
Eulogist: Richard Young, Executive Pastor

Obituary

Robert Louis Faulkner, Sr. "Bobby" was born December 8, 1948 in Danville, Kentucky to Matt Faulkner and Dorothy Mae Pope.

After attending Danville High School for three years, Bobby enlisted in the United States Marine Corps. Proudly serving in the Marines as a 0311 Rifleman and deploying to Vietnam, he earned the National Defense Service Medal, RVN Cross of Gallantry, Vietnam Campaign Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Combat Action Ribbon and Rifle Marksmanship Badge. Upon returning to the United States, he was stationed at Camp Pendleton California. "Bobby", as he was affectionately called by family and friends, received an honorable discharge from the military service in 1971.

Bobby held several jobs after leaving the military, but some of his favorite and hilarious stories to tell, were as a Correctional Officer at the Chino Men's Prison, of course the GE Plant where everyone in Ontario worked, and Hussman Corp. He would ride his bike to work at Hussman up until he was medically retired in 2010.

Bobby, the always "Sharp Dressed Man", with a witty personality, met and fell in love with Kathy Byers. In August 1980 they were married and to this union Christopher and LaQuosia were born. Bobby accepted Christ in the mid 70's and joined Mt. Zion Baptist Church under the leadership of Pastor Alvin J. Carter. He sung with the Mt. Zion Male Chorus, and boy did he sing, often times leading or singing a solo.

Bobby was a true born artist. He loved to sketch and draw. He also had a passion for classic cars. He made sure his cars were always as clean and polished as he was.

On Wednesday, May 4, 2016 the Lord called Bobby home, his work here on earth was complete. No more pain and no more suffering, our Angel has gotten his wings. He was preceded in death by his loving father and mother, Matt and Dorothy Faulkner; brothers', William "Billy" Faulkner and Norman "Lonnie" Faulkner.

Bobby leaves to cherish his love and memories, his devoted wife of 36 years Kathy; his children, Tymeka Jennings, Robert, Chris (Veronica) Faulkner and LaQuosia Faulkner. His footprints in the sand will be followed by his grandchildren Bernard, Bryce, Angel, Damien, Alayia, Bria, and Emal. His devotion and protected spirit will forever live on in his baby sister, Betty Faulkner and mother-in-law, Mamie McCorey. Bobby will be missed by uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews and a host of extended family and friends from the East Coast to the West Coast.

Order of Service

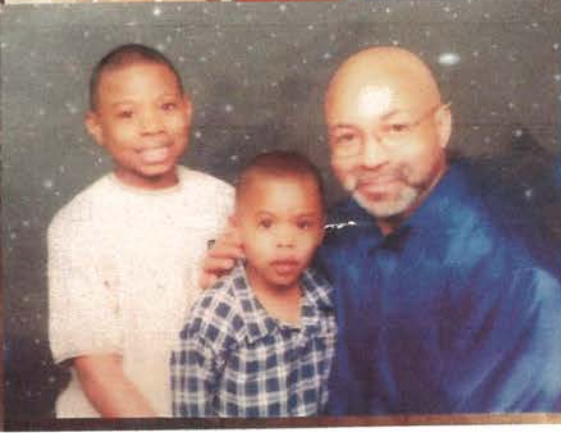
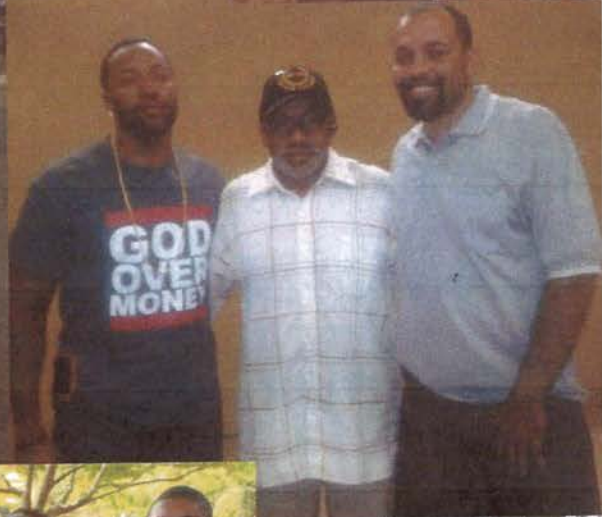
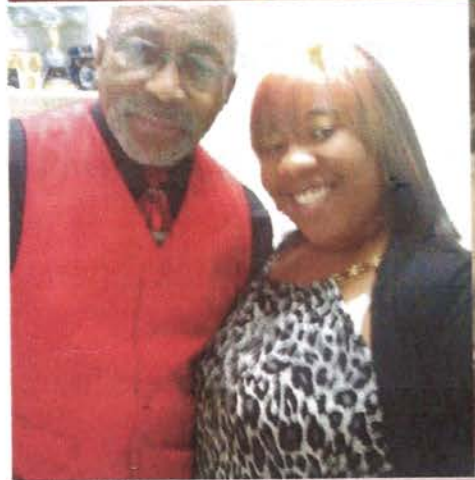
Processional	Ministers and Family
Musical Selection	Mt. Zion Male Chorus
Scripture Reading (<i>Psalm 23</i>)	Minister Clarence Johnson
Scripture Reading (<i>John 14:1-6</i>)	Minister Byron Curry
Prayer	Elder Thomas Kemp
Solo " <i>God's Going To Turn It Around</i> "	Roy Brewer
Acknowledgments/Resolution	Deaconess
Reading of the Obituary	Geraldine Watson
Remarks	Tymeka Jennings Sylvester Carter Deacon Bedford Matthews Pastor Brian E. Kennedy, Sr.
In Memory of (Video Presentation)	
Musical Medley	Jerleen Alexander & Peggy Thompson
Eulogy	Pastor Richard Young

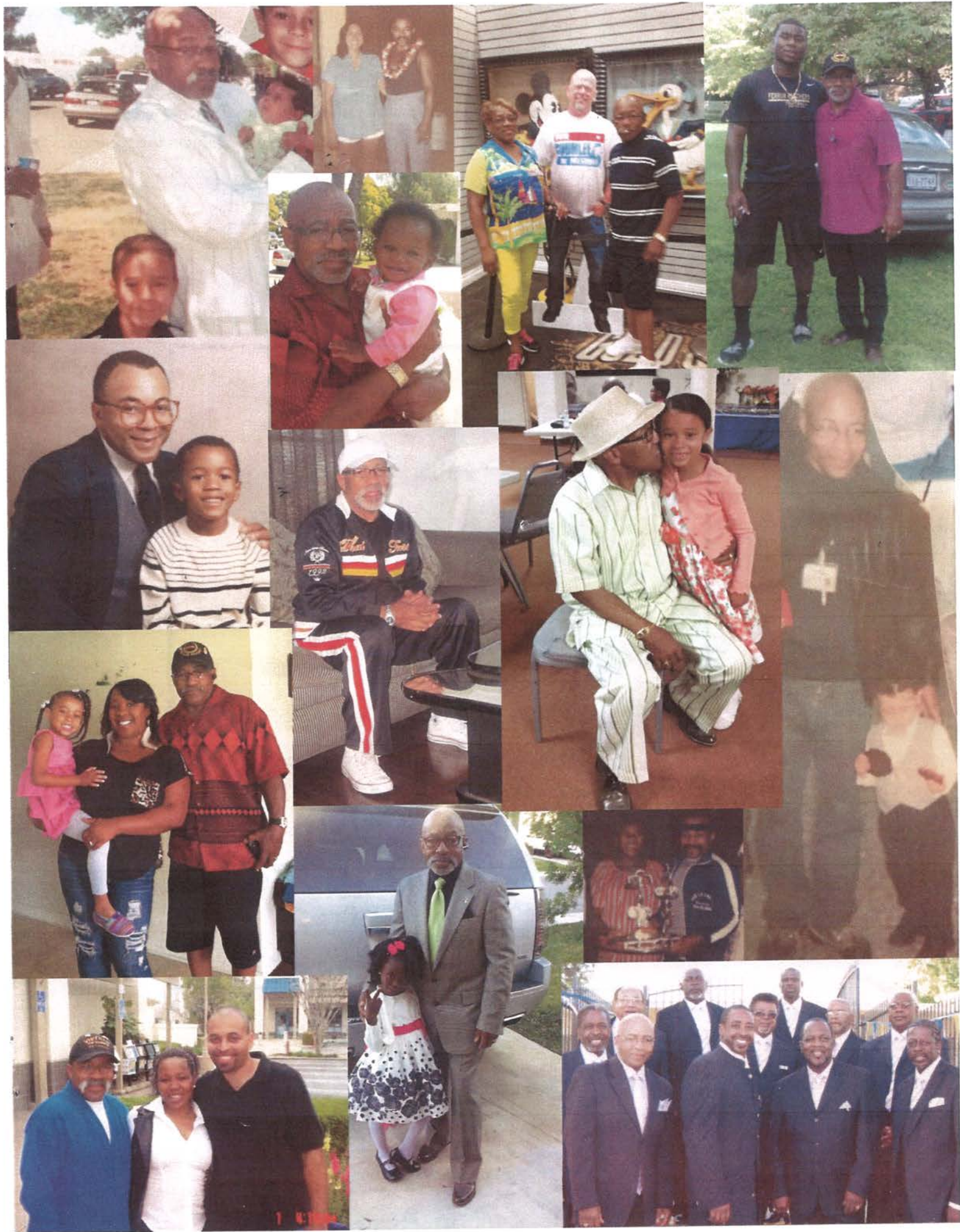
Parting View

Recessional

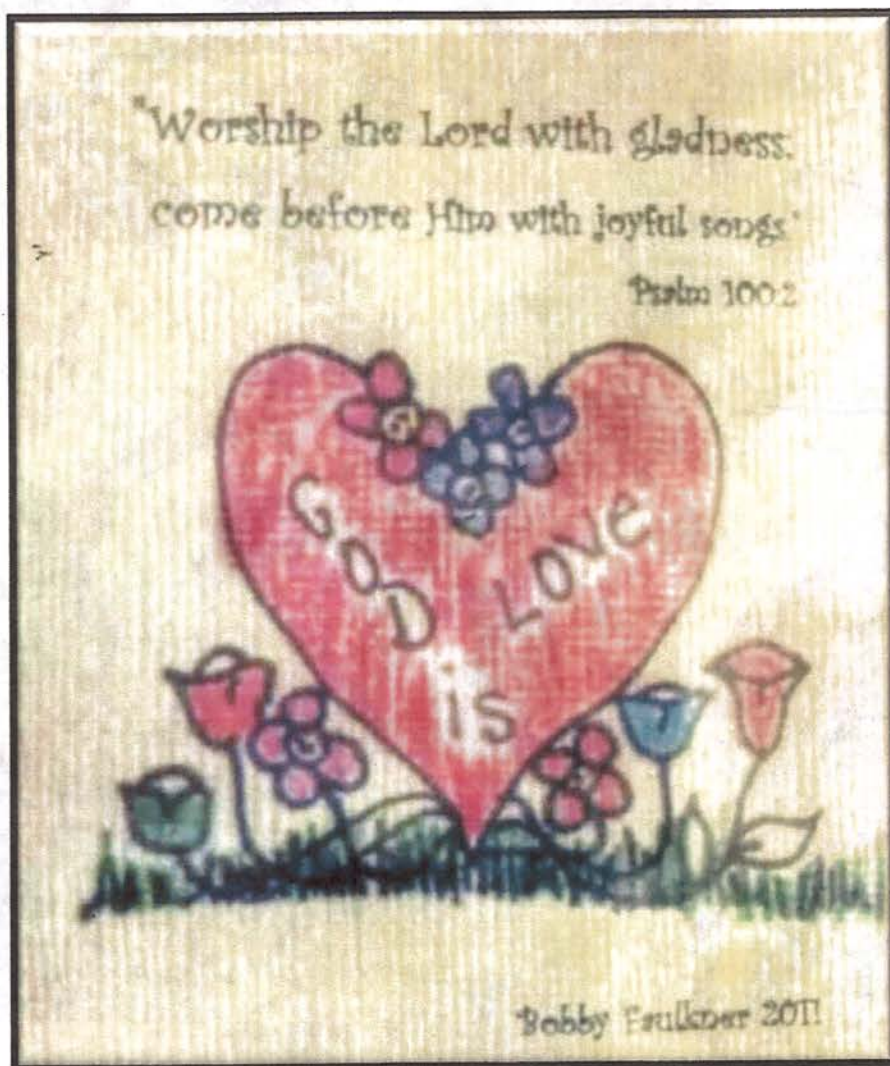
Repast immediately following in the Mt. Zion Café

Interment will be Wednesday, May 11, 2016 at 9:45 a.m. at Riverside National Cemetery





I thank God for knowing Rob as a friend, brother-in-law, godfather of my children, and as a child of God. He was always a neat dresser and kept his cars clean. I know he was a soldier in the Army of the Lord. I thank God he married my best friend. He was a good husband, father, and grandfather. God said live on earth as you will live in heaven and that's the life of brother Rob. We will see you again on the other side.
~Alesia Ann~



Dear Papa.....

I love you and I am going to miss you. Thank you for being the best Papa!!

Love, Alaiya



I love you Papa and will forever miss you and won't forget you. I know you're in heaven doing back flips waiting for me to do them with you. Love you, see you soon.

Love, Damien



Papa, I just want to tell you that I love you very much and you will forever be missed!! Your stories that you shared with me will always be something that I cherish.

Love, Veronica



Pall Bearers

Ed Benjamin
Roy Brewer
Sylvester Carter

Byron Curry
Jessie Dotson
Clarence Johnson

Honorary Pall Bearers

Walter Bratton
James Lee Byers
Freddie McCorey

Daryl Odom
Richard "BJ" Young
Wesley Young

Acknowledgement

On behalf of the family of Robert Faulkner, we wish to express our heartfelt gratitude and deep appreciation to everyone for the many cards, flowers, kindness, caring words, well wishes and prayers during this difficult time. Our hearts have been truly strengthened and encouraged. Please continue to pray for our family and may God's blessings forever shine on each of you. Your thoughtfulness and kindness will be forever remembered. Also, we would like to extend a special thank you to the entire Mt. Zion Church Family. We love you all very much.

Arrangements

Harris-Ross Mortuary
738 E. Highland Ave.
San Bernardino, CA 92404

Interment

Riverside National Cemetery
22495 Van Buren Blvd.
Riverside, CA 92518

PALL BEARERS

William Ganns
Thomas Ganns
Charlie Lewis
Robert Lewis
John Davis
William Jenkins

In Loving Memory
of

Mrs. Viola Logan Faulkner
1922 — 1981

Graveside Services
Hill Dale Cemetery
Danville, Kentucky

Tuesday, March 31, 1981
11:00 a.m.

Rev. Richard Hill
Officiating

ARRANGEMENTS BY
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
Danville, Kentucky

OBITUARY

Mrs. Viola Logan Faulkner of Danville, Kentucky departed this life at the Friendship House on Sunday afternoon, March 29, 1981, after a long illness.

Viola was born September 26, 1922 in Boyle County, Kentucky to the late Robert and Margaret Logan.

She leaves to mourn her passing four children, William Doty and Mrs. Barbara Wilkerson both of Lexington, Kentucky, Lawrence Faulkner, Jr. and Mrs. Lillette Burgess both of Danville, Kentucky, nine grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Ganns and Mrs. Stacy Bowman both of Danville, one half-sister Mrs. Essie Burton, one aunt, Mrs. Charles Smith, one uncle, Mr. Price Logan, three nephews, one niece and a host of other relatives and friends.

*No one ever sought the Father
And found He was not there,
And no burden is too heavy
To be lightened by a prayer,
No problem is too intricate
And no sorrow that we face
Is too deep and devastating
To be softened by His grace,
No trials and tribulations
Are beyond what we can bear
If we share them with our Father
As we talk to Him in prayer.
The Family*

**COMMITAL SERVICES
at Hill Dale Cemetery
Rev. Richard Hill, Officiating**



HONORARY PALLBEARERS

OFFICERS

Bentley Mays

R. O. Ball

Roy Neal

Larue Patton

Chester Wilhite

ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Members of Doric Lodge No. 18 F. & A. M.

Earl Segar

Chesterfield McCormick

Arthur Gray

Herbert Harris

Charlie Hayden

Benjamin Jenkins

Burial - Hill Dale Cemetery

SMITH JACKSON FUNERAL HOME

In Charge Of Arrangements

Last Rites

Mr. Walter (Zeb) Faulkner



November 10, 1903

August 16, 1970

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

DANVILLE, KENTUCKY

AUGUST 20, 1970

1:30 P. M.

OBITUARY

Danville, Kentucky

August 20, 1970

Walter (Zeb) Faulkner, 66 died at 11:55 Sunday at Ephraim McDowell Memorial Hospital following an illness of six weeks.

He was born in Lincoln County and was the son of the late Joseph and Rose Ann Faulkner.

We pause today to shed a tear, in memory of one so dear, whose life stands forth as a guiding star. His deeds stand out like diamonds that brightly gleam. His many words of kindness and his pleasant and quite unassuming ways will ever be remembered and cherished by all.

Early in life was converted and became a member of First Baptist Church, Second and Walnut. He served as Deacon and was an active member of the Glee Club, Men's Chorus, Brotherhood, and was past treasurer of B. T. U. He was a member of Doric Lodge Number 18, F. & A. M.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his faithful wife: Mrs. Georgia H. Faulkner; three daughters, Mrs. Bernice Kennedy, Mrs. Rosetta Ford, Mrs. Gillette McCowan, one brother, Mr. George Faulkner, two sisters, Mrs. Joe Hattie Walker and Mrs. Sarah Lynn Harris; nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren and a host of other relatives.

Another soldier gone, to get a great reward;

He fought the fight, he held the faith,

And now gone home to God.

He fought until he fell, upon the battlefield.

And then he heard the general say lay down the sword
and shield.

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

"Love and Not Nails Held Him There"

Hymn Glee Club

Prayer

Hymn Male Chorus

Scripture - Psalms 23:

Hymn Glee Club

Acknowledgements

Eulogy Pastor, Rev. P. A. Carter

Recessional

"If I Can Help Somebody"

Interment Hilldale Cemetery

Smith Funeral Home In Charge

Honorary Pall-Bearers

Raymond Houston
James Mellows
Dominique Faulkner

Pall-Bearers

Michael Faulkner Jr.
Sterling Warner
Billy Warner
Richard Black
Greg Ford
Jeremy Ford

Appreciation

We, the family of the late William Faulkner thanks you for all acts of condolence shown to us during the death of our loved one. It has been comforting to know there are those who care.

Arrangements by
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

In Loving Memory

Of



William "Billy" Faulkner
August 3, 1931 – March 9, 2002

Services
Thursday, March 14, 2002
1:00 P.M.

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Larry Weathers
Officiating

Obituary

William "Billy" Faulkner was born August 3, 1931 in Boyle County, Kentucky to the late Mat Robert and Dorothy Faulkner. He was called from this life on March 9, 2002 at his home in Lexington, Kentucky.

He was united in marriage to the late Beritha Faulkner. Billy was a loving and caring father and grandfather.

He leaves to cherish his memory a son, Michael Faulkner of Danville; two brothers, Norman Faulkner of Lexington, Kentucky and Bobby Faulkner of California; a sister, Betty Faulkner of Lexington, Kentucky; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; cousins and a host of friends.

23 Psalm

The Lord is my shepherd. I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures. He leadeth me beside still waters. He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me; Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; Thou anointest my head with oil, my cup runneth over Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the day of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

The Family

Order of Service

Processional

Scripture

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgements of cards, telegrams, letters

Obituary.....(*Soft Music*).....Read Silently

Remarks.....Ministers

Selection

Eulogy.....Rev. Larry Weathers

Recessional

Interment.....Hilldale Cemetery

Honorary Casket-Bearers

Calvin Bedinger Jr.
Bennie Phillips
James Singleton
Rev. David Chenault
Garland Harvey
Charles Grey
Andy Harris

Casket-Bearers

Frank Singleton
Glair Lynn
Ronald McCowan
John Davis
Alonzo McGuire
Paul Logan

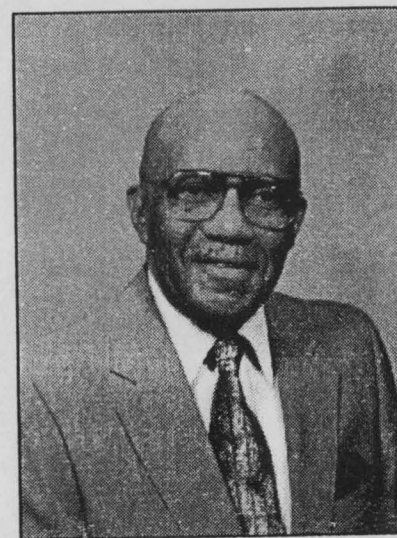
Acknowledgement

The family wishes to acknowledge with deep gratitude the many comforting words, prayers, flowers, and other expressions of kindness shown at this time in thought and deed. May God bless and keep you in his care.

Services Rendered By
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

Celebrating The Home Going

Of



William Louis Faulkner

Sunrise - November 20, 1931

Sunset - December 5, 1996

Services

Tuesday, December 10, 1996

1:00 P.M.

**First Baptist Church
200 West Walnut Street
Danville, Kentucky**

Rev. Richard Hill, Officiating

OBITUARY

On December 5, 1996 at 6:00 p.m. at the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky, God, in His infinite wisdom called William Louis Faulkner to eternal rest.

William was born November 20, 1931 in Lancaster, Kentucky; to the late Louis and Lula Faulkner. He was one of two children. A sister, Myrtle F. Taylor preceded him in death.

William professed a hope in Christ at an early age and united with the First Baptist Church of Danville, where he was honored as a 53 year member in August. He was a graduate of Bate High School, and a Veteran of the United States Marine Corp. He was a retired employee of the University of Kentucky. He was also a avid chess player and a member of both the U.S. Chess Federation and Danville Chess Club.

He leaves to cherish his memories, a daughter, Wilma (Gary) Boulware of Louisville, KY; A son, Melvin (Gayle) Faulkner of Danville; a special friend, Mary Simpson, of Danville; four grand-daughters, Christal & Christina DeLoatche, and Katrina Faulkner of Louisville, KY, and Diane Faulkner of Danville; four grandsons, Stephen, and Michael Faulkner of Louisville, KY and Nathaniel Johnson and Melvin Faulkner Jr. of Danville; seven great-grandchildren; two nieces, Francine Hawkins of Frankfort, KY and Alberta (Charles) Lewis of Jeffersonville, Ind.; five great nieces and nephews; three great-great nieces and nephews; cousins and a host of friends.

*God saw you were getting weary
So he did what he thought was best;
He came and stood beside you and
whispered William "Come and rest".*

*A heart of gold stopped beating
Two bright eyes at rest.
You were gone before we knew it,
And only God knows best.*

*A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we love is still.
A place is vacant in our hearts
Which never can be filled.
The Family*

Order Of Service

Processional

Scripture

Prayer

Solo.....*Walk Around Heaven*.....Mr. Ronnie McCowan

Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams, Etc.

Resolutions

Remarks.....(*2 minutes please*).....Ministers

Obituary.....(*Soft Music*).....Read In Silence

Solo.....*I Won't Complain*.....Mr. Leonard Bell

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional

Interment.....Hilldale Cemetery
Danville, Kentucky

Benediction.....Cemetery

***Family and friends will be served dinner in the lower auditorium of the church following the interment.

*Once in a Lifetime
You Find Someone Special
I Found That
Once In a Lifetime
With You.
Mary*

MISS ME

*When I come to the end of the road
And the sun has set for me;
I want no rites in a gloom filled room,
Why cry for a soul set free?*

*Miss me a little-but not too long
And not with your head bowed low;
Remember the love that we once shared
Miss me-but let me go.*

*For this is a journey that we all must take;
And all must go alone.
It's all part of the Master's plan,
A step on the road to home.*

*When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go the hills we know;
And bury your sorrows among the trees,
For I am free.*

Miss me -----But let me go.

The Family

Arrangements by
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky

IN LOVING MEMORY
of
VIOLA ELIZABETH "COFFEY" FEE
January 7, 1940-May 30, 2002



Funeral Services
Monday, June 3, 2002
11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church
York and Chestnut Streets
Nicholasville, Kentucky

Rev. Moses Radford
Officiating

Obituary

On Thursday, May 30, 2002, at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky, God picked another flower from his rose garden and called, Viola Elizabeth Coffey Fee to be with him.

Viola was born January 7, 1940, in Danville, Kentucky to the late Elizabeth and Robert Coffey. Two brothers, Harry and Benjamin preceded her in death.

At a young age she professed faith in Christ and united with the First Baptist Church of Danville. Later she united with the First Baptist Church of Nicholasville, Kentucky.

She was united in marriage to John Henry Fee in December of 1974.

Viola was a Licensed Practical Nurse and retired from the Veteran Hospital of Lexington, Kentucky. She was a private sitter and volunteered for Hospice.

She leaves to cherish her memory, her husband, John Henry; two daughters, Kathy L. Fee Kaba and Geneva (Bruce) Mitchell, both of Nicholasville, KY; a son, Cleatous (Michele) Coffey; two grandchildren, Navire and Myra; a great-granddaughter, Omarceon; two sisters, Anna Grace Coffey and Dorothy Clark of Danville; a brother, Jewel Coffey of Danville; a brother-in-law, William L. (Mary) Fee; a niece, Michelle Clark and a very special cousin, Mary Frances Woods; nieces and nephews; cousins and a host of friends.

-Order of Service-

Processional

*Scripture.....Prayer of Jabez
Prayer*

*Solo.....Going Up Yonder.....Sis. Faye Bingham
Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams, and Etc.*

Resolutions

*Obituary.....(Soft Music).....Read In Silence
Remarks.....(2 Minutes Please).....Ministers*

Solo

*Words of Comfort.....Rev. Moses Radford
Recessional*

Honorary Casket Bearers

*Bro. Bruce Mitchell Bro. Brian Mason
Bro. Adrian Mason Bro. Eli Samaan*

Casket Bearers

*Bro. Wasfi Samaan Bro. Tim Kelly
Bro. Al Boone Bro. Jessie Thomas
Bro. Wendell Emerson Bro. John F. Barleston*

Interment

Hilldale Cemetery, Danville, Kentucky

Acknowledgement

The family of Viola Fee expresses their sincere thanks to everyone for their many acts of kindness shown to them throughout the sickness and passing of Viola. We are appreciative for the cards, beautiful flowers, your kind words, many prayers, and what ever you did to help us during this hour of sorrow.

The family and friends will be served dinner at the Church following the interment.

*The Lord is my Light and my salvation;
Whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength
of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?*

-Psalms 27:1

CASKET BEARERS

GREAT-NEPHEWS

Rodney Whitley
Benny Smith
John Whitley Jr.

Darryl Whitley
Jeffrey Whitley
James Whitley

HONORARY CASKET-BEARERS

Timothy Smith
Clarence Smith
Theodore P. Fields

Roland B. Whitley
Marc Whitley
Tyree L. Fields

Derek A. Fields

*In Loving Memory
Of*



Alberta Fields

November 13, 1918 - March 9, 1987

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

DANVILLE, KENTUCKY

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1987

11:00 A.M.

OBITUARY

Alberta Fields was born in Danville, Kentucky, November 13, 1918 to the late Alonzo and Avarilla Fields and departed this life Monday March 9, 1987 at the Mary E. Black Memorial Hospital, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

She joined First Baptist Church at a very early age and remained a loyal and faithful member until moving to Spartanburg, South Carolina where she joined the Macedonia Baptist Church.

She was a graduate of Bate High School and a member of Bate Alumni Association.

She leaves to mourn her loss one brother, Harry E. Fields of Owensboro, Kentucky; one niece, Mrs. Delores Smith of Lexington, Kentucky; six nephews, Eugene Harlan, William Whitley, and Roland Whitley of Danville, Harry Whitley and John Whitley of Lexington, Kentucky, and Theodore Fields of Dayton, Ohio; thirteen great nephews; two nieces; a brother-in-law, W.C. Whitley; two sisters-in-law, Charles Fields and Leona Fields; a special friend, Mrs. Florine Fields Wade; a host of other relatives and friends.



*No one sought the Father
And found He was not there,
And no burden is too heavy
To be lightened by a prayer,
No problem is too intricate
And no sorrow that we face
Is too deep and devastating
To be softened by His grace,
No trials and tribulations
Are beyond what we can bear
If we share them with our Father
As we talk to Him in prayer.*

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Song..... Savior More Than Life To Me

ScripturePsalms 27

Prayer

Acknowledgement of Condolences Mrs. Marzie Durr

Sentence Remarks Visiting Ministers

Song..... What A Friend

Eulogy..... Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional

The family and friends will be served in the lower auditorium of the church following the interment at Hilldale Cemetery.

The Lord is my Light and my salvation;
Whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength
of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

—Psalm 27:1

CASKET BEARERS

Harry Whitney

Roland Whitney

George Fields

Theodore Fields

Edd Fields, Jr.

Bennie Smith

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home

In Loving Memory
Of



Avarilla Fields

November 13, 1918 - June 29, 1963

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

DANVILLE, KENTUCKY

2:00 P.M.

OBITUARY

Avarilla Fields was born November 13, 1918 in Danville, Kentucky to the union of the late Alonzo and Avarilla Gardner Fields and departed this life Saturday, June 29, 1963 at 2:00 P. M. She was united in Christian Fellowship to the First Baptist Church of this city where she was an active member. She had been employed at Centre College for a number of years.

Surviving are two sisters, Miss Alberta Fields, and Mrs. Maggie Whitley, both of Danville, two brothers, Harry E. Fields, Owensboro, Kentucky, and Gilbert Fields, Greenwich, Connecticut, a number of nieces, nephews, cousins, seven great-nephews, one great-niece, and many friends.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Rev. P. A. Carter, Officiating

Processional

Song "Rock of Ages"

Scripture

Song "The Nail Scarred Hands"

Prayer

Song "Under His Wings"

Acknowledgement of Condolences Mrs. Estella Jefferson

Song "Abide With Me"

Eulogy Rev. P. A. Carter, Pastor
First Baptist Church

Viewing of Remains

Recessional

Interment — Hilldale Cemetery



In Loving Memory
Of
Charles Moran Fields



Sunrise: August 13, 1916
Sunset: April 19, 2010



Funeral Service

Friday, April 23, 2010
12:00 p.m.

St. James A.M.E Church
124 E. Walnut Street
Danville, Kentucky

Officiating

Rev. William Jenkins, Pastor

~ **Obituary** ~

Sis. Charles Moran Fields was called home on April 19, 2010 at Hospice of Dayton after spending a number of years at Shiloh Springs Nursing Center, Trotwood, Ohio. She was born in Danville, Kentucky to the late Mary Belle Moran Jones and Irvin Moran on August 13, 1916. Charles was a graduate of Bate High School and attended Knoxville College.

Her early years in Danville were spent rearing her two sons and being employed at Jenny Rogers Elementary School and other venues. At an early age Charles accepted Christ as her Savior and united with St. James A.M.E. Church where she served as a dedicated Sunday School Teacher and member of the Usher Board.

Charles was very civic minded, having served as president of Bate High School PTA, Ambassador's Club, member of Danville NAACP, and member of Bate High School Alumni Association. She was recognized as being "Raintree County Chef" during the filming of the movie, Raintree County in Danville, Kentucky 1956. Meritorious awards were received for her volunteer work at The American Red Cross, and City of Danville Citizen's Advisory Committee for Model Cities. She received a Certificate of Recognition by the Cecelia Dunlap Grand Chapter, Celestine #9, for twenty-five years of Meritorious Service in the Order of Eastern Star.

Preceded in death by her husband, Theodore W. Fields; parents, Mary Belle Jones, Irvin Moran, son, George G. Fields, and sister, Lucy Jones Stephens.

She leaves to cherish her memory, one son, Theodore C. Fields (Arlevia Kim); grandsons, Tyree L., Theodore P., and Derek A. Fields (Carrie) of Dayton, Ohio; great grandchildren, Connor, of Pennsylvania, Lauren, Courtney of Tennessee; Derek Jr., Cadira, Dekara, Chamella, Martaya, Ramella, Ramel and Monica of Dayton, Ohio.; she also leaves to cherish her memory a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends.

~ **Order of Service** ~

- Musical Prelude.....
- Processional.....Soft Music
- Prayer.....Rev. Ronald P. McCowan
- ScriptureRev. Ralph Boyd Smith
- Selection.....Choir
- Acknowledgement, Resolution, Letters, Cards, Etc...
- Obituary.....(Read Silently).....Soft Music
- Special Remarks.....Rev. Everhart Walker
- Remarks.....Clergy
- Solo..... Rev. Ronald P. McCowan
- Eulogy..... Rev. William Jenkins
- Recessional.....

Interment



Hilldale Cemetery
Danville, Kentucky

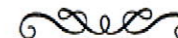
* Dinner will be served following the interment *

Active Pallbearers

Timothy Smith	John Whitley, Jr.
Rodney Whitley	Bennie Jerome Smith
Clarence Smith	Jeff Whitley
Daryl Whitley	

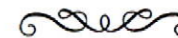
Honorary Pallbearers

Roland C. Whitley	John E. Whitley
Albert Taylor	Robert Trumbo
June Christy	Ernest Gooch, Sr.
James Daugherty	Harvey Chenault
George Chenault	



Acknowledgement

The family gratefully acknowledges with deepest appreciation your expressions of sympathy during the passing of our loved one, Charles Moran Fields. We thank you for your visits, floral arrangements, food and all acts of kindness and concern. Thanks to the staff of Shiloh Springs Care Center, Trotwood, Ohio and Hospice of Dayton, Rev. Jenkins and St. James A.M.E. church family. May God richly bless each of you.



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446 Bate Street
Danville, Kentucky
www.smith-jackson.com

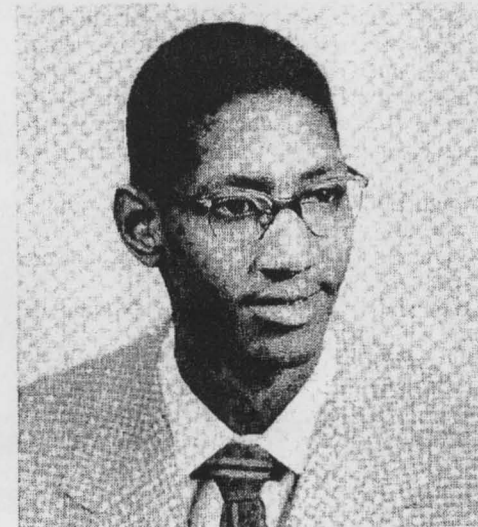
CASKET BEARERS

John Walker
Samuel Johnson
Elwood Sleet
H. C. Johnson
J. W. Peters
Accey Munday, Jr.

HONORARY CASKET BEARERS

Raymond Sleet
Tom Walker
Squire (Ted) Sleet
J. T. Burton

In Loving Memory
of
Edmund Lott Fields



Tuesday, November 13, 1979
1:00 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS BY
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home
Danville, Ky.

First Baptist Church
Perryville, Ky.
Rev. S.G. Redd, Pastor

THE OBITUARY

Edmund Lott Fields, the son of the late Edmund and Lestie Sleet Fields was born in Danville, Kentucky, December 9, 1932. He departed this life at the age of 46 years and 11 months.

His mother, Lestie, departed this life when he was four months old and he was reared by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lott Sleet.

He attended grade school in Perryville, under the tutilage of his Aunt, Mrs. Amelia Sleet Burton.

He professed a hope in Christ when but a child, and was baptized into the fellowship of the First Baptist Church by the Rev. C.C. Ellis.

Upon his graduation from grade school he moved to Indianapolis to live with his Uncle and Aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sleet, where he finished his education, attending Crispus Attucks High School.

He worked for th State of Indiana as a highway painter of bridges. He also was a paper hanger, having learned both trades in Vocational School.

About a year ago Ed began to experience declining health and never completely recovered.

He bore his suffering with patience, being faithfully attended by Mrs. Lavonia Pope and other relatives.

He passed into eternal rest on Wednesday, November 7, 1979 at 3:00 p.m.

He leaves to mourn his passing four Aunts, Mrs. Amelia Burton, Perryville; Mrs. Maggie Whitley and Mrs. Charles Fields of Danville, and Miss Alberta Fields; three Uncles, William and Thomas Sleet of Indianapolis, and Harry Fields of Owensboro, and other relatives and friends.



*A dear one from us has gone,
A voice we love is stilled;
A place is vacant in our hearts,
That never can be filled.*

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

SelectionChoir
"The Beautiful Garden"

Invocation Rev. Jack Caldwell

SelectionChoir
"Even Me"

AcknowledgementsMrs. Laura Clark

Reading of Obituary Soft Music

Solo Mr. Fred Douglas
"Someone to Care"

EulogyPastor S.G. Redd

Recessional *"The Last Mile of the Way"*

ACTIVE CASKET BEARERS

William Whyte

Malcolm Knox

Tyrone Worthington

Benjamin Carter

Michael Horner

James Pitts

HONORARY CASKET BEARERS

Reid Curry Jr.

Robert Trumbo

Charles Meux

Roland Whitley

Charles Jones

Roy Neal, Jr.

Clifford Lancaster

Wilbur Johnson

Elijah Adams

National Fraternity of

Kappa Alpha Psi

Ushers — Alpha Upsilon Chapter

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home

Danville, Ky.

In Loving Memory

Of

George Gilbert Fields



July 19, 1946 — February 1, 1969

St. James A.M.E. Church

Danville, Kentucky

2 P.M.

Rev. Calvin Sydnor, Pastor

OBITUARY

George Gilbert Fields was born July 19, 1946 in Danville, Kentucky to the union of Mrs. Charles Fields and the late Mr. Theodore William Fields.

He was united at an early age in Christian fellowship as a member of St. James A.M.E. Church of this city where he continued to service as an active member.

He was a member of the faculty at Central High School, Louisville, Kentucky, affiliated with the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity and Doric Lodge Number 18 F. & A. M.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Carol C. Fields, his mother Mrs. Charles Fields; one brother Theodore C. Fields; three aunts Mrs. Lucy J. Stephens and Mrs. Maggie Whitley of Danville, Miss Alberta Fields, Spartensburg, N. C.; one uncle Harry Fields of Owensboro. A number of relatives and a host of friends.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Rev. Calvin Sydnor, Officiating

Prelude

Processional

Song Choir

Prayer Rev. Henry Bevel

Song Choir

Scripture Rev. C. E. Blake

Solo Mrs. Bernice Kennedy
"How Great Thou Art"

Remarks by Visiting Ministers

Song Choir

Eulogy Rev. Calvin Sydnor

Recessional

Interment — Hilldale Cemetery

Former principal Fields, 84, dies

He helped desegregate schools in the 1950s, '60s

Messenger-Inquirer

Harry Fields, a former Owensboro principal who helped desegregate public schools during the 1950s and 1960s, died Wednesday at his home from heart failure.

He was 84.

Fields leaves a legacy of education and community involvement. He was a teacher and administrator in the Owensboro school district for 33 years, serving the last 20 as principal, first at Goodloe School, then at Lincoln Elementary School and for one year at Estes Elementary School.

During the late 1950s and the early 1960s, he helped guide the desegregation of Owensboro schools.

He also served as chairman of the Owensboro Human Relations Board and president of the Kentucky Association of Elementary School Principals.

He was a member of the mayor's advisory committee and the Daviess County task force on juvenile delinquency and drug abuse. He was a former member of the state board of education.

Fields' many board memberships included the Green River Crime Council, Audubon Community Services, Leadership Owensboro and Girls Incorporated.

In 1998, the Daviess County Bar Association awarded Fields its Liberty Bell Award to honor his outstanding community service.

"If I feel I can help people, I really enjoy it," Fields said after accepting the award.

Since 1998, Fields worked on the restoration project of Greenwood Cemetery near Estes, said one of his nephews, Roland Whitley.

Services are pending at McFarland Funeral Home, 902 W. Eighth St.

Blessed Are They

*Our days are like raindrops
on time's windowpane,
each trickles away
and will not come again;
but blessed are they
whose goodness shines through
and changes the raindrops
to diamonds of dew!*

*Our years are like leaves
that float to the ground
in colors of emerald
and amber and brown;
and blessed are they
whose "leaves," as they fall,
form a blanket of beauty
that comforts us all!*

*Our lives are like clouds
that swiftly sail by
and are gone in a moment
from Eternity's sky;
but blessed are they
who turn grey clouds to white,
whose kind deeds are stars
on the canvas of night!*

*Our souls are like angels
with wings that are furled,
assigned to each mortal
who dwells in this world;
and blessed are they
whose love conquers strife,
whose spirits are beacons
that brighten each life!*

John C. Benson

*A Worship Service to God
In Memory
of*



Mrs. Leona West Fields

December 14, 1922

February 10, 1997

*Thursday, February 13, 1997
1:00 p.m.*

*Fourth Street Baptist Church
821 West Fourth Street
Owensboro, Kentucky*

*G. Edward Febree, Pastor
Officiating*

*assisted by
Visiting Ministers*

ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude Nestra McFarland

Processional & Viewing The Family

*Hymn

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Choir & Congregation

Scripture

Old Testament Psalm 46 Visiting Minister

New Testament John 14:1-6 Visiting Minister

Prayer Visiting Minister

A Tribute Pastor Wilma Gordon

Solo "Through It All" Charles S. Brown

Words of Comfort Behalf of Minister Pastor R. L. McFarland

*Hymn of Meditation

"I Need Thee Every Hour" Choir & Congregation

The Eulogy Pastor G. Edward Sebree

Recessional

Interment

Owensboro Memorial Gardens

*Standing

Respectfully Submitted,
The Family

Honorary Pallbearers

John Blaney	Samuel Byrd
Donald Johnson	George V. Kyle
Thomas Moorman, Jr.	Donald Owsley
Wendell Purnell	Harold Rowan
Grant Talbott III	Nathaniel Thompson
Francis Watrous	R. Ken Willis
Dwight Wilkinson	

Active Pallbearers

Wesley Acton	Jimmy Byrd
Donald Coleman	Whaylon Coleman
Hugh Harris	Walter Lee
John Mattingly	Donald West

Acknowledgement

The family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness extended to them during the illness and death of Leona West Fields. May God bless each of you.

Arrangements

McFarland Funeral Home
902 West Eighth Street
Owensboro, Kentucky 42301
(502)684-7704

Leona West Fields, daughter of the late William West and Mary Jane West, was born December 14, 1922, in Owensboro, Kentucky. She was the sixth in a family of seven children and she loved each of them dearly.

She departed this life on February 10, 1997 at the Owensboro Mercy Health System.

Greatly influenced by the Christian values in her home, she professed a Hope in Christ and united with the Fourth Street Baptist Church early in life. Throughout the years, she has always given thanks and praise to God.

In 1940, she graduated from Western High School which was renamed H.E. Goodloe in 1965. Later she received a B.A. degree from Tuskegee Institute in Alabama and a Masters Degree from Indiana University.

Her teaching career began in the Henderson County Training School at Henderson, Kentucky, followed by six years in the J.T. Elder High School of Sandersville, Georgia. She returned home in 1954 to teach in the Elementary Department of Western High School.

After integration of the Owensboro City Schools in 1961, she joined the faculty of Lincoln Elementary School and finally the Seven Hills School. She was a dedicated and resourceful teacher who influenced the lives of many boys and girls.

In July of 1983, she retired from the Owensboro City Schools after 38 years in the classroom.

She was united in Holy Matrimony with Harry E. Fields on December 25, 1976. A loving and devoted relationship existed in this union.

Her community service over the years included the Tri-State Health Council, West End Council, United Way Allocations Committee, Kappa Kappa Iota Sorority, and various fund drives. She was the recipient of the Dust Bowl's Service Award in 1996.

She is a member of the Fourth Street Baptist Church, Owensboro-Daviess County Retired Teachers Association, NAACP, and Senior Citizens Association.

She is survived by a faithful husband, Harry E. Fields; three brothers: Charles W. West of Montgomery, Alabama, Robert West of Lexington, Kentucky and Dr. Marion W. West (Gwendolyn) of Brooklyn, New York; four nieces: Marian F. West, of Sandersville, Georgia, Harriet Fagan (Harold) of Waldorf, Maryland, Alma West-Arrington (Stanley) of Austell, Georgia, and Dr. Kimberly West of Columbia, Maryland; three nephews: James E. West (Faye) of Sandersville, Georgia, Robert West, Jr. (Delora) of Lexington, Kentucky, and Dr. Michael West of Brooklyn, New York; one aunt: Christine Long of Columbus, Ohio; four cousins: Laura Edna Ray of Owensboro, Kentucky, Rose V. Purnell of Detroit, Michigan, Viola Smith of Victorville, California, Thomas Moorman (Juanita) of Owensboro, Kentucky, and twelve great nieces and nephews.

She will be greatly missed by her husband, family, many friends and others who knew her. It can be said that, "Her home was truly a house by the side of the road."



*We loved her, yes we loved her,
But God loved her more.
And He has called her to yonder shore.
The Golden Gates were open.
A gentle voice said come,
And farewell unspoken
She calmly entered Home.
The Family*

Active Pallbearers

Timothy Davis, Jr.	Dejuan Metcalf
Mark Anthony Fields	Philip Fowler, III
Mark Antonio Fields	George W. White, III
Wendell Harris	Jaymon White

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of Mary Evelyn Fields takes this opportunity to thank and express our gratitude for all expressions of kindness shown to us. Special thanks to Bishop William Morton, Thou Kingdom Come Church and the Masonic Nursing Home of Shelbyville.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:
SMITH-JACKSON FUNERAL HOME
446 BATE STREET - DANVILLE, KENTUCKY
WWW.SMITH-JACKSON.COM
TELEPHONE (859) 236-5261



Sunrise: May 30, 1941 - Sunset: January 2, 2017

SERVICE

Saturday, January 7, 2017 - 12:00 Noon
Thou Kingdom Come Church
3445 Versailles Road - Frankfort, Kentucky
Bishop William Morton

~ The Obituary ~

Mary Evelyn Fields was born May 30, 1941 to the late Charles Raymond Fields and Margaret Lucille Fields Taul in Frankfort, KY. She was called to her heavenly home on Monday, January 2, 2017 at the Masonic Nursing Home in Shelbyville, Kentucky.

Mary accepted Christ as her personal savior under the leadership of the late Rev. Charles N. King, Corinthian Baptist Church.

Mary, affectionately known as Big Shot, received this nickname from her late father because she was born premature weighing one and one-half pounds. He picked her up in the palm of his hand and said "here's my little Big Shot."

She attended Mayo-Underwood School and loved the summer months going to the Community Center coordinated by the late Mary Holmes, her fifth and sixth grade teacher. She developed an interest in working jigsaw puzzles so much that she traded her puzzles with some of her friends. She collected LP albums, mostly gospel as her hobby. Her favorite singer was Mahalia Jackson. She loved children, especially her nieces and nephews.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory her siblings: Barbara (George, Jr.) White, Cornelia Calhoun, Charles Henry Fields, Donna (Philip) Fowler, Sylvia (Robert) Redding, Wayne Curtis Fields, and Phyllis Davis; her aunts: Anna Mae Childs, Cornelia Childs, Sue Ellis and Julia Mae Ellis; brother-in-law Timothy Davis, Sr., a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

~ Order of Worship ~

Prelude....."Down By The Riverside"Mahalia Jackson

Scripture

Prayer

Selection..... "Amazing Grace" Mahalia Jackson

Acknowledgements

Obituary..... (Read Silently)

Words from Ministers(2 minutes please)

Selection...."His Eyes Are On the Sparrow"Mahalia Jackson

Eulogy..... Bishop William Morton

Prayer of Dismissal

Postlude..... "Walk Around Heaven" Mahalia Jackson

Interment



Green Hill Cemetery
Frankfort, Kentucky

Repast will be held at
First Baptist Church
100 Clinton Street, Frankfort, Kentucky

Homegoing Celebration
of
Sis. Jennifer L. Cooke Figgs

Sunrise:
Nov. 14, 1946



Sunset:
July 17, 2014

July 25, 2014
Visitation : 10 :00 A.M.
Funeral Services: 12 :00 Noon

Main Street Baptist Church
Pastor Victor G. Sholar, Officiating
Lexington, KY

Obituary

Jennifer Lee Cooke Figgs was born on November 14, 1946 in Lexington—the daughter of the both late Spencer Cooke, Sr., and Stella Knox Cooke. At the age of 67, she was called home on July 17, 2014 following a battle with cancer.

A native of Lexington, KY, Jennifer attended Douglas, Dunbar and graduated from Lafayette Senior High School in 1965. After attending business college and being employed, she later retired from Parker Seal Company, O-Ring Division in 2011.

Jennifer was a faithful and devoted member of Main Street Baptist Church—uniting under the services of the late Pastor R. H. Johnson. She taught Sunday school and was an active member of the Women's Missionary Union—Amanda Knox Circle (formerly named Naomi-Ruth Circle). She actively served as a part of WMU Community Missions as a part of the culinary committee that served meals to families after funerals. She also worked diligently as a member of the Decorations Committee in decorating the church buildings for the Christmas season.

She was preceded in death by one brother--Kevin R. Cooke, Sr.

Jennifer is survived by her partner in life—Robert C. Figgs; children: Kimberly (Kevin O.) Austin (Cincinnati, OH), Roberta (Clarence) Brown (Ypsilanti, MI), and Brian (Jackie) Figgs (Lexington, KY); grandchildren: Kevin F. and Kamille F. Austin, Thailyn A. Brown, Diamond Bell, Brian Figgs Jr., Brionna Figgs; adopted grandchildren: Keeshown and Keezanee Rothwell; siblings: Spencer (Angela) Cooke, Jr., Karen Jones; sister in-law Brenda Mayes Cooke; aunts: Alice Jean Barnett, Mary Frazier, Carrie Johnson, Alice Jean Edwards; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, in-laws; many friends; and a loving church family.

When I Must Leave You

*When I must leave you for a little while,
Please do not grieve or shed wild tears
And hug your sorrow through the years.
But start out bravely with a gallant smile.
And for my sake and in my name,
Live on and do all things the same.
Feed not your loneliness on empty days,
But fill each waking hour in useful ways.
Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer,
And I in turn will comfort and hold you near.
And never, never be afraid to die,
For I am waiting for you in the sky.*

Order of Service

Musical Prelude

*Call to Worship Pulpit

*Opening Hymn of Praise Choir & Congregation
"O, I Want to See Him" (printed)

Reading of the Word of God Pulpit

Prayer Pulpit

Musical Selection Choir
"I Thank You, Lord" Sis. Denise Frazier--soloist

Resolutions/Acknowledgments

Silent Reading of the Obituary (soft music)

Recognition of Visiting Clergy/Remarks

Solo Mr. James Bush
"When We See Christ"

The Word of God Preached Pastor Victor G. Sholar

*Recessional: *"Caught Up To Meet Him"*

Interment: Cove Haven Cemetery

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***"O I Want to See Him"***

As I journey through the land, singing as I go, Pointing souls to Calvary, to the crimson flow.  
Many arrows pierce my soul from without, within; But my Lord leads me on, thro' Him I must win.

When in service for my Lord dark may be the night, But I'll cling more close to Him, He will give me light.  
Satan's snares may vex my soul, turn my tho'ts aside; But my Lord goes ahead, leads whate're betide.

When in valleys low I look t'ward the mountain height, And behold my Savior there, leading in the fight,  
With a tender hand outstretched t'ward the valley low, Guiding me, I can see, as I onward go.

When before me billows rise from the mighty deep, Then my Lord directs my bark; He doth safely keep,  
And He leads me gently on thro' this world below; He's a real friend to me, O I love Him so.

Chorus: O I want to see Him, look upon His face, There to sing forever of His saving grace;  
On the streets of Glory let me lift my voice; *Cares all past, home at last ever to rejoice.*

**\*Congregation stands.**

## *Pallbearers*

Deacons of Main Street Baptist Church

## *Honorary Pallbearers*

James Bush

Howard Slaughter

George W. Carter, Jr.

George Bush

Charles Lindsey

Otis Ingram

## *Floral Bearers*

Sisters of Main Street Baptist Church

## *Acknowledgements*

The family of the late Jennifer Figgs wishes to gratefully acknowledge all acts of kindness during the illness and passing of our loved one. We appreciate the kindness of Pastor Sholar, Elder Cornelius, others of the Main Street Baptist Church Family, and all who expressed loving support. Each expression has encouraged us during this season.

Please continue to pray for us.

Again, we say *Thank You* so very much.

The Family

## *Interment*

Cove Haven Cemetery

Lexington, KY

## *Arrangements Entrusted To:*

Smith & Smith Funeral Home

Lexington, KY

***"TO GOD BE THE GLORY FOR THE GREAT THINGS HE HAS DONE."***



## JAMES FISCHER

Died: Mon., Feb. 17, 2014

### Visitation

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM

Sat., Feb. 22, 2014

Location: STUART CHAPEL

### Funeral Service

1:00 PM Sat., Feb. 22, 2014

Location: STUART CHAPEL

Mr. James Stewart Fischer, the son of Arthur Fischer and Thelma Patterson Fischer, was born August 2, 1946, in Perryville, Kentucky.

James received his primary education and secondary education in the local area schools attending Bate High School in Perryville, Kentucky.

At an early age in Christ he professed a hope in Christ and was baptized.

James was united in Holy Matrimony to Bernice Fischer. Later in life he married Nadene Fischer. Together they shared years of marital contentment.

James had been employed by Boeing Railroad in Wichita, Kansas. He also worked in the Food industry as a cook for several years.

In his leisure time he enjoyed fishing, cooking, eating, praying and enjoying nature, and being around family and friends.

James was a very giving and caring person who always offered good advice, enjoyed singing and worshipping the Lord and making people laugh.

Mr. James Stewart Fischer departed this life on Monday, February 17, 2014, at the age of sixty-seven years. He was also antedated in death by his daughter, Katherine White; siblings, Marjorie Hamilton, Thomas Fischer, Charles Fischer, Sr., Arthur Fischer and Mayme Grisby.

He leaves to cherish his memory his children, Thomas Acree (Nealie), Michael Williams (Wanda), Mitchell Williams (LaTanya), Mary Williams, Tammie Williams, James Fischer, Jr. and his twins, Marilyn Davis (William) and Carolyn Green (Robert); eighteen grandchildren; eighteen great grandchildren; sisters, Betty Ruth Grandprix, Edna Mae Fischer, Mildred Upshaw and Ella Ruth Thompson; brothers, Henry Fischer and Father Norman Fischer a host of nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

Note: Norman Fischer is brother; Father Norman Fischer is a nephew

### ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

William Baughman                      Rubin Baughman  
William Owsley Jr.                     Robert Baughman  
Tommy Owsley                          Jimmy Baughman

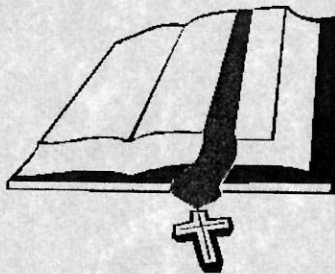
### HONORARY PALLBEARERS

George Alcorn                          John Pope  
Calvin Dunn                            Willie Fitzgerald  
James Simpson                         Vernon Riffe  
Glair Lynn

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for all acts of kindness shown to them during the lose of their loved one. Thank You to Rev Hill and and member of First Baptist Church, Danville. God Bless each of you.

**The family of Albert Fish**



**Arrangements Entrusted To:**  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

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## In Loving Memory of **ALBERT FISH**



July 10, 1914 - January 1, 1999

*"I have fought a good fight,  
I have finished my course,  
I have kept the faith."*

*2 Timothy 4:7*

### **Funeral Service**

Saturday, January 9, 1999  
12:00 Noon

First Baptist Church  
200 W. Walnut Street  
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Richard Hill, Sr.  
Officiating

## OBITUARY

On Friday, January 1, 1999 at 5:30 a.m., while a patient at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, God called Albert home, to a land that is free from all suffering.

Albert Fish, was born on July 10, 1914 in Crab Orchard, KY, to the late John and Lizzie Fish. At an early age he moved to Louisville, KY and married the late Olivia Fish.

He was a retired cook at the Jewish Hospital in Louisville, KY for twenty-seven years. He was a member of First Baptist Church, Danville, KY.

He is survived by two daughters Marie Peoples and Hattie DeLorch, both of Louisville, KY and six stepchildren; forty-two grandchildren and thirty-two great grandchildren; two sisters Gatheline Corethers of Nashville, TN and Elizabeth Stephens of Hartford, CT; seven nieces, Delores Mack, Willie Mae Turnbow, Elizabeth Staten, Margaret Daniel, Anita Hightower, Emma Adams and Mollie Baughman, a devoted niece and caregiver; and a host of great nieces, nephews and friends.

*Sleep on Albert  
Take your rest,  
We all love you  
But God loves you best.  
The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection.....Choir

Prayer.....

Scripture.....

Selection.....Choir

Acknowledgment of Cards, Telegrams, Letters, etc.....

Resolutions.....

Obituary.....Read Silently

Remarks.....(2 Minutes Please).....Visiting Ministers

Solo.....

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Richard Hill, Sr.

Viewing.....

Recessional.....

### **Committal and Interment**

Crab Orchard Cemetery  
Crab Orchard, Kentucky



## Pallbearers

**John Eddie Kinley**  
**Darius Baughman**  
**Kevin Napier**  
**Darnell Prewitt**  
**Demarco Prewitt**

**Jeff Lancaster**  
**Gary Prewitt**  
**Shadon Brown**  
**Roney Taylor**  
**Martellas Lewis**

## Honorary Pallbearers

**Shawn Woods**  
**Jamal Brown**  
**Daniel Bartleson**  
**Max Joseph**  
**Ralph Vandike**

**Kevin Douglas**  
**Buddy Trumbo**  
**Larry Wooldridge**  
**Tyson Prewitt**  
**Corning Employees**

## Acknowledgements

The family wishes to express their appreciation to the many friends for their calls, visits, smiles, word of encouragement, but most of all thank you for your prayers. May God continue to bless each of you.

**The Family**

**Services Provided By**  
**Smith-Jackson Funeral Home**

23rd  
I TELL YOU THE TRUTH,  
TODAY YOU WILL BE WITH ME IN PARADISE.

LUKE 23:43 (NIV1984)

*Heaven*  
*is a promise*

OF PEACE, LOVE, AND ETERNAL LIFE

FOR EACH ONE WHO BELIEVES.



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## The Obituary

Eugene Fish Jr., 44, was called to his eternal rest on Friday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky after a short illness. He was preceded in death by his father, Eugene Fish, Sr., grandmother, Mrs. Mable Pope and nephew, Omar Fish.

He professed hope in Christ at First Baptist Church, Danville.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Anna Margaret Fish; Three sisters, Anna Marie, Mary Frances, Sharon Lee Fish, all of Danville, Ky, one brother, Christopher David Fish of Danville, Ky, 2 nieces, Shanee Graves, (Raelyn Doram), Amari Bartee, and 3 nephews, Tre'von Sandifer, Jaimar and Emerson Clay Fish, 2 Special cousins, Bettie Walker and Bryan Johnson, his girlfriend, Andra Prewitt and her two daughters, Andresa and Jill Prewitt, also a special partner, James Author Patton III, (Baby James), and cousins, relatives and special friends.

Eugene was a big U.K. and Danville Admiral fan. He hardly ever missed a game.  
Eugene really enjoyed listening to Rev. Briscoe preach the Word of God.

## Order of Service

Rev. Wayne Isbell, Presiding  
June 23, 2014  
12:00 p.m.

Prelude  
Processional

Scriptures Old Testament  
New Testament

Prayer

Solo Vicky Troxler

Resolutions and Acknowledgements

Obituary (Read Silently)

Solo Gary Johnson

Remarks Ministers

Solo Robbie Houston

Eulogy Rev. Derrick Briscoe  
First Baptist Church  
Danville, Kentucky

Mortician  
Recessional

## **Eugene Fish Jr.**

Eugene Fish Jr., 44, of Danville, passed away Friday, June 13, 2014, at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky.

He was the son of Anna Margaret Fish and the late Eugene Fish Sr.

Eugene was a member of First Baptist Church in Danville and was formerly employed at Corning Glass.

He is survived by his mother, Anna Margaret Fish; his life partner, Andrea Prewitt; three sisters, Anna Fish, Mary Fish and Sharon Fish; one brother, Chris Fish; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be noon Monday, June 23, at First Baptist Church, 200 W. Walnut St., Danville. Burial will be in Hilldale Cemetery.

Visitation will be 11 a.m. Monday until time of service.

**Honorary Pallbearers**

Curtis Bright  
William Baughman  
William Owsley, Sr.

**Pallbearers**

Acey Mundy  
James Williams  
Coleman Simpson  
Bob Berry  
Red Jackson  
Virgil Jackman

**Interment**

Crab Orchard Cemetery  
Crab Orchard, Kentucky

**ARRANGEMENTS BY**  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory  
of*



**Eugene Fish, Sr.**  
**June 10, 1930 - March 16, 1988**

**Services**  
**Monday, March 21, 1988**

**First Baptist Church**  
**Cedar Street**  
**Crab Orchard, Kentucky**

**Rev. Richard Hill, Sr.**  
**Officiating**

## Obituary

Eugene "Catfish" Fish was born July 10, 1930 in Crab Orchard, Kentucky. He expired March 16, 1988 at Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville, Ky. after a long illness.

He had been employed by the city of Danville and was a member of First Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, Kentucky. Before making Danville his home he spent many years traveling and working with race horses in many cities and states.

He leaves to mourn, his mother, Mabel Fish Pope of Danville; three daughters, Mary Frances Fish, Anna Marie Fish and Sharon Lee Fish, all of Danville; two sons, Eugene Fish, Jr. and Christopher David Fish, both of Danville; a very devoted cousin Mollie Baughman of Danville, three aunts, one uncle, cousins and a host of friends.



*You are not forgotten loved one,  
Nor will you ever be,  
As long as life and memory last  
We will remember thee.*

*The Family*

## Order of Service

Processional

Song "Did You Thank Him" ..... Ronald McCowan

Prayer

Scripture

Acknowledgements of cards, telegrams & resolutions

Obituary..... Read Silently

Remarks by Visiting Ministers ..... (Limit 2 minutes)

Song "He Looked Beyond My Faults" ..... Ronald McCowan

Eulogy ..... Rev. Richard Hill  
Pastor, First Baptist Church, Danville

Viewing of Remains

Recessional

Committal and Interment ..... Crab Orchard Cemetery  
Crab Orchard, Kentucky

CASKET-BEARERS

Charles M. Parks Jr.  
George H. Fisher Jr.  
James R. Parks II  
James R. Parks  
Paul W. Parks  
Justin M. Parks

*Acknowledgement*

The family wishes to express their heartfelt and gratitude to all those who visited, sent cards, letters, food, and the many telephone calls in our time of bereavement.

A special thanks to Dr. John S. Baughman and the staff of the Harrodsburg Health Care Center.

Arrangements by  
PARKS FUNERAL HOME  
Harrodsburg, Ky.

In Loving Memory  
of

BESSIE BRYANT FISHER



1905

1998

Services

Thursday, January 29, 1998

1:00 P.M.

First Baptist Church

349 West Broadway

Harrodsburg, Kentucky

Rev. Robert Gentry

## OBITUARY

Bessie Bryant Fisher 92, 117 Stagg Street, Harrodsburg, Ky, departed this life Sunday, January 25 at the Harrodsburg Health Care Center. Born December 8, 1905 in Mercer County. She was the daughter of the late George and Lina Coffey Bryant. She was the widow of Franklin Fisher Sr.. She retired after 29 years at Beaumont Inn. She was a life long member of the First Baptist Church. She was a member of the Mercer County Senior Citizen.

She is survived by a son, George Herman Fisher and wife, Pauline, A daughter, Christine Parks and husband, Charles Sr. all of Harrodsburg, KY. She was preceded in death by a son, Franklin Fisher Jr. Additional survivors include two brothers, Elijah Bryant and wife Mildred of Akron, OH and John Lee Bryant of Louisville, KY. Three sisters, Georgia Chenault of Pontiac, MI, Katie Augustus of Sandusky, OH and Marie Hunn and husband, Windrell Sr. of Harrodsburg, KY. She was preceded in death by a brother James William Bryant. She is also survived by eight grandchildren, twenty-three great-grandchildren, four great-great-grandchildren, one uncle James Coffey of Jeffersonville, IN and a host of neices, nephews, cousins and friends.

### When I Must Leave You

When I must leave you for a little while,  
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears,  
Nor hug your sorrow through the years,  
But start out bravely with a gallant smile.

And or my sake and in my name,  
Live on and do all things the same,  
Feed not your loneliness on empty days,  
But fill each waking hour in useful ways.

Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer,  
And God in turn will comfort you and hold  
you near.

And never, never be afraid to die,  
For I am waiting for you in the sky!

Helen Steiner Rice

The Family

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection

Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Solo

Sister Gail Napier

Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams, Etc

Resolutions

Obituary

Read In Silence

Remarks

Two Minutes Please

Ministers

Special Tribute

Bro. George Fisher Jr.  
(Grandson)

Words of Comfort

Rev. Robert Gentry

Recessional

Interment

Maple Grove Cemetery  
Harrodsburg, Kentucky

Benediction

Cemetery

Family and friends will be served dinner in the church dining hall following the interment.

# Matthew Fisher

*Died Jan. 21 - 1978*

## Is Found Dead

Matthew Fisher, 59, of 143 Rowe Street, was found dead on the sidewalk in front of his home about 6:30 a.m. Sunday.

According to Deputy Coroner King Pruitt, Mr. Fisher died of an apparent heart attack. Pruitt said Mr. Fisher had apparently parked his car, walked around a path toward the door of his home and collapsed. It is believed he probably sustained the heart attack about 9 p.m. Saturday as his car was seen in the driveway about 10 p.m. Pruitt said he felt Mr. Fisher died of the heart attack rather than from exposure to the cold weather. He was found by his sister, Mrs. John (Helen) Frye as she and her husband were leaving their home Sunday morning.

Danville-Boyle County Rescue Squad members Dwight Conley and Jerry Gordon transferred the body from the scene to Ephraim McDowell Memorial Hospital. Danville Cpl. Charles Shannon and Ptl. Kenneth Bottoms and Randall Handy were also at the scene.

### Rites Slated

Services for Mr. Fisher, manager of Smith-Jackson Funeral Home here for over 20 years, will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church, Second and Walnut Streets. The Rev. Richard Hill



Matthew Fisher

will officiate and burial will follow in Hilldale Cemetery.

Visitation will be at the funeral home after 4 p.m. Tuesday.

He was born June 24, 1918 in Danville to the late George and Lettie Moran Fisher.

He was the first president of the NAACP Branch in Danville, and was a leader in the Boy Scout movement. He was a member of First Baptist Church, Second and Walnut Streets.

Survivors include a brother, J. Franklin Fisher of Cincinnati, Ohio, and two other sisters Mrs. Julia Curry of Lexington and Mrs. Martha Jones of Louisville.



*Pallbearers*

Arry Sharp  
Ronnie Moberly  
Calvin Banks  
El Razor Sharp

Charlie Combs  
LeRon Morton  
Lendell Ragland  
Ernest Barnes

*Acknowledgements & Special Thanks To*

Amy Fisher  
Angela Long  
Stacey Copeland

*Interment*

First Baptist Church Stamping Ground Cemetery  
Wood Lake Road  
Stamping Ground, Kentucky

*Arrangements By:*

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340 East Third Street  
Lexington, KY 40508  
(859) 255-6273

**"Where Service Is Measured Not By Gold,  
But By The Golden Rule."**

*In Loving Memory  
of  
Mattie Mae Hunt Fisher*



*Sunrise*  
Nov 12, 1936

*Sunset*  
Jan 16, 2010

**10:00 AM**  
**Thursday, January 21st, 2010**

**New Hope Missionary Baptist Church**  
**541 Lima Drive**  
**Lexington, Kentucky 40511**

**Rev. Bobby Long, Pastor**

# The Obituary

Mattie Mae Hunt Fisher 73, wife of Rev. Jesse Lee Fisher died Jan. 16, 2010 at St. Joseph Hospital. She was born Nov. 12, 1936 in Garrard Co., Kentucky to the late Celia D. (Momma Doc) and James L. Hunt. She was employed by various companies throughout Fayette County. She served faithfully at her church by singing in the choir, serving as a missionary and a member of the Minister's Wives Council. She is predeceased by her parents, a daughter Celia (CK) Emerson, 3 sisters: Margaret Hall, Betty Raglin Shanks and Mary Ann Johnson; 3 brothers: Hosea Hunt, James E. Hunt and Raymond Curtis Miller. She leaves to mourn: her devoted husband of 52 years, Rev. Jesse Lee Fisher; 2 sons, Jesse Lee Jr. and Rodney Fisher of Lexington; 1 daughter, Jane E. Hill of Cincinnati, OH; 1 son-in-law, Kenneth Emerson of Louisville, KY; 4 grandchildren, Norman and Chris Hill of Cincinnati, OH; Angel and Jesse III (Jay) of Ironton, OH; 1 sister, Nannie Frances (Charles) Baxter of Richmond, KY; 3 brothers, William Harris, Sr. of Winchester, KY, William McKinley (Betty) Hunt and Irvin Thomas (Claudette) Hunt of Lexington and a host of Nieces, nephews and cousins. She and Jesse also raised her 2 nephews Donald and Demetrius Johnson and his nephew Wesley Fisher.

## TO THOSE I LOVE

*When I am gone, release me, let me go  
 I have so many things to see and do  
 You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears  
 Be happy that we had so many years.  
 I gave you my love, you can only guess  
 How much you gave me in happiness.  
 I thank you for the love you have shown  
 But it's time I travel on alone.  
 So grieve a while for me. If grieve you must  
 Then let your grief be comforted by trust.  
 It's only for a while that we must part  
 So bless the memories with your heart.  
 I won't be far away, for life goes on.  
 So if you need me, call and I will come  
 Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near  
 And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear  
 All of my love around you soft and clear  
 And then, when you must come this way alone  
 I greet you with a smile, and welcome you home.*

# Order of Service

Rev. Bobby Long, Officiating

|                                      |                                                                          |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Prelude .....                        | Soft Music                                                               |
| Scripture .....                      | Old Testament ..... Minister<br>New Testament ..... Minister             |
| Prayer of Comfort .....              | Minister                                                                 |
| Selection .....                      | Choir                                                                    |
| Acknowledgements & Resolutions ..... |                                                                          |
| Solo .....                           | Anna Sue Edwards                                                         |
| Recognition of Clergy .....          |                                                                          |
| Solo .....                           | Jimmy Thomas                                                             |
| Obituary .....                       | (Read Silently) ..... Soft Music                                         |
| Selection .....                      | Choir                                                                    |
| Eulogy .....                         | Rev. Robert Blythe<br>Pastor, First Baptist Church<br>Richmond, Kentucky |
| Recessional .....                    |                                                                          |

**Active Pallbearers**

*James Johnson*

*Travis Steele*

*Richard Caldwell*

*Paul Wilkinson*

*Maurice Bell*

*James Murphy*

**Honorary Pallbearers**

*Gerald Holman*

*Dallas Fitzgerald*

*Lester Patton*

*Lawrence Beavers*

**Acknowledgement**

*The family of Leonard (Moochie) Fitzgerald extends a heart-felt thank you to everyone for all acts of kindness. Special thanks to Rev. Miller, Rev. Walker and Second Street Christian Church. We appreciated your visits, cards, food, flowers, calls and prayers, during his illness and home-going, these expressions will always be remembered. May God continue to bless each of you.*



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446 Bate Street - Danville, Kentucky  
[www.smith-jackson.com](http://www.smith-jackson.com)

**HONORING**

IN  
LOVING MEMORY

*Leonard E. Fitzgerald*



**Funeral Service**

Friday, February 1, 2013 - 1:00 P.M.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Street Christian Church  
Danville, Kentucky

**Officiants**

Pastor Dennis Miller  
Rev. Everhart Walker, Eulogist

**Sunrise**

**Sunset**

November 5, 1958 - January 24, 2013

## OBITUARY

Leonard Emanuel (Moochie) Fitzgerald, 54, was called to his eternal home, Thursday, January 24, 2013 at 9:40 p.m. at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky after a long illness.

He was born Wednesday, November 5, 1958 in Boyle County, Kentucky and was the son of the Leonard Fitzgerald and Mary Katherine (Fitzgerald) Johnson.

Leonard is preceded in death by his parents, one aunt, Leonra Holman.

He was a graduate of Danville High School and served in the United States Navy from 1978-1982.

Leonard leaves to mourn his passing one daughter, Crystal Johnson, Oak Ridge, TN; four brothers, Robert (Judith) Fitzgerald, Manteca, CA. Steven Fitzgerald, Anthony Fitzgerald and David Denny, all of Danville, KY; two sisters, Stephanie Denny, Danville, KY and Renetta Sloan, Nicholasville, KY; step-mother Stella Denny-Beavers, Danville, KY; step-father, Dallas Fitzgerald, Danville, KY; his grandchildren; uncles, George Emanuel Wilhite, Danville, KY and Gerald Holman, White Plains, NY; aunt, Bettie (Lester) Patton, Junction City, KY; several nieces, nephews, a special friend, Betty Black and a host of other relatives and friends.

God saw you getting tired  
When a cure was not to be  
So he wrapped his arms around you;  
And whispered, "Come to me."  
When I saw you sleeping,  
So peaceful and free from pain  
I could not wish you back  
to suffer that again.

The Family

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Rev. Dennis Miller - Master of Ceremony

Musical Prelude.....  
Processional.....Soft Music  
Solo.....Bro. Robbie Houston  
Prayer.....Clergy  
Scripture.....Clergy  
Solo.....Bro. Paul Wilkinson  
Resolutions / Acknowledgements.....  
Obituary..... (Read in Silence).....Soft Music  
Family Encouragements.....Bro. Travis Steele  
Remarks..... (2 minutes please) ..... Ministers  
Special Remarks.....Rev. Dale Smith  
Solo... .....Bro. Robbie Houston  
Eulogy.....Rev. Everhart Walker  
Recessional.....

### Interment

Friday, February 1, 2013 - 2:30 p.m.  
Camp Nelson Cemetery  
6980 Danville Rd - Nicholasville, KY

\*The family will be served dinner following the interment\*

**PALLBEARERS**

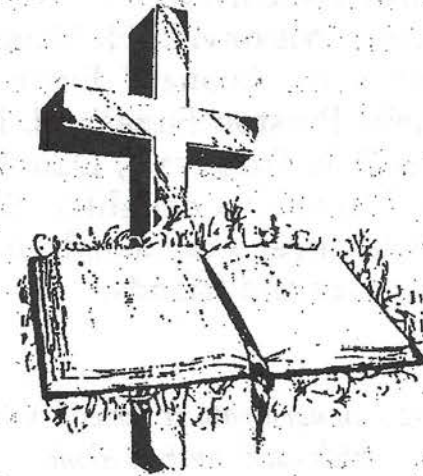
Anthony Fitzgerald  
Dallas Fitzgerald  
Robert Allen Walker  
Larry Walker  
Clark Walker  
Willie Pat Fitzgerald

**Acknowledgement**

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Arrangements by  
**SMITH-JACKSON FUNERAL HOME**  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory*  
*of*  
**Leonard Fitzgerald, Sr.**  
**1939 - 1990**



**Funeral Services**  
**Wednesday, January 31, 1990**  
**1:00 p.m.**

**Smith-Jackson Funeral Chapel**  
**Danville, Kentucky**

**Rev. Joseph Garr**  
**Officiating**

## OBITUARY

Leonard Fitzgerald, Sr. was born August 15, 1939 in Boyle County, to the late Robert and Verna Bell Fitzgerald.

He departed this life Friday, January 26, 1990.

He was a farmer and lived on Persimmon Knob. He attended school in Wilsonville. He leaves to cherish his memory, four sons, Leonard Emanuel Fitzgerald, Danville; Robert Preston Fitzgerald, Manteca, California; Steven Dale Fitzgerald, Danville; David Ferlando Denny, Danville; a daughter, Stephanie Lynn Denny, Danville; seven grandchildren, a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

*There's an open gate at the end of the road,  
Thru which each must go alone.  
And there is a light we cannot see,  
Our Father claims his own.  
Beyond the gate our loved one finds  
Happiness and rest.  
And there's comfort in the thought,  
That a Loving God knows best.*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Rev. Joseph Garr, Presiding

Prelude ..... Organ Medley

Processional

Selection

Prayer

Scripture

Selection

Acknowledgement

Obituary (Read Silently) ..... Soft Music

Remarks

Eulogy ..... Rev. Everhart Walker  
Presiding Elder of the Lexington District

Recessional

Interment  
Hilldale Cemetery

### ***I'm Free***

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God has laid you see.*

*I took His hand when I heard him call  
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day  
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.  
Tasks left undone must stay that way  
I found that peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void  
Then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss  
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.*

*My life's been full, I savored much  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.*

*Lift up your hearts and peace to thee  
God wanted me now; he set me free*

*Author Unknown*

### **Acknowledgements**

We wish express with grateful appreciation, all of the many courtesies, kind acts of love, prayers and words of encouragement that has been extended to us during our time of bereavement. A special thanks to SSCC, the medical professionals at the Central KY Cancer Center, 21<sup>st</sup> Century Radiology, KentuckyOne Health and Vanderbilt University Medical Center.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:  
**Smith-Jackson Funeral Home**  
446 Bate Street—Danville, Kentucky

In Loving Memory of



Loretta S. Fitzgerald

### **Funeral Service**

*Saturday, November 28, 2015  
12:00 p.m.*

*Second Street Christian Church  
Danville, Kentucky*

*Rev. Dennis Miller, Pastor*

**Sunrise**  
June 26, 1937

**Sunset**  
November 24, 2015

## Obituary

Loretta S. Fitzgerald, the daughter of the Late Raymond C. Smith and the Late Margaret Coates Smith Tarrence, met her appointed day with Jesus Christ on Tuesday, November 24, 2015. Loretta was born June 26, 1937 with her twin sister Marthetta S. Clark in Danville, KY. Loretta attended Bate School and graduated from Mason High School in Lancaster, KY. Loretta became a Licensed Practical Nurse and was employed by EMRMC, the KY State Hospital for 17 years, the Youth Development Center and retired from the Transportation Cabinet in Frankfort, KY as a Kentucky Colonel.

The love of music was given to Loretta as a gift of God that she used as her service unto the Lord. Like her mother, Margaret, Loretta learned how to play the piano and served as the pianist for SSCC for over 35 years. Loretta was dedicated to the growth of the body of Christ and the choirs she played for at SSCC along with the Christian Women's Fellowship. Loretta remained active with her church until her journey with Multiple Myeloma ended after 13 years.

Loretta met Willie Pat Fitzgerald in church and became his loving wife on May 3, 1958 and that holy matrimony expired on March 6, 1999 as her loving husband took his journey to Heaven after 40 years of marriage. Loretta leaves to celebrate her passing, her twin Sister Marthetta Smith Clark; her son Oneith (Sherry) Fitzgerald; her daughter Willetta Fitzgerald, three wonderful grandchildren Brandon (Julena) Gooch, Keithon Fitzgerald, Sierra Fitzgerald, and one aunt Theora Coates, one brother-in-law Dallas Fitzgerald nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephew, cousins and friends. Preceding her in death and who met her at the Heavens gates, are one brother Raymond C. Smith II; two sisters Dixie Leavell and Phyllis Caulder.

## Order of Service

Musical Prelude .....Soft Music  
Family Processional  
Words of Comfort.....Rev. Dowell Miller  
Solo.....I'm Free.....Sis. Tori Miller  
Scripture.....Psalm 71.....Rev. Everhart Walker  
Prayer.....Rev. Dowell Miller  
Selection.....Total Praise  
Resolution.....Second Street Christian Church  
Obituary.....(Read Silently).....Soft Music  
Remarks for all Minister .....Rev. Everhart Walker  
Solo.....When I See Jesus.....Sis. Linda McAtee  
Eulogy ..... Rev. Dennis Miller  
Invitation to Jesus Christ.....Yes God Is Real  
Sis. Vicki Troxler  
Rites of Passage ..... Rev. Dennis Miller  
Postlude .....

### Interment

Hilldale Cemetery - Danville, Kentucky

### Active Pallbearers

Victor Delaney Maurice Buntin Julian Montgomery  
Andy Fitzgerald Dustin Delaney Carl Wilkinson

### Honorary Pallbearers

James Simpson Ernest Baird Gerald Holman  
Michael Caulder Kenneth Gambrel  
The late Lawrence Ogle

\* Dinner to be served in Dining Room\*



POEM

*"Rest, mother rest:*

*We fold thy quilt hands upon thy breast*

*Above thy faithful heart*

*Thy gentle heart, so good so pure, so wise,*

*Full of true love, full of self sacrifice*

*Sleep, mother sleep*

*Thy children bitter sorrowing round thee weep*

*Recalling all thy tenderness and truth*

*Thy loving care guarding their careless youth*

*Thy set example showing thou hast trod*

*Daily that narrow path that leads to God*

*Sleep, mother sleep*

*Each child hears now his burden and his cross,*

*Each his souls secret, tale of gain or loss!*

*Each must pursue alone his earthly way,*

*Hoping to meet thee once again — one day . . .*

*When this poor heaven and earth have passed away!*

*Done by Order of the Family*

*The Family wishes to acknowledge with sincere appreciation all of the courtesies and condolences extended during this period of sadness.*

Grandsons Casket Bearers

*In Loving Memory Of*



Mrs. Maggie Mae Fitzgerald

FUNERAL SERVICES

Friday, March 25, 1966

1:00 O'Clock

Second Street Christian Church

Danville, Kentucky

The Rev. Jesse E. Hicks

and

The Rev. Finis Walkup

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Interment

Hill Dale Cemetery

ME

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Maggie Fitzgerald was born in Lincoln County on December 25, 1888.

In 1908 she was united in holy matrimony to James B. Fitzgerald. Five children were born to bless the union. Two preceded her in death.

She departed this life on Sunday, March 20, 1966 at her residence, 521 South Second Street, Danville after a long illness.

At a very early age she joined Allen Chapel church of Moreland.

She was a faithful and active member until her advanced age and failing health prevented her attendance.

She was a good neighbor, a faithful friend, and a loving mother who will be remembered for her kindness.

She loved to help all churches.

She was a loving and devoted mother and grandmother and was loved and respected by all who knew her in the church and in the community.

She leaves to mourn her passing two daughters, Mrs. Irene Gilmore, Moreland; Mrs. Barnett Montgomery of Cincinnati, Ohio; one son, Willie Pat Fitzgerald, Danville; two daughters-in-law, nine grandchildren and twenty great grandchildren; a host of other relatives and friends.

Your many kind deeds we recall, how you did your best for us, and we shall struggle on to meet you in sweet eternal rest.

By the Family.

## PROGRAM

Processional

Song ..... Nearer My God To Thee

Scripture and Prayer

Song — Savior More Than Life

Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegram

Resolutions

Solo

Remarks ..... Visiting Ministers

Obituary — Read in Silence

Song — Last Mile Of The Way

Eulogy ..... Rev. Hicks

Viewing of Remains

Recessional

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home in Charge

**PALLBEARERS**

Larry Walker  
Donald Walker  
Everhart Walker, Jr.  
Craig Smith  
Thomas Caldwell  
Lindsay McCowan

The family extends their thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbors for their kindness and all expressions of sympathy during the time of bereavement.

Arrangements by  
**SMITH-JACKSON FUNERAL HOME**  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory  
of*



**Ogeby Fitzgerald**  
May 17, 1905 — September 4, 1989

Funeral Services  
Monday, September 11, 1989  
1:00 P.M.

Smith-Jackson Funeral Chapel  
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Joseph Garr,  
Officiating

## OBITUARY

Ogeby Fitzgerald was born May 17, 1905 in Russell County, Virginia. He was the son of Robert and Gertrude Beverly Fitzgerald.

He departed this life September 4, 1989 in Danville, Kentucky.

He accepted Christ at an early age at Zion Hill A.M.E. Church, Junction City, Ky.

He leaves to mourn 6 nieces, Katherine Robinson and Geraldine Lincoln of Akron, Ohio. Dorothy Powe, and Clara Tibbs of Detroit, Michigan, Gertrude Wheeler, Radcliff, Ky.; Theora Hegg, Ft. Washington, Md., 5 nephews: Robert Walker, of Lexington, Ky.; Rev. Joseph Garr of Cincinnati, Ohio; Charles Robert Garr, Covington, Ky.; Rev. Everhart Walker, Danville, Ky.; Leonard Fitzgerald, Junction City, Ky. and a host of other relatives and friends.

*The call was sudden, the shock severe  
Little did we know such grief was near,  
Only one that has lost  
Can tell the pain of parting without farewell.  
God took him home,  
Rest he will,  
But in our hearts he liveth still.  
The flowers we lay upon his grave may  
wither and decay  
But the love we have for him will never fade away.  
We loved him but God loved him best and  
He took him home to rest.*

*The family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude

Processional

Hymn

Prayer

Scripture

Selection

Acknowledgements, Resolutions

Obituary

Remarks (two minutes)

Selection, Hymn

Eulogy.....Rev. Joseph Garr

Recessional

Interment  
Hilldale Cemetery



## The Obituary

A ship sails away, and we see it no more,  
But we know it is going to some other shore.  
Our dear ones pass on and we see them no more  
But we know they are waiting on some other shore.  
H.S.R.

Willie Fitzgerald was born to the late James and Maggie (Sandige) Fitzgerald, June 3, 1922 in Lincoln County, Kentucky. He was the fifth of six children. All have preceded him in death except for one sister and one brother.

Willie joined Moreland A.M.E. Church in Moreland, Kentucky. He moved his membership to 2nd St. Christian Church where he had been a member since 1954. Willie lived his life for Christ. He served at 2nd St. Christian church as a deacon, elder, trustee, a teacher of Sunday Schools classes, Asst. Superintendent of Sunday School, President of the Christian Men's Fellowship, Usher for the State, the Church's custodian, and the Treasurer for many years. It was his privilege to be affiliated with the Galilean Children's Home and the Church's Food Pantry.

Willie, also known as Pat, was a man that met no strangers and knew no enemies. He was a carpenter by trade. Although Willie Pat was retired officially, he was a handyman for many patrons throughout the community. Pat always had a smile and a story to share and not to mention an ear to lend. Honor and truth was his valor.

He is survived by his loving wife of forty years, Loretta Smith Fitzgerald, son Oneith (Sherry) Fitzgerald, daughter Willetta (John) Bonds; Sister Garnet Montgomery, brother Dallas Fitzgerald; three grandchildren, Brandon Gooch, Keithon Fitzgerald, and Sierra Fitzgerald; nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great nephews, other relative and friends.

# Celebrating

# the Life of



## Mr. Willie Pat Fitzgerald

June 3, 1922 - March 6, 1999

Wednesday, March 10, 1999  
11:00 a.m.

Second St. Christian Church  
228 South Second Street  
Danville, KY 40422

Rev. Herbert Dunn, Pastor  
Rev. Mack Jackson, Officiating

*When death comes flashing out of a bright sky  
suddenly and unexpectedly  
When life is flushed with hope and filled  
with dreams*

*It is hard to reconcile ourselves to such a loss  
When God asks us to give up someone loved.  
For to have a life, so suddenly silenced;  
Is beyond our understanding.*

*God does not comfort us to make us comfortable  
He comforts us to that we may also be comforters.  
-Helen Steiner Rice-*

*Thy sun shall no more go down; neither shall  
thy moon will draw itself; For the Lord shall be thine  
everlasting of the light, and the days of thy mourning  
shall be ended.*

Is. 60:20

# The Order of Service

Rev. Herbert Dunn

Processional ..... Soft Music

Congregational Song ..... "Down at the Cross"

Scripture ..... Old Test. Job 14: 1-14  
New Test. Rev. 21: 1-7

Prayer *Bro Bindshaw*

Special Music *Over You* ..... 2nd St. C.C. Choir

Resolutions / Acknowledgements *NANCY GREY*

Moments of reflections from family and friends *Paul Wilkins*

Visiting Ministers *Joe - Bodner - P. South - Bonds*

Solo ..... *Walk around heaver*  
Paul Wilkinson

Eulogy *2 Cor. 6:11* ..... Rev. Mack Jackson  
*Moving Day has arrived*

Recessional ..... Soon's Very Soon

Interment ..... Hill Dale Cemetery

## Acknowledgment

We wish to acknowledge with grateful appreciation, all of the many courtesies, kindnesses and love that has been extended to us during our bereavement. Special thanks to our many friends for being there when we needed you most. Again, we thank you for caring.

## Active Pallbearers

|                    |               |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Anthony Fitzgerald | Richard McCoy |
| John Bonds         | Melvin Gooch  |
| Donnie Allen       | Kevin Napier  |

## Honorary Pallbearers

|                  |               |
|------------------|---------------|
| Ernest Baird     | June Clark    |
| Robert Lee Gooch | John Pope     |
| James Simpson    | Marvin Bodner |
| Henry Maddox     | Vernon Riffe  |

## Arrangements

Smith Jackson Funeral Home

**PALLBEARERS**

James Kinley  
George Jones  
John E. Doneghy  
David Kinley  
James Preston  
Bobby Frye

**HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Ray Dunn  
Oscar Harris  
Chester Wilhite  
Allie Gray

The family acknowledges with grateful appreciation the kindness and all expressions of sympathy extended during their bereavement.

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Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory  
of*



**David Floyd**  
**1936 - 1987**

**Friday, January 16, 1987**  
**1:00 P.M.**

**First Baptist Church**  
**Second and Walnut Streets**  
**Danville, Kentucky**

**Interment**  
**Hilldale Cemetery**

**Rev. Richard Hill**  
**Officiating**

## OBITUARY

Mr. David Floyd, son of the late Mrs. Marsha Floyd Bates and Rank Floyd was born February 10, 1936 in Chattahoochee, Florida, departed this life January 13, 1987 after a short illness.

He was a member at First Baptist Church at a early age.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Louise Floyd of Florida, two sisters, Mrs. Margaret B. Doram of Lexington, and Mrs. Betty F. Stanford, of Danville, and four brothers.

Alfonzo & Joe Campbell of Youngstown, Ohio, Hubert Floyd of Youngstown, Ohio, and Leonard Bates, Jr. of Danville, Ky. Two sisters-in-law, Mary Campbell of Ohio, and Rita Bates of Danville. Several nieces, and nephews, cousins and a host of friends.

*God saw you were getting weary  
So He did what He thought was best,  
He came and stood beside you,  
And whispered "Come and rest."  
You bade no one a last farewell,  
Not even a "goodbye",  
You were gone before we knew it,  
And only God knows why.*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection ..... Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Selection ..... Choir

Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams, Letters, Etc.

Obituary *soft music* ..... Read In Silence

Solo *My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me*  
Mrs. Catherine Napier

Remarks ..... Ministers

Solo *Walk Around Heaven* ..... Mr. Thomas Smith

Eulogy..... Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional

Interment ..... Hilldale Cemetery

The Family and Friends will be served in the lower auditorium of the church following interment at Hilldale Cemetery.





Carolyn Walker Fogle, age 72, of East High Street, Springfield, KY passed away at 5:50 p.m., Saturday, November 14, 2020 at the Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville.

She was born on March 24, 1948 in Washington County to the late Sarah Della Hurrigan and Joseph Paul Walker, Jr.

She was a member of the Johnson Chapel AME Zion Church where she was active in church affairs serving as Sunday School Superintendent, Leader of Leaders and the Missionary Society. Carolyn served as a former Girl Scout leader and was a member of Sisters, Inc. She was a 1966 graduate of Springfield High School and attended Union College in Barbourville. She was a former employee of Inoac and Fruit of the Loom in Frankfort.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Terrance Lee "Terry" Fogle on October 30, 2020.

Survivors include a son, Ronald Shelby Burton of Danville, KY; a daughter, Kima LaDell Burton of Springfield, KY; two grandchildren, Tevan Chase Kinley and Tyler Rashaad Kinley; seven great grandchildren; two brothers, Joseph Paul Walker, III (Lydia) of Dallas, Texas and John Michael Walker of Louisville, KY and six sisters, Paulette Smith of Louisville, KY, Edith Gladney (Riley) of Cleveland, Ohio, Maxine Thompson (Gene) of Nashville, TN, Donna Smalley (Clay Jr.) of Bowling Green, KY, Shelly Bell (Davis) of Bardstown, KY and Nikko Chaney of Louisville, KY.

In Memory of

# *Carolyn Walker Fogle*



## **Funeral Service**

*Saturday, November 21, 2020 – 11:00 A.M.*

*Carey & Son Funeral Home  
Springfield, Kentucky*

## **Officiating**

*Rev. Roland Pruyear*

## **Interment**

*Bethlehem Cemetery  
Springfield, KY*

## **Arrangements By**

*Carey & Son Funeral Home  
Springfield, Kentucky*

**ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Larry Kinley  
Ronald Raines  
John Johnson  
James Johnson  
Otis Ford  
James Segar

**HONORARY**

John Mitchell  
James Singleton  
Kenneth Rothwell  
Ben Kinley  
Raymond Turner  
Ellis Shanks  
Gary Ford  
Dennis Ford  
Wayne Hawkins

**ARRANGEMENTS BY**  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory*  
of



**MR. ARCHIE FORD**  
1953 — 1982

## OBITUARY

Mr. Archie Ford was born October 2, 1953 in Louisville, Kentucky to Ms. Lucille Buckner and Archie Walton. He departed this life Thursday night, September 9, 1982 at 11:00 p.m. at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky. He was united in marriage to Mrs. Marilyn Ann Ford on April 6, 1980 in Danville. He joined the Bethel Baptist Church, Danville at an early age. He leaves to mourn his wife, Marilyn, mother, Mrs. Lucille Buckner, two daughters, Ms. Sharonna Ford, Miss India Wilkerson, two sons Robert Shaunta Ford and Andre L. Wilkerson, brother Richard Lee Buckner, San Francisco, California, one sister, Terry Walton of Dayton, Ohio, two aunts, Opal Johnson of Danville, Ruby Smith of Lexington, six uncles, Chester, Cecil, Luther, Otis, Walter, all of Danville, Gerald Ford of Dayton, Ohio, Clarence Walton of Louisville, three great aunts, Lettie Jackson, Indiana, Leona Thorton, Louisville, Christine Robinson, Campbellsville, two great uncles Rev. Church Cowherd, Campbellsville, Alvin Cowherd, Louisville and a host of cousins and friends.

*You fought the battle  
And God has heard you cry  
Lo from it he gave you rest  
We will always miss and love you  
But God loved you best.*

*Wife and Children*

## PROCESSIONAL

Song ..... Davis Sisters

Scripture Reading ..... 102 Psalms

Prayer

Solo ..... Davis Sisters

Acknowledgements and Expressions

Obituary ..... Read Silently

Solo

Eulogy ..... Rev. J.L. Buckner

### **Acknowledgements**

The family of the late Carlene Jackson Ford would like to express our sincere thanks for all the love, friendship, prayers and support shown to our family during our time of bereavement. May the richness of God's grace and mercy be bestowed upon you. Please join us at Indian Hills Christian Church Fellowship Hall for a reception immediately following the funeral service.

### **Interment**

Private burial in Hill Dale Cemetery

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street Street  
Danville, KY 40422

## *In loving memory of Carlene Jackson Ford*



*August 27, 1961 ~ March 4, 2015*

## Obituary

Carlene Jackson Ford, 53, of Danville, Ky, was born August 27, 1961, in Hardin County, Ky, to the late Avie L. Frye and the late David L. Jackson. She departed this life on March 4, 2015, in Lexington, Ky. Carlene was a quiet, caring person who was loving to all whom she encountered. She will be dearly missed.

She was a member of the Church of Christ and a graduate of Danville High School where she was a member of the Marching Admirals. She attended Kentucky College of Business. She was a caregiver for many years for several families and a former employee of Charleston Health Care Center.

She leaves to cherish her sweet memories, a brother, Charles Hunter of Columbus, Ohio; two sisters, Ruby Jackson and Sheila Clark, both of Danville, Ky; a niece, Melanie Hunter-Capers of Columbus, Ohio; four nephews, Chad Hunter, Sr., of Columbus, Ohio, Ryan and Cameron-Ty Clark and Aaron Jackson, all of Danville, Ky; and a host of other relatives and friends.

## Poem

### Her Journey's Just Begun

Don't think of her as gone away  
Her journey's just begun  
Life holds so many facets  
This Earth is only one  
Just think of her as resting  
From the sorrow and the tears  
In a place of warmth and comfort  
Where there are no days and years  
Think how she must be wishing  
That we could know today  
How nothing but our sadness  
Can really pass away  
And think of her as living  
In the hearts of those she touched  
For nothing loved is ever lost  
And she was loved so much

E. Brenneman

**Funeral services**.....1 p.m. March 14, 2015,  
at Smith-Jackson Funeral Home

**Officiating and music**:.....Pastor C.R. Payne

*Fellowship at Indian Hills Christian Church Fellowship Hall immediately following services.*

*Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.  
Matthew 5:4 (NIV)*





### Dad

*It's OK to leave us, we know you'd done your best. You'd worked so hard for us down here. Now it's time for you to rest. Your loved one's gone on before you, could hardly wait for you to show and though we'll miss you so greatly. It's OK for you to go.*

*The Family*

### REMEMBER ME

*Do not shed tears when I have gone but smile instead because I have lived. Do not shut your eyes and pray to God that I'll come back but open your eyes and see all that I have left behind. I know your heart will be empty because you cannot see me but still I want you to be full of the love we shared. You can turn your back on tomorrow and live only for yesterday or you can be happy for tomorrow because of what happened between us yesterday. You can remember me and grieve that I have gone or you can cherish my memory and let it live on. You can cry and lose yourself, become distraught and turn your back on the world or you can do what I want - smile, wipe away the tears, learn to love again and go on.* Author: David Harkins

### Acknowledgements

*The family of Cecil Ford wish to express to everyone, their sincere appreciation for all acts of kindness shown to them. Special Thanks to Bro. Ronald McCowan, and Bethel Baptist Church, Dr. Darrick Briscoe and First Baptist Danville, also our many friends and family. It is our prayer that God will bless each of you.*

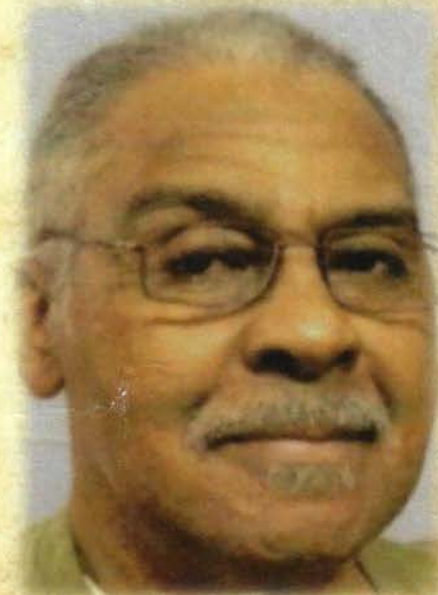
*The Family*

### FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street - Danville, Kentucky  
859-236-5261

[www.smith-jackson.com](http://www.smith-jackson.com)

## Home Going Service



**Cecil Ford**

### Funeral Service

Tuesday, June 13, 2017  
1:00 pm

### First Baptist Church

200 W. Walnut Street  
Danville, KY  
Rev. Dr. Darrick Briscoe, Pastor

### Eulogist

Rev. Ronald McCowan, Pastor  
Bethel Baptist Church  
309 Cowan St. - Danville, KY



# The Obituary

Cecil Ford, son of the late Frank and Audrey Ford, was born April 29, 1936. He departed this life on June 8, 2017 in Boyle County at Signature Nursing Home at the age of 81.

Cecil professed a Hope in Christ at an early age, and joined Pleasant union Baptist Church and later united with Bethel Baptist Church. Dad was a member of the Male Chorus that consisted of his brothers, and also sang in the church choir.

Cecil was preceded in death by his wife Nancy Wray Taylor Ford, and eleven siblings, Chester, Luther, Otis, Gerald, Walter, Lawrence, Lucille, Geraldine (twin to Gerald), Opal, Eunice and Ruby, also one grandson, Kinte Bess.

Cecil united in marriage to Nancy Wray Taylor and to this union they were blessed with seven children.

Cecil worked many years at Seller Engineer Co. and retired from Whirlpool/Matsushita after twenty-seven years.

Cecil leaves to cherish his memory, three sons, Cecil Jr. (Colina) Ford, Anthony (Willa) Ford, Kevin (Marty) Ford; four daughters, Victoria (Walter) Troxler, Vonda Ford, Shelia Walker, Elana (Keith) Bussell and four other children Kim Thrash, Claudett Garr, Wilma Parks and Brian Miller; several grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

# Order of Service

Processional ~~~~~ Soft Music  
Scripture Reading ~~~~~ Pulpit  
Prayer ~~~~~ Pulpit  
Solo ~~~~~ Sis. Shelia Walker  
Resolutions and Acknowledgements ~~~ Church Clerk  
Family Reflections  
Remembrance ~~~~~ Bro. Chester Ford  
Grandchildren ~~~~~ Sis. Shatoniah Miller  
Obituary ~~~~~ (Read Silently) ~~~~~ Soft Music  
Solo ~~~~~ Bro. Timothy Johnson  
Eulogy ~~~~~ Rev. Ronald McCowan  
Recessional ~~~~~ Soft Music

## Interment

Hilldale Cemetery - Danville, Kentucky

## Active Pallbearers

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| Chester Ford      | Keith Walker     |
| Gerald Miller     | Rodney Johnson   |
| John Eddie Kinley | Ronald Wilkinson |

## Honorary Pallbearers

|               |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Dink Bedinger | John Taylor     |
| James Johnson | Alphonso Miller |
| Steve Ford    |                 |

**HONORARY CASKET BEARERS**

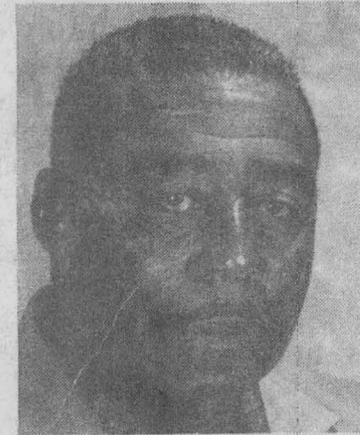
Kermit Justic  
Donald Shearer  
Obie Slater  
Paul Turner  
Leroy Stanford  
James Oliver  
Butch Carey

**ACTIVE CASKET BEARERS**

Michael Johnson  
Otis Ford, Jr.  
Lonnie Johnson  
Steve Ford  
Anthony Maurice Ford  
William Spaulding

**ARRANGEMENTS BY**  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory  
of*



**Chester Ford**  
1918 - 1988

**Thursday, December 22, 1988**  
1:00 P.M.

**First Baptist Church**  
Second & Walnut Streets  
Danville, Kentucky

**Rev. J.L. Buckner**  
**Rev. Richard Hill**  
Officiating



## OBITUARY

On Saturday, December 17, 1988, at the Veteran's Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky, God called Chester Ford from labor to reward.

Chester was born December 12, 1918 in Green County, Kentucky, to the late Audrey Mae Cowherd and John Frank Ford.

He accepted Christ at an early age and united with the Pleasant Union Baptist Church in Green County. Upon moving to Danville, Kentucky, he united with the Bethel Baptist Church, where he was a Trustee and a member of the choir.

He was united in marriage to Lucille Cowherd. He was a veteran of World War II and was employed by the Caldwell Stone Company for 33 years.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Mrs. Lucille C. Ford; four daughters, Mrs. Geraldine F. Harris of Winston-Salem, North Carolina and Mrs. Linda F. Kinley, Ms. Brenda Ford, and Mrs. Camille F. Dawson all of Danville, Kentucky; two sons, Jerry Ford of Harrodsburg, Kentucky and Thomas Ford of Danville, Kentucky; five brothers, Luther Ford, Sr., Cecil Ford, Sr., and Walter Lee Ford all of Danville, Kentucky, Otis Ford, Sr. of Turnersville, Kentucky and Jewell Ford of Dayton, Ohio; Two sisters, Mrs. Opal F. Johnson of Danville, Kentucky and Mrs. Ruby F. Smith of Lexington, Kentucky; 17 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; three aunts, Mrs. Lettie Jackson of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. Christine Robinson of Campbellsville, Kentucky and Mrs. Leona Thornton of Louisville, Kentucky; one uncle, Rev. Churchill Cowherd of Campbellsville, Kentucky; host of nieces and nephews; cousins and friends.



*After the Night, the morning  
bidding all darkness cease -  
After life's cares and sorrows  
The comfort and sweetness of peace*

*We loved you but Jesus loved you best.*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection ..... Pleasant Union Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Selection ..... Pleasant Union Choir

Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams, Letters, etc.

Obituary *Soft Music* ..... Read In Silence

Solo

Remarks ..... One Minister

Solo

Eulogy ..... Rev. J.L. Buckner

Recessional

Interment ..... Hilldale Cemetery

The family and friends will be served dinner in the lower auditorium of the Bethel Baptist Church on Cowan Street following the interment.

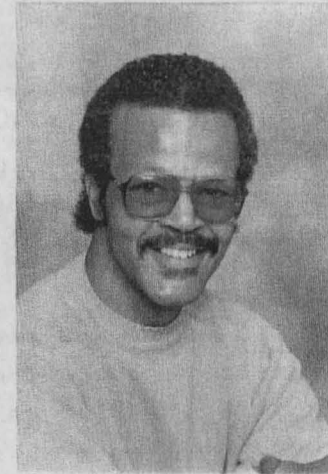
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March 14, 1945

March 12, 2001

In Loving Memory  
of



*Curtis Lee Ford*

March 30, 2001

at 11 A.M.

*In the Chapel of  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
466 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky 40422*

Michael Smith, Officiating

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*Final Arrangements Entrusted To*  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
466 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky 40422

*Interment*  
Camp Nelson National Cemetery  
Danville, Kentucky

*Acknowledgment*

The family of the late Curtis Lee Ford, wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many comforting messages, floral tributes, prayers and many other expressions of kindness and concern evidenced at this time in thought and deed.

## The Obituary

*Curtis Lee Ford* was born on March 14, 1945 in Danville, Kentucky, to the late Luther and Lillie Mae Ford.

In 1963 he graduated from Bate High School and joined the United States Airforce and became an aircraft mechanic.

After serving his country for eight years, he settled down in San Bernardino, California, with then wife, M. Jean Jordan and his two daughters, Karen and April. He worked as a store manager for the Thrifty Corporation. He frequently demonstrated his artistic talents with self-rendered drawings and clay sculptures.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his two daughters: Karen E. Small of Memphis, Tennessee and April M. West of Los Angeles, California; three grandchildren: Satin S. Small of Memphis, Tennessee, Aaron M. West Jr. of Los Angeles, California, and Serenity N. Byers of Memphis, Tennessee; four sisters: Diane Hart of Whittier, California, Larnetta Dunn of Columbus, Georgia, Anita C. Bryson of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Beverly A. Sharky of Danville, Kentucky; two brothers: G. Steve Ford of Danville, Kentucky, and Luther Ford Jr. of Whittier, California.

### *"Better Place"*

He is not with us anymore,  
Gone to a better place than life had before.  
We have laughed, we have cried  
Now it's time to say goodbye  
We'll miss you very much  
More than words can ever say,  
But we will be together again some day.

Your Loving Family

## The Order of Service

|                                                              |                               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Musical Prelude .....                                        | Rose Marshall                 |
| Scripture .....                                              | Reverend David Chenault       |
| Prayer .....                                                 | Minister                      |
| Song .....                                                   | Cassandra Alcorn              |
| Acknowledgments<br>of Cards, Telegrams and Condolences ..... |                               |
| Obituary .....                                               | Read in Silence to Soft Music |
| Remarks .....                                                | Minister, Family and Friends  |
| Song .....                                                   | Cassandra Alcorn              |
| Words of Comfort .....                                       | Reverend Davis Chenault       |
| Recessional .....                                            |                               |

### Active Pallbearers

Charles Bowen      Corey Wideman  
John Smith        Timothy D. Campbell  
Gary Drury        Ricky Dee Yett

"Life Is But A Stopping Place"

Life is but a stopping place, a pause in what's to be,

A resting place along the road, to sweet eternity.

We all have different journeys, different paths along the way,

We all were meant to learn some things, but never meant to stay...

Our destination is a place, far greater than we know.

For some the journeys quicker, for some the journey's slow.

And when the journey finally ends, we'll claim a great reward,

And find an everlasting peace, Together with the lord.

#### Acknowledgments

The family wishes to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude for the many expressions of kindness, comforting words, and prayers during our time of sorrow. Special thanks to Pastor Houston, Carrie Lasley, First Baptist Church and Smith-Jackson Funeral Home.

### Celebration of Life Service

## Emma Jean Ford



**July 5, 1940- May 4, 2017**

Thursday, May 11, 2017

Visitation: 11:00am to 12:00pm Funeral: 12:00pm

First Baptist Church

100 Clinton Street

Frankfort, KY 40601

Rev. Robert Earl Houston, Officiating

## Obituary

### Emma Jean Ford



Emma Jean Ford, 76 peacefully departed this life on May 4, 2017 and went home to be with the Lord. Emma was born July 5, 1940 in Shelby County to the late George Henry Bowen and Ruby Lee Bowen. She was preceded in death by her parents, her daughter, Audrey Davis, a brother George Bowen, and a sister, Martha Bowen.

Although a Shelbyville native, she resided in Frankfort. Emma accepted Christ at an early age. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Simpsonville. She worked in Food and Nutrition at Frankfort Regional Medical Center, as a Dietician for over 20 years. She was a member of The Jazzmon Social Club.

Emma's joyfulness, sense of humor, warmth, and love will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Emma leaves to cherish her memory one son; Walter Bowen, two brothers; Thomas (Sharon) Bowen and Charles S. Bowen, two sisters; Annie Bowen and Ruby Bowen, a sister-in-law; Betsy Bowen, all of Frankfort, KY, five grandchildren; Elisa Ford, Teresa Ford, Keesha Jones, Lashell Bowen, and James Jackson, ten great grandchildren, one great-great grandchild and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins, who will miss her too.

## Order of Service

Prayer: Rev. Robert Earl Houston

Scripture: Carmela Drury

Song: Sharon Espy "He Looked Beyond My Fault"

Obituary: (Silent Reading)

Song: Corine Welch "Precious Lord"

Eulogy: Rev. Robert Earl Houston

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Benediction: Rev. Robert Earl Houston

***Interment will follow at Sunset Memorial Garden***

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Blessed are those who mourn:  
for they shall be comforted.

Matthew 5:4

*If we could write a story it would be the greatest  
ever told, of a kind and loving father  
who had a heart of gold. If we could write a million  
pages but still be unable to say, just how much we  
love and miss him every single day.  
We will remember all he taught us,  
we hurt, but won't be sad,  
because he'll send us down the answers  
and he'll always be our Dad.*

*Love You Daddy*

*Suticia, Lawrando, "BJ", Ra'Shea and Joshua*

### **God Saw You**

God saw you were getting tired and a cure was not to be ,  
So he put his arms around you and whispered " Come to me"  
With tearful eyes we watched you suffer and saw you fade away,  
And though we loved you dearly we could not make you stay.  
A golden heart stopped beating , hard working hands  
at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He only takes the best.

Author Unknown

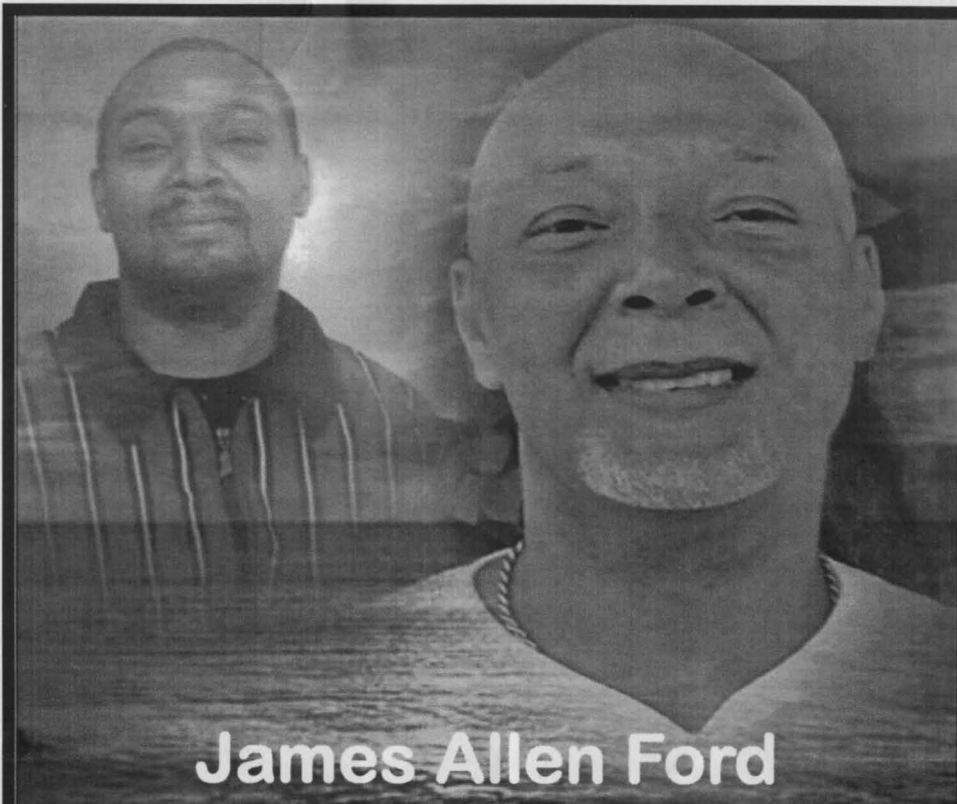
### **Acknowledgements**

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everyone for their expression of sympathy and  
acts of kindness during our time of bereavement.  
Special appreciation to Rev. Gerry K. Hearn,  
Rev. Darrick Briscoe, First Baptist Danville, our  
church families and friends. May God continue to bless  
each and everyone of you.*

*The Family*

#### **FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS ENTRUSTED TO:**

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446 Bate Street Danville, Kentucky 40422  
859-236-5261  
www. Smith-Jackson.com



**James Allen Ford**

*" The thing about being a parent is it doesn't go away,  
not with age or death, I will always be your Father.*

## **Homegoing Service**

Monday, September 29, 2014 - 1:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church  
Rev. Darrick Briscoe, Pastor

200 W. Walnut Street - Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Gerry K. Hearn, Officiating

April 16, 1958 - September 24, 2014

~ The Obituary ~

On Wednesday, September 24, 2014, James Allen Ford, 56, was called to his heavenly home with his family by his side, at Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville, Kentucky

He was the son of the late Lawrence and Mary Nancy Ford, born on April 16, 1958 in Junction City, Kentucky.

James was baptized by Rev. Jackson Caldwell at First Baptist Church of Junction City and attended Boyle County High School.

He was formerly united in marriage to Teresa Richardson and to this union, they were blessed with five children. James truly loved the Lord, loved his family dearly and enjoyed spending time with everyone. He would often just show up with a special gift or surprise them with flowers, take them lunch, letting everyone know he loved them. James had a good heart and would always make sure you were taken care of before doing for himself. He enjoyed playing Corn Hole, shooting pool and was an avid U.K fan. James was often referred to as the gentle giant.

James worked for many years at Barnes Cleaning Service and formed a bond with his fellow co-workers Heather and Rita.

He is survived by his children Suticia (Jonas) Harris, Glendale, AZ, Lawrando (Taneisha) Wilhite, James "BJ" (Desseara) Ford, II, Ra'Shea Ford, all of Danville, KY and Joshua (Kaycie) Ford, Junction City, KY; nine grandchildren, Alexis, Tye and Camireyan Wilhite, Anisa and Jonas Harris, Jr., Shaunnise, Skylor, Tulisa and Kila Ford; nine siblings, Charlotte (Robert) Caldwell, Shirley (Bobby) Hagan, both of Danville, KY, Glenna Cooper, Louisville, KY, Brenda Williams Nicholasville, KY, Lawrence Ford, Larry (Sandy) Ford, Joyce (Nathan) Collins, Stephon Ford and Mona (Spencer) Perrin, all of Danville, KY; also a host of nieces, nephews, one uncle Cecil Ford and one aunt Rosetta Ford, cousins and special friends, Crystal Stephens, Missy Taylor, Chris Simpson, Johnny Beasley and Charlie Herrington.

~ Order of Worship ~

- Musical Prelude.....
- Processional.....Soft Music
- Solo..... Bro. Marcellous Harris
- Scripture.....Clergy
- Prayer.....Clergy
- Solo.....Sis. Teresa Payne
- Resolutions / Acknowledgements.....
- Obituary..... (Read in Silence).....Soft Music
- Remarks.....Visiting Ministers
- Solo.....Sis. Victoria Troxler
- Eulogy.....Rev. Gerry K. Hearn
- Recessional.....

**Interment**

Hilldale Cemetery  
Duncan Hill Road • Danville, Kentucky

**Pallbearers**

Jonathan Taylor, Johnny Beasley, Chris Simpson  
Bobby Hagan, Keith Houston, Rodney Johnson

**Honorary Pallbearers**

Bobby Webb, Justice Stephens  
Charlie Herrington, Daine Eddy

*There will always be a heartache,  
And often a silent tear.  
But always a precious memory,  
Of the days when you were here.*

*If tears could make a staircase,  
And heartaches make a lane.  
We'd walk the path to heaven,  
And bring you home again.*

*We hold you close within our hearts,  
And there you will remain,  
To walk with us throughout our lives,  
Until we meet again.*

*Author Unknown*

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**Acknowledgement**

*We wish to acknowledge with deep appreciation  
the many expressions of love, concern, and kindness  
shown to us during this time of bereavement.  
We thank Rev. McCowan and Bethel Baptist Church,  
Rev. Short and Centennial Baptist Church, our  
church families and friends. May God bless  
each of you is our Prayer.*

*The Jerry Ford, Family*

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[www.smith-jackson.com](http://www.smith-jackson.com)

*In  
Loving  
Memory  
of*



**Jerry Ford**

**Funeral Service**

**Tuesday, April 11, 2017 - 1:00 p.m.**

**Centennial Baptist Church  
291 West Lane - Harrodsburg, Kentucky  
Rev. John D. Short III, Pastor**

**Rev. Ronald McCowan  
Officiant**

**November 6, 1946**

**April 5, 2017**



*~ The Obituary ~*

Jerry Ford, 70, was called to his eternal rest on April 5, 2017 at Ephraim McDowell Medical Center in Danville, Kentucky.

He was born November 6, 1946 in Danville, Kentucky and was the son of the late Chester and Lucille Ford. Jerry was preceded in death by a daughter Lisa Ford, a brother Thomas Ford and a sister Geraldine "Sandy" Harris.

Jerry professed his Hope in Christ at an early age and united with Bethel Baptist Church in Danville, Kentucky. His favorite gospel song was It's Gonna Rain.

He was a devoted employee of the Caldwell Stone Company, retired after 47 years. Jerry enjoyed watching U.K. basketball games and the T.V. show Judge Judy.

Jerry leaves to cherish his loving memory; wife Sederia Ford, Harrodsburg, Kentucky; a daughter, Kecha (Phillip) Burnside, Harrodsburg, Kentucky; three sisters, Camille Dawson, Linda Kinley and Brenda Ford, all of Danville, Kentucky; five grandchildren, three great grandchildren; mother-in-law, Betty Walker; four brother-in-law's, five sister-in-law's; also a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

*~ Order of Worship ~*

Musical Prelude ~~~~~ Soft Music  
Processional ~~~~~ Family  
Selection ~~~~~ It's Gonna Rain ~~~~~ Harris Brothers  
Scriptures: Old Testament & New Testament ~ Clergy  
Solo ~~~~~ Sis. Tomika Haygood  
Acknowledgements/Resolutions  
Obituary ~~~~~ (Read Silently) ~~~~~ Soft Music  
Remarks ~~~~~ Visiting Clergy  
Solo ~~~~~ Sis. Vicki Troxler  
Eulogy ~~~~~ Pastor Ronnie McCowan  
Bethel Baptist Church, Danville, KY  
Recessional ~~~~~ Soft Music

*Interment*

Maple Grove Cemetery  
Cornishville Road  
Harrodsburg, Kentucky

*Active Pallbearers*

Ben Kinley, Jr      Kurt Dawson  
Kevin Ford         Gary Micheal  
Jeffery Kinley     Chester Ford  
                         Fruncu Ford

## POEM

There are persons who shape their lives by the fear of death, and persons who shape their lives by the joy and satisfaction of life. The former live dying; the latter die living. I know that fate may stop me tomorrow, but death is an irrelevant contingency. Whenever it comes, I intend to die living.

## PALLBEARERS

Ronald Hudson  
Vaughn Hudson  
Kimberly Green  
Otis Ford  
Cecil Ford, Jr.  
Lonnie Johnson

## FLOWERBEARERS

Friends of Family

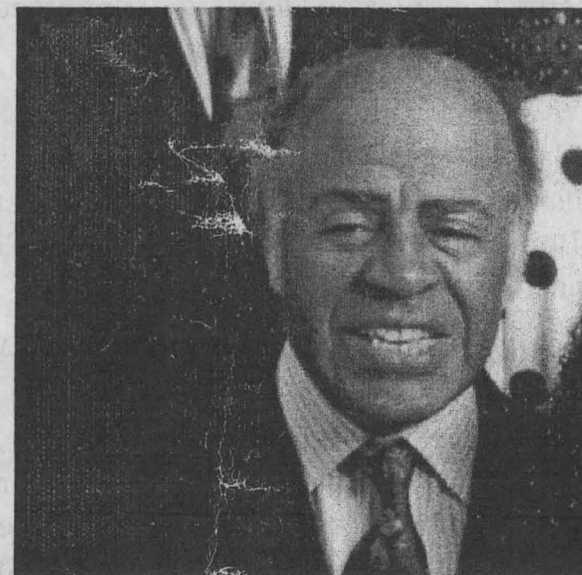
## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family of Jewell Ford wishes to thank all of the many friends for their kind thoughts, deeds, and prayers.

We ask that you continue to pray for us and may God bless each of you and keep all of you in his care.

Arrangements entrusted to  
**House of Wheat Funeral Home, Inc.**

## *Homegoing Celebration* *For* *Jewell "Gerald" Ford*



Sunrise  
September 13, 1927

Sunset  
January 18, 2003

*Funeral Service*  
Thursday, January 23, 2003  
1:00 P.M.

**Pleasant Green Missionary Baptist Church**  
5301 Olive Road  
Trotwood, Ohio 45429

**Rev. Hence Coats, Pastor**  
**Officiating**

## Obituary

The Lord looked down Saturday at his child Jewell and decided to call him home to glory, where he could get some rest. He said, "You've laboured faithfully and you've borne your burdens long; now your weeping days are over, it's time to come on Home".

**Jewell "Gerald" Ford** age 75 of Dayton, Ohio passed away Saturday, January 18, 2003 at Liberty Retirement Center. Born September 13, 1927 in Greene County, KY, and a resident of Dayton for 45 years.

Preceded in death by parents, John Frank and Audrey Mae Ford, sisters (twin) Geraldine, Eunice, Lucille, Ruby; three brothers, Chester, Luther, Lawrence. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife Martha of 46 years; sons, Gerald (Teresa) Ford of Atlanta, GA, Scott (Jacqueline) Ford of Stafford, VA, Reginald (Iris) Ford of Stafford, VA; daughters, Janice (Woody) McElvaney of Louisville, KY, Cathy Ford, Karen Williams, Jacqueline (Norman) Curry, Mechell Ford, all of Dayton, OH; 18 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren; three brothers, Otis Ford, Cecil Ford, Walter Ford all of Danville, KY; one sister Opal (James) Johnson of Danville, KY; nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends. Special friends, Paul & Annie Ross, Mary Miller and godson Kamre Miller. Special thank you to the Alzheimer staff of Liberty Retirement Center.

## Order of Service

|                                |                         |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| PROCESSIONAL                   | Family and Friends      |
| SELECTION                      | Choir                   |
| SCRIPTURE                      |                         |
| Old Testament                  | Minister                |
| New Testament                  | Minister                |
| PRAYER                         | Pulpit                  |
| READING OF OBITUARY            | Read Silently           |
| SELECTION                      | Choir                   |
| RESOLUTIONS & ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS |                         |
| SOLO                           | Sis. Katie White        |
| EULOGY                         | Pastor Hence Coats      |
| RECESSIONAL                    | Clergy, Family, Friends |

## INTERMENT

West Memory Gardens Cemetery

**ACTIVE CASKETBEARERS**

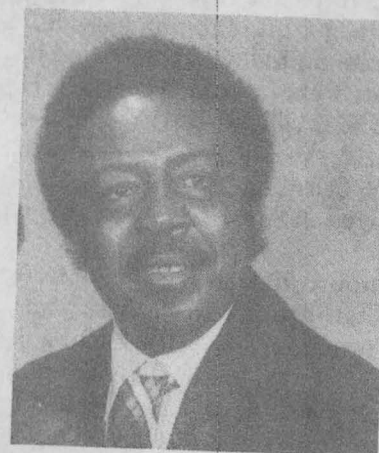
John Bartleston  
Freddie Moody  
James Daugherty  
James Houston II  
George Lee Coulter  
Ernest Young

**HONORARY CASKETBEARERS**

Alvin Garr  
Charles Coulter  
Homer Bartleston  
John Walker  
Alonzo McGuire  
Edd Coulter  
Joe Coulter

Arrangements by  
**Smith-Jackson Funeral Home**  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory  
of*



**Lawrence Ford**  
**1924 - 1982**

First Baptist Church  
Second and Walnut Streets  
Danville, Kentucky

Thursday, July 1, 1982  
1:00 P.M.

Rev. James L. Buckner  
Officiating

## OBITUARY

On Saturday, June 26, 1982, at 8:35 p.m. at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Lexington, Kentucky, after a brief illness, God called Lawrence Ford from Labor to Reward.

Lawrence was born August 4, 1924 in Green County, Kentucky to Audrey Ford and the late Frank Ford.

He professed a hope in Christ at an early age and united with the Pleasant Union Baptist Church, Campbellsville, Kentucky. Later after moving to Danville, he united with the Bethel Baptist Church, where he sang in the church choir until his death. He also sang with the Spiritual Chorus of Danville.

He was a World War II Veteran and a member of Post 238, American Legion of Danville.

He was employed at Ideal Cleaners and the Danville Country Club.

He leaves to mourn his passing his wife, Mary Nancy Ford; six daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Caldwell, Ms. Mona Lisa Ford, and Ms. Brenda Ford, all of Junction City, Mrs. Glenna Faulkner, Mrs. Shirley Hagan, and Ms. Joyce Ford, all of Danville; four sons, Lawrence Jr., James, and Stephen Ford, all of Danville and Larry Ford, stationed with the U.S. Army in Germany; his mother, Mrs. Audrey Ford; 16 grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Opal Johnson and Mrs. Lucille Buckner, both of Danville and Mrs. Ruby Smith of Lexington; six brothers, Chester, Cecil, Luther, Otis, and Walter Ford, all of Danville, and Gerald Ford of Dayton, Ohio; three aunts, Mrs. Lettie Jackson of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. Leona Thornton of Louisville, Kentucky, and Mrs. Christine Robinson of Campbellsville, Kentucky; two uncles, Rev. Churchill Cowherd of Campbellsville, Kentucky and Alvin Cowherd of Louisville, Kentucky; and lots of nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends.

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want,  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;  
He leadeth me beside the still waters,  
He restored my soul;  
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil; for thou art with me;  
Thou rod and thy staff they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies;  
Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life;  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

The Family

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Solo

Scripture

Prayer

Solo

Acknowledgements of Cards, Telegrams, Letters, etc.

Obituary (Read in Silence) ..... Soft Music

Remarks (2 minutes) ..... Visiting Ministers

Eulogy ..... Rev. James L. Buckner

Viewing of Remains

Benediction

Recessional



The family will be served in the lower auditorium after interment at Hilldale Cemetery in Danville, Kentucky.

## Casket Bearers

|                |               |
|----------------|---------------|
| Dwayne Beasley | Ellis Dunn II |
| Ronnie Beasley | Lamont Ford   |
| Eric Bryson    | Kevin Sharkey |

## Honorary Casket Bearers

|                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------|
| George Beasley  | Darnell Turner |
| Johnnie Beasley | Jeffery Turner |
| Chris Turner    | Kelly Sharkey  |

## Acknowledgment

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Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

## Home Going Celebration

*of*

## LILLIE MAE FORD

1924-1997



## Funeral Service

12:00 Noon

Thursday August 7, 1997

Bethel Baptist Church  
Danville, KY

Rev. James L. Buckner  
Pastor

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Song.....Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Solo

Acknowledgments & Resolutions

Obituary.....(Soft Music).....Reading Silently

Solo

Eulogy.....Rev. J. L. Buckner

Remarks

Recessional

### Interment

Camp Nelson National Cemetery  
Nicholasville, Kentucky

## OBITUARY

On the evening of August 2, 1997, God called one of his faithful servant home. **Lillie Mae Ford** departed this world after a long illness. She is now at peace. She will struggle no more.

Born on April 14, 1924 in Indianapolis, Indiana, Lillie Mae was the second of six children to the late George and Sussie Turner. She was preceded in death by two siblings: Jeanette Lee Beacon and James Alex Turner.

She accepted Christ at an early age and was an outstanding member and officer of Bethel Baptist Church in Danville, Kentucky.

She was united in marriage to the late Luther Ford on September 25, 1943 in Danville. To this union seven children were born, three sons; Curtis and Luther, Jr. of California, Steve of Danville, KY; four daughters, Diane Hart of Santa Fe Springs, CA, Anita Bryson of Cincinnati, OH, Larnetta Dunn of Columbus, GA. and Beverly Sharkey of Danville, KY.

Among the many others left to cherish her memory, two sisters, Emma Wade and Carolyn Beasley, one brother Paul Turner all of Danville, KY; one aunt Winnie White of Lexington, KY; Twenty-two grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

*No more struggle,  
No more pain,  
Mother left quietly,  
....until we meet again.*

**THE FAMILY**

## ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Eric Baldwin  
Kenny Stevens  
Chris Ford  
Eric Walker  
Curt Dawson  
Frunsa Ford

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

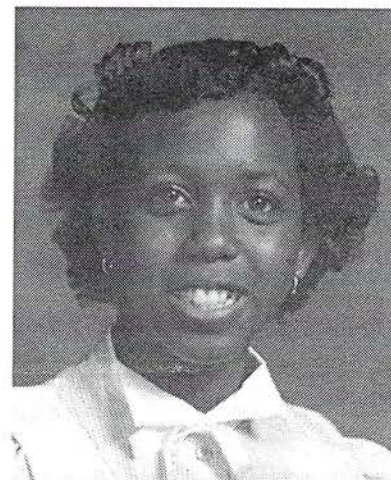
The family wishes to acknowledge with great appreciation all acts of kindness shown to them during the sudden death of their loved one. May God keep you in his care.

### **Psalms 23**

The Lord Is My Shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures, he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul' he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name sake. Yea, through I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; they rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointtest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

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446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

## In Loving Memory of *Lisa Carol Ford*



Funeral Service  
1:00 P.M.

Saturday, August 28, 1999  
First Baptist Church  
200 West Walnut Street  
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. James L. Buckner  
Rev. Richard Hill



## OBITUARY

Our Eternal Father who doeth all things well, called home

### LISA CAROL FORD

On Tuesday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, 1999 at 6:45 p.m. God picked one of his flowers from his garden. She was born on February 13, 1971 to Jerry and Sederia Ford. Her grandparent's Chester and Lucille Ford and uncle Thomas Ford precede her in death.

She accepted Christ at an early age and united with Bethel Baptist Church in Danville, Kentucky. She attended Harrodsburg High School.

Lisa was a loving mother, daughter, and niece. She was employed at Arby's in Harrodsburg, Kentucky.

She leaves to cherish her memory two sons Andrew Thomas Ford Stevens and Adrian Scott Ford Stevens; her parents Jerry and Sederia Ford; a sister Kecha Baldwin; grandmother Betty Walker, all of Harrodsburg, KY; eight aunts Carolyn Vandiver and Jessica A. Lyons, Cincinnati, OH, Anita Thurman, Cecilia Muhammad, Harrodsburg, KY Linda Kinley, Camille Dawson, Brenda Ford, all of Danville, KY and Geraldine "Sandy" Harris, North Caroline; one uncle Leon Vandyke, Harrodsburg, KY; a host of other relatives and friends.

*The call was sudden, the shock severe.  
Little was knew such grief was near  
Only those who have lost can tell  
The pain of parting without farewell.  
It broke our hearts to lose you.  
But you did not go alone  
For part of us went with you  
The day God called you home.  
You are not forgotten loved one  
Nor will you ever be,  
As long as life and memory last  
We will remember thee.*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional.....Near The Cross  
Solo.....Sis. Vivian Troxler  
Scripture.....Pulpit  
Prayer.....Pulpit  
Solo.....Bro. Ben Kinley  
Acknowledgments of Card, Telegrams, Letters, Etc.....  
Resolution.....  
Obituary.....(Read Silently).....Soft Music  
Remarks.....(2 minutes please).....Visiting Ministers  
Solo.....Bro. Leonard Bell  
Eulogy.....Rev. James L. Buckner  
Recessional



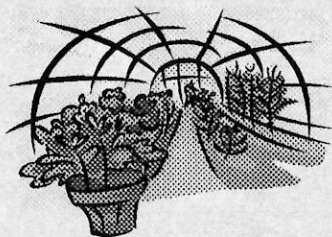
**INTERMENT**  
Maple Grove Cemetery  
Harrodsburg, Kentucky

*May you find consolation and the  
grace to understand remembering  
that your love one found  
The peace that God has planned.*

*Then may there be encouragement  
and greater to, In knowing God is always  
Near to help and care for you.*

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

*The family of Sis. Louise Ford, wish to thank  
everyone for all expressions of kindness, shown  
to them during their bereavement.*



**Arrangements Entrusted To**  
*Smith - Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky*

**IN LOVING MEMORY**  
of  
**Louise P. Leavell Ford**  
1928 - 2003



**Funeral Service**  
*Friday, May 30, 2003  
12:00 Noon*

*Hilldale Cemetery  
Duncan Hill Rd.  
Danville, Kentucky*

*Captain Paul Gilliam  
Officiating*

~ THE OBITUARY ~

*In the garden of the Master, all is joy endless  
And peace, for her love we will always  
Cherish, and her joy shall never cease.*

**Louise P. Leavell Ford**, was born August 14, 1928 and was the second of seven children born to the union of the late Tom and Ethel Leavell.

She accepted Christ at an early age and united with Stony Point Baptist Church, under the pastoral of the late Rev. William Covington.

She was united in marriage to the late Champion Ford, to this marriage a son was born, Melvin Ford.

She departed this life on May 27, 2003 at Charleston Health Care Center. She was preceded in death by a infant daughter Doris Jean, two sisters Ramona Richards, and Scottie Wilkerson, two brothers William Leavell and Clinton Leavell.

She leaves to cherish her loving memory a son Melvin (Carlene) Ford, Two sisters Georgia Leavell and Sophronia Reese; and a host of nieces and nephews, relatives and friends



~ORDER OF WORSHIP ~

Processional

Scripture.....Captain Paul Gilliam

Prayer.....Captain Paul Gilliam

Selection.....Near The Cross

Acknowledgements of Cards, Letters, Telegrams, etc...

Resolutions.....

Selection.....Understand It Better By & By

Obituary.....Read In Silence

Solo.....Michael Hughes

Words of Comfort.....Captain Gilliam

Benediction

**INTERMENT**

Hilldale Cemetery  
Danville, Kentucky

**ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

|                 |               |
|-----------------|---------------|
| James Daugherty | Willie Allen  |
| Raymond Houston | June Christy  |
| Michael Hughes  | Michael Smith |

*When I come to the end of the road  
And the sun has set for me.  
I want no rites in a gloom filled room  
Why cry for a soul set free?*

*Miss me a little - But not too long  
And not with your head bowed down.  
Remember the love that we once shared  
Miss me - But let me go.*

*For this a journey that we all must take  
And all must go alone.  
It's all a part of the Master's plan  
A step on the road to home.*

*When you are lonely and sick at heart  
Go to the hills we know.  
And bury you sorrows among the trees  
For I am free.  
Miss me - But let me go.*

The Family

**Honorary Casket Bearers**  
Grandsons

**Active Casket-Bearers**  
William Sanders  
Charles Sanders  
John Cowherd  
Oiiis Ford Jr.  
James E Johnson Jr.  
Maurice Ford

A Smith-Jackson Funeral Service  
Danville, Kentucky

**In Loving Memory**  
of



**Lucille Cowherd Ford**  
June 19, 1925--March 23, 1999

Services

Saturday, March 27, 1999

1:00 P.M.

**First Baptist Church**  
Second and Walnut Street  
Danville, Kentucky

**Rev. J. L. Buckner**  
**Rev. Richard Hill**  
Officiating

## Order of Service

Processional

Selection.....Sis. Bernetta Hendrickson

Scripture.....(John 14 Chapter).....Rev. Robinson

Prayer.....Rev. Calhoun

Solo...Leave It In The Hands Of The Lord ..Bro. Ben Kinley

Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams, Letters, Etc.

Resolutions

Obituary.....(Soft Music).....Read In Silence

Solo.....Sis. Bernetta Hendrickson

Remarks.....Ministers

Solo.....I Won't Complain).....Bro. Leonard Bell

Words of Comfort.....Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional

Interment.....Hilldale Cemetery

*The family and friends will be served dinner at  
Bethel Baptist Church on Cowan Street. after  
the interment.*

## Obituary

After a lingering illness, on March 23, 1999 at the Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center, God in his infinite wisdom called Lucille Cowherd Ford from labor to reward.

Lucille was born June 19, 1925 in Lebanon, Kentucky, to the late George Washington and Gertrude Hayden Cowherd. Eight brothers and two sisters preceded her in death. She grew up in Lebanon and attended the public schools there.

Lucille was united in marriage in 1943 to the late Chester Ford and to that union eight children were born, three are deceased. She accepted Christ at an early age and united with the St. James A.M.E. Church in Lebanon, and upon moving to Daville she united with the Bethel Baptist Church. Lucille was a good mother and a devoted grandmother always there for everyone. She also did domestic work and was at one time employed at the Danville Laundry.

She leaves to cherish her memory a son, Jerry (Saderia) Ford of Harrodsburg; four daughters, Geraldine (Larry) Harris, Winston-Salem, N.C., Linda (Ben) Kinley and Brenda Ford, and Camille (Gary) Dawson of Danville, Ky; three sisters, Annie Young of Bardstown, Ky, Lorene Calhoun and Edna Cowherd of Lebanon; seventeen grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; one aunt, Winnie Robinson of Lebanon; four brothers-in-law, Cecil Ford and Walter Ford of Danville, Otis Ford of Turnersville, and Gerald (Martha) Ford of Dayton, Oh; and two sisters-in-law, Opal (James) Johnson and Ruby (Bill) Smith; nieces and nephews; a host of cousins and friends.

## CASKET BEARERS

### ACTIVE

Chris Turner  
Ronnie Beasley  
Otis Ford  
Jerry Ford  
Lonnie Johnson  
Dennis Jones

## HONORARY CASKET BEARERS

Larry Ford  
Michael Johnson  
Thomas Ford  
Cecil Ford, Jr.  
Kevin Ford  
Maurice Ford

The family gratefully acknowledges all expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness extended to them during this time of bereavement.

Arrangements by  
SMITH-JACKSON FUNERAL HOME

## *Service of Tribute To The Memory of Luther Ford, Sr. 1919 - 1990*



Thursday, September 20, 1990  
Bethel Baptist Church  
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. J.L. Buckner, Pastor

Rev. David Chenault  
Officiating

## OBITUARY

On the morning of September 16, 1990 the death angel came for our faithful and devoted husband and father.

Luther was born on December 9, 1919 in Green County, Ky. He was one of sixteen children born to the late Frank and Audrey Ford.

He was united in marriage to Lillie Mae Turner in 1943. To this union, seven children were born. He was a devoted husband and father.

Until his physical strength weakened he was gainfully employed by Danville Country Club for many years.

He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church. He was a active choir member. He served in the United States Air Force.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Lillie Mae, three sons, Curtis of Marco, Calif.; Steve and Luther, Jr. of Danville, Ky.; four daughters, Diane Hart of Sante Fe Springs, Calif.; Anita Bryson of Cinn., Ohio; Larnetta Dunn of Columbus, Ga.; and Beverly Sharkey of Danville, Ky. Two sisters, Opal Johnson of Danville, Ky. and Ruby Smith of Lexington, Ky. Four brothers, Otis of Hustonville, Ky., Cecil and Walter Lee of Danville, Ky. Seventeen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. One uncle, Rev. Churchill Cowherd of Campbellsville, Ky., one aunt Lettie Jackson of Indianapolis, Ind. and a host of relatives and friends.

*He did not weep,  
He did not mourn, nor cry.  
He only laid and closed his eyes  
And could not say good-bye  
The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

- Processional (all stand) ..... Family
- Song ..... Choir
- Scripture
- Prayer ..... Rev. Richard Hill
- Solo ..... Ben Kinley
- Acknowledgements & Resolutions
- Obituary (soft music) ..... Read Silently
- Solo ..... V. Hendrickson
- Eulogy ..... Rev. J.L. Buckner
- Remarks
- Recessional ..... Family
- Interment ..... Camp Nelson National Cemetery

## *Pall Bearers*

Ricky Alstork  
Timothy Johnson  
Steven Johnson

Michael Houston  
Michael Johnson  
Jeff Vann

## *Flowerbearers*

*Friends of Family*

### *I'm Free*

*"Don't Grieve for me for now I'm free.  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took his hand when I heard him call,  
I turned my back and left it all,  
I could not stay another day,  
to laugh to love, to work or play.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
ah yes, these things I too will miss."*

## *Acknowledgment*

*Our family wishes to thank you for the many loving kindness shown during our bereavement. Your thoughtfulness is deeply appreciated and will not be forgotten*

*The Ford Family*



### **Arrangements Entrusted to:**

**Thomas Funeral Home, Inc.**  
4520 Salem Avenue  
Trotwood, Ohio 45416-1710  
(937) 274-8777

## *Homegoing Celebration Of*

*Mrs. Martha Deloris Ford*

**Sunrise**  
June 27, 1937

**Sunset**  
July 28, 2007



### *Funeral Service*

11:00 a.m.  
Wednesday, August 1, 2007

*Valley Peace Missionary Baptist Church*  
4201 West Hillcrest Avenue  
Dayton, Ohio 45406

*Pastor Jackie Robinson, Officiating*



## Obituary

The Lord looked down Saturday at His child Martha and decided to call her home to glory where she could get some rest. He said "You've laboured faithfully and you've borne your burdens long; now your weeping days are over, it's time to come on home."

**Mrs. Martha Deloris Ford**, age 70, of Dayton departed this life on Saturday, July 28, 2007 at Good Samaritan Hospital.

A native of Perryville, KY and a Dayton resident for 50 years. She was a member of Valley Peace Missionary Baptist Church. She is preceded in death by her husband, Jewell (Gerald) Ford. She leaves to cherish her memory; sons, Gerald (Teresa) Ford of Atlanta, Georgia, Scotty (Jacqueline) Ford and Reginald Ford, all of Stafford, Virginia; daughters, Cathy Ford, Karen Williams, Jacqueline (Norman) Curry and Mechell Ford, all of Dayton, Ohio; special granddaughter, Erica Ford; (15) grandchildren; (7) great grandchildren; (1) brother, William Acey Mundy of Hendersonville, Tennessee; (3) sisters, Bettye Napier, Arnetta Mays of Harrisburg, Kentucky and Wanda Mundy of Tampa, Florida; aunt, Lula F. Young, Dayton, Ohio; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends including special friends, Mary Miller and godson, Kamre Miller; Rose Burns, Paul and Annie Ross.

### *Time to Fly Away*

*To soar and float, and flutter  
A gentle bird I'd be  
To grace the clouded mountains  
Or fly oer the salted sea*

*No more tied to substance  
That makes up whom we are  
It's but little bits of nature  
That can fit within a jar.*

*I am now more than all of this  
I've found a new resolve  
To seek the boundless universe  
And it's mysteries to solve.*

*Wish me a well journey  
For it's time to fly away  
I'm off to see the universe  
Until we meet again some day.*

## Order of Service

- Final Viewing.....
- Solo.....Ricky Alstork  
"I Don't Know About Tomorrow"
- Scriptures.....Pulpit
- Prayer.....Pulpit
- Obituary.....Read Silently
- Selection.....Timothy Johnson
- Resolutions and Acknowledgements
- Solo.....Stephon Napier
- Eulogy.....Pastor Jackie Robinson
- Recessional.....Ministers, Family and Friends

## Interment

West Memory Gardens Cemetery  
Moraine, Ohio

PALLBEARERS

John M. Clark, Jr.  
Lonnie Johnson  
Jerry Ford  
Franca Sheppard  
Earl Clinkscales  
Rev. Bobby Gaddie



*The*  
TWENTY-THIRD  
PSALM

*THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD; I SHALL NOT WANT.  
HE MAKETH ME TO LIE DOWN IN GREEN PASTURES;  
HE LEADETH ME BESIDE THE STILL WATERS.  
HE RESTORETH MY SOUL: HE LEADETH ME IN THE  
PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE..  
YEA, THOUGH I WALK THROUGH THE VALLEY OF  
THE SHADOW OF DEATH, I WILL FEAR NO EVIL:  
FOR THOU ART WITH ME; THY ROD AND THY STAFF  
THEY COMFORT ME. THOU PREPAREST A TABLE  
BEFORE ME IN THE PRESENCE OF MINE ENEMIES:  
THOU ANOINTEST MY HEAD WITH OIL; MY CUP  
RUNNETH OVER.. SURELY GOODNESS AND  
MERCY SHALL FOLLOW ME ALL THE DAYS  
OF MY LIFE: AND I WILL DWELL IN THE  
HOUSE OF THE LORD FOR EVER.....*



# Obesquies



**Mrs. Nancy Wray Ford**

**1935 - 1975**

**NOVEMBER 13, 1975**

**1:00 P.M.**

**First Baptist Church  
Second & Walnut**

**Rev. Richard Hill, Pastor**

## OBITUARY

Sunday afternoon, November 9, 1975, around 12:00 p.m., God saw fit to call home one of his servants, Mrs. Nancy Wray Taylor Ford at Ephraim McDowell Memorial Hospital.

She was born February 11, 1935 in Campbellsville, Kentucky to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Taylor.

She professed hope in Christ at an early age and joined First Baptist Church, Campbellsville, Kentucky under Reverend L. B. Jenkins, where she was an active member. She later joined First Baptist Church, Danville, Kentucky under the pastorate of Reverend Richard Hill. She was an active member of the Glee Club.

On April 27, 1957, she was married to Mr. Cecil Ford. To this union seven children were born.

She leaves to mourn her passing, her husband, Cecil Ford and seven children: Victoria, Vonda, Elana, Sheila, Cecil Jr., Anthony and Kevin all at home.

Two sisters, Mrs. Ramona Shephard of Chicago, Illinois, Mrs. Kay Whitaker of Kansas City, Kansas. Two brothers, Joe Milton Taylor, Chicago, Illinois and James Melvin Taylor of Campbellsville, Kentucky. One half brother, Virgil Edd Taylor. One aunt of Campbellsville, Kentucky. One great aunt of Indianapolis, Indiana. She leaves a host of nieces and nephews and other relatives and friends to mourn her passing.



*Sleep on, beloved, Sleep and take thy rest,  
Lay down thy head upon thy Savior's breast,  
We love thee well, but Jesus loves thee best.*

*Calm is thy slumber as an infant's sleep  
But thou should wake no more to toil and weep  
Thine is a perfect rest. Secure and deep  
Until we meet again before His throne,  
Clothed in the spotless robe, He gives His own,  
Until we know even as we are known.*

THE FAMILY

## ORDER OF SERVICE

|                                                   |                                     |
|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Processional . . . . .                            | Last Mile of the Way                |
| Song . . . . .                                    | Near to the Heart of God, Glee Club |
| Scripture . . . . .                               | Rev. Gregory Smith                  |
| Prayer . . . . .                                  | Rev. Thomas Kennedy                 |
| Song . . . . .                                    | Have Thine Own Way Lord, Glee Club  |
| Acknowledgement of cards, Telegram, Letters, etc. |                                     |
| Obituary . . . . .                                | Read Silently                       |
| Song . . . . .                                    | Even Me, Glee Club                  |
| Remarks                                           |                                     |
| Solo . . . . .                                    | Mrs. Bernice Kennedy                |
| Eulogy                                            |                                     |
| Viewing of Remains                                |                                     |
| Recessional . . . . .                             | Last Mile of the Way                |

**CASKET BEARERS**

Jerry Ford  
Larry Harris  
Ben Kinley  
Gary Dawson  
Dennis Jones  
Joe Troxler

**Interment  
Hilldale Cemetery**

**ARRANGEMENTS BY  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky**

*In Loving Memory  
of*



**Mrs. Odra (Audrey) Mae Ford  
1900 - 1987**

**Friday, June 5, 1987  
1:00 P.M.**

**First Baptist Church  
Second and Walnut Streets  
Danville, Kentucky**

**Officiating  
Rev. J.L. Buckner**

## OBITUARY

On May 31, 1987 at the Garrard County Extended Care Home in Lancaster, Ky. God decided to pick a rose from his garden so he called Odra (Audrey) Mae Cowherd Ford from labor to reward.

Mrs. Ford was born February 8, 1900 in Green County, Kentucky to Isiah Cowherd and Janie Skaggs Cowherd.

She attended the public school in Green County. She was united in marriage to the late John Frank Ford and to that union 16 children were born, seven preceded her in death.

She accepted Christ at an early age and united with the Mt. Union Baptist Church of Green County and upon moving to Danville she united with the Bethel Baptist Church, where she served faithfully until her health began to fail.

Since 1981 she resided with her daughter and son-in-law, Opal & James Johnson.

She leaves to cherish her memory 6 sons, Chester, Luther, Cecil, and Walter Ford, all of Danville, Otis Ford of Turnersville, Kentucky, and Jewell Ford of Dayton, Ohio; three daughters, Mrs. Lucille Buckner and Mrs. Opal Johnson of Danville and Mrs. Ruby Smith of Lexington; a brother, Rev. Churchill Cowherd of Campbellsville, Ky.; a sister, Mrs. Lettie Jackson of Indianapolis, Indiana; 68 grandchildren; 116 great-grandchildren; a great-great grandchild; nieces and nephews; and a host of cousins and friends.

*So she sleeps in God's beautiful garden  
In the sunshine of perfect peace.*

*We loved your Mother dearly,  
But God loved you best.*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional..... Soon-A-Will-Be Done

Selection *Near The Cross* ..... Pleasant Union Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Selection *Precious Lord* ..... Pleasant Union Choir

Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams,  
Letters, etc. .... Marzie Durr

Obituary *Soft Music*..... Read Silently

Solo *Save A Seat For Me* ..... Mrs. Alberta Rump

Remarks..... Ministers

Eulogy..... Rev. J.L. Buckner

Recessional..... Footprints of Jesus



The family and friends will be served in the lower auditorium of the church following the interment.

# *Home Going Celebration*

## *Otis Ford*



*Sunrise*  
*August 8, 1921*  
*Green County*

*Sunset*  
*April 14, 2006*  
*Boyle County*

### **Funeral Service**

Wednesday, April 19, 2006

First Baptist Church

200 W. Walnut Street

Danville, Kentucky

Rev. Ronald P. McCowan, Interim Pastor

Rev. O.B. Ford, Officiating

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“Jesus said unto him, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he was dead, yet shall he live; And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.” (John 11:25-26 KJV)

### *When I Must Leave You*

*When I must leave you for a little while,  
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears,  
And hug your sorrow to you through the years,  
But start out bravely with a gallant smile;  
And for my sake and in my name  
Live on and do all things the same.  
Feed not your loneliness on empty days,  
But fill each walking hour in useful ways.  
Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer  
And I in turn will comfort you and hold you near;  
And never, never be afraid to die,  
For I am waiting for you in the Sky!*

*Helen Steiner Rice*



### *Memories of My Dad*

*Dad,*

*Even thou I didn't have you in my life during my growing up years. God has a way of giving individuals spiritual directions in our lives, and because of that, we were able to rekindle our relationship toward one another. I've always loved you and you me. We were able to express that thru our conversations, singing old gospel songs and just being there for one another. I will surely miss you!*

*Your daughter  
Yvonne*



## Home Going Celebration

### *"The Life of Otis Ford"*

Otis "Slim" Ford, age 84, of Danville, Kentucky, went to meet his master on Friday, April 14, 2006 at Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville, Kentucky.

He was born Aug. 8, 1921, in Green County, and was the son of the late Frank and Audrey Ford. He is preceded in death by nine siblings Geraldine Ford Young, Lucille Ford Buckner, Eunice Ford Clark, Ruby Mae Ford Smith, Chester Ford, Luther Ford, Lawrence Ford, Gerald Ford and Walter Lee Ford.

Otis professed his Hope in Christ at Pleasant Union Baptist Church and later united with First Baptist Danville, under Rev. P.A. Carter, and was a member of the Male Chorus and also was a member of the former Spiritual Community Male Chorus. Otis's favorite song was "Never Grow Old". He served in the United States Army during World War II.

He was formerly united in marriage to Rosetta Faulkner Ford and to this union they were blessed with four children.

Otis was supervisor of Cemeteries in Danville, serving as sexton of Bellevue and Hilldale cemeteries retiring after 36 years of service. His pastime hobby was to restore automobile.

He leaves to cherish his memories; three sons, Gary Ford and Otis (Ideana) Ford, both of Danville, KY and Charles (Kathy) Ford of Slidell, LA.; one daughter Yvonne(Tyrone) Leavell, Danville, KY; his former wife and friend, Rosetta Faulkner Ford; a brother, Cecil Ford of Danville, KY; a sister, Opal (James E.) Johnson of Danville, KY; and twenty-three grandchildren; sixty-two great great grandchildren; one brother-in-law, Archie McCowan, Danville, KY; two sisters-in-law, Sylvia B. Kennedy, Lexington, KY and Martha Ford, Dayton, OH; an a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.



# Order of Service

|                                                            |                                                |
|------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Musical Prelude.....                                       | Soft Music                                     |
| Processional Hymn.....                                     | Soft Music                                     |
| Solo.....                                                  | Sis. Victoria Troxiler                         |
| Prayer.....                                                | Clergy                                         |
| Scripture.....Old Testament.....Psalms 23.....             | Clergy                                         |
| Scripture.....New Testament.....John 14:1-6.....           | Clergy                                         |
| Solo.....                                                  | Rev. Ronald P. McCowan                         |
| Resolutions, Acknowledgements of Cards, Letters , etc..... |                                                |
| Reading of Celebration of Life.....                        | Read Silently                                  |
| Solo.....                                                  | Sis. Cassandra Alcorn                          |
| Remarks.....(2 minutes please).....                        | Visiting Ministers                             |
| Solo.....                                                  | Sis. Sherine McCowan                           |
| Words of Comfort.....                                      | Rev. O.B. Ford                                 |
| Recessional.....                                           | <i>Instrumental</i> ..... Last Mile of the Way |

## **INTERMENT**

*Hilldale Cemetery • Danville, Kentucky*

### **Active Pallbearers**

Douglas Ford  
Reuben Wilkins

Craig Ford  
Charles B. Ford, Jr.

Gary Ford  
Gary Prewitt

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Marcus Hawkins  
Jordon Rothwell

Brandon Gooch  
Derrick Ford

Maurice Ford

### **Special Thanks**

*The family would like to extend it special thanks to the following people that impacted Otis life: Dr. Raitiere, Dr. Muhammad, Danville Centre for Health and Rehabilitation, Rev. Ronald P. McCowan.*

*To everyone that has shown love toward our father, we apologize that we are unable to list you by name. Our family gratefully acknowledges the many kind and beautiful expressions of sympathy and love shown during our time of bereavement. Please continue to fight the good fight of faith as our beloved father always continued to do.*

## For Those I Love and Those Who Love Me

### Death Begins with Birth

When I am gone, release me let me go.  
I have so many things to say and do.  
You must not tie yourself to me with tears,  
Be happy that we had so many beautiful years.

### Life Begins with Death

I gave to you my love - you can only guess  
how much you gave to me in happiness.  
I thank you for the love you have shown,  
but now it's time I traveled on alone.

### Glorious Fulfillment

So grieve for me awhile if grieve you must,  
then let your grief be confronted by trust.  
It's only for awhile that we must part,  
so bless the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away, for life goes on.  
So if you need me, call and I will come -  
though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near  
and if you listen with your heart, you'll hear  
all my love around you soft and clear.

And then when you must come this way alone,  
I'll greet you with a smile and say -

"Welcome Home"



IN LOVING  
MEMORY OF



Rosetta Faulkner Ford

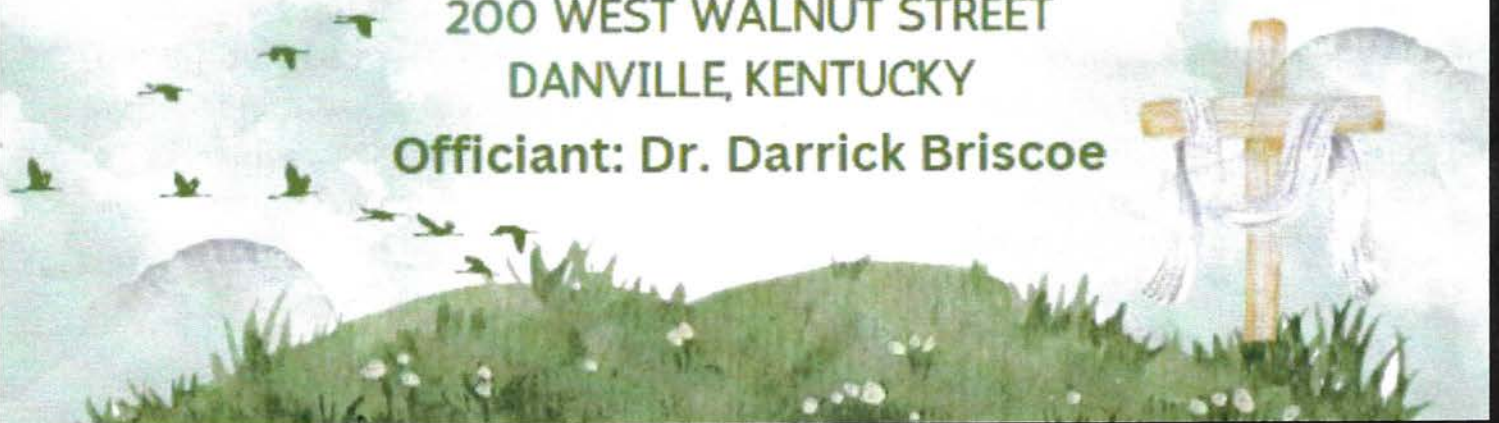
6 JULY 1926 - 19 AUGUST 2024

Funeral Ceremony

26 AUGUST, 2024 1:00 PM

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
200 WEST WALNUT STREET  
DANVILLE, KENTUCKY

Officiant: Dr. Darrick Briscoe



# Her life Story

Rosetta was born July 6, 1926 in Danville, Kentucky to Walter Z. Faulkner and Georgia B. Helm Faulkner. She made her transition from this earthly life to her heavenly home on Monday, August 19, 2024, surrounded by her family.

She is preceded in death by her parents, two sisters, Sylvia Bernice Kennedy and Georgia Gillette McCowan.

Rosetta was educated in the Bate School System where she participated in several of the school activities. She acknowledged Christ as her Lord and Savior and united at an early age with First Baptist Church Danville, KY. Rosetta, was currently the oldest living member of First Baptist Church, member of the Glee Club and several organizations of the Church. She was honored to be selected "Queen" for the 2024 Soul of Second Street Celebration. Rosetta was an original member of the Voguetts, one of the oldest black social clubs in Danville.

She loved calling, writing and sending cards to everyone that was sick or lost loved ones. She loved Bible word searches and watching golf. Rosetta was a member of the Women's Bowling League at Whirlpool, served as secretary of the NAACP and participated in several walk-a-thons. She often expressed the goodness of the Lord in her life, she didn't mind waiting on the Lord. She worked at Cinderella for 17 years and retired from Whirlpool. Rosetta was fondly known for her stylish attire and personality.

She is survived by her children, Gary Ford, Charles Ford, Sr., Otis (Ideana) Ford and Yvonne Ford; 18 grandchildren, 53 great grandchildren, 48 great, great grandchildren host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



*And though your life on earth is past, in Heaven it starts anew.  
You'll live for all eternity, just as God has promised you.*

*And though you've walked through, Heaven's gate, we are never far apart.  
For every time we think of you, you're right here, deep within our hearts.*

*Faith is what is hoped for, things we cannot see.  
Heaven is promised to all of us, if only we believe.*

# Order of Service

|                                              |                                       |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Musical Prelude.....                         | Soft Music                            |
| Call to Worship.....                         | Dr. Darrick Briscoe                   |
| Selection.....                               | I Shall Wear A Crown.....Family Choir |
| Scripture .....                              | Clergy                                |
| Prayer .....                                 | Clergy                                |
| Solo.....                                    | Bro. Tim Johnson                      |
| Special Family Reflections.....              | Sis. Minnie Frye & Others             |
| Resolutions, Acknowledgments.....            | Church Clerk                          |
| Words of Comfort.....(2 minutes please)..... | Visiting Ministers                    |
| Selection.....                               | Lebanon Pike Ensemble                 |
| Eulogy.....                                  | Dr. Darrick Briscoe                   |
| Recessional.....                             | Soft Music                            |

## INTERMENT

Hilldale Cemetery - Danville, Kentucky

## PALLBEARERS AND HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Leroy Hawkins, Brandon Ford, Maurice Ford, James Johnson  
Craig Ford, Charles Ford, Jr., Marcus Hawkins, Doug Ford  
Gary Ford, Jr., Gary Prewitt, Reuben Wilkins, Brandon Gooch  
Jordan Rothwell and Phil Sammons

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Our hearts are bowed in sorrow over the passing of our loved one, we praise God for the ninety-eight years she was bless to live. We know she is walking the streets of Gold, no more pain or suffering. We thank each of you for your thoughtfulness over the years expressed to her and to our family. Special appreciation to Dr. Briscoe, First Baptist Danville, our church families and Heritage Hospice. The cards, flowers, food, phone calls, visits, whispered prayers, and every act of kindness have been a source of strength and comfort during this time. We are eternally grateful.

-The Family

\*\*Family and friends will be served following the burial in the church dinning area\*\*



*In The event of my demise  
When my heart can beat no more.  
I hope a day for a principle  
Or a belief that I had lived for.  
I will die before my time  
Because I feel the shadows depth.  
So much I wanted to accomplish  
Before I reached my death.*

*I have come to grips with the possibility  
And wiped the last tear from my eyes  
I loved all who were positive  
In the event of my demise.*



### ***Acknowledgment***

*The family of Sharrona Ford, wish to thank  
Elder Bowman, Elder Settles, Rev. McCowan and  
First Baptist Danville, Stoney Point Predestinian Baptist  
Church and our many friends for all expression  
of kindness shown to us during the illness and  
passing of our loved one.*

**Arrangements Entrusted To**  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky  
(859) 236-5261

## *In Loving Memory of Sharrona N. Ford*



*Sunrise: July 30, 1973*

*Sunset: May 15, 2007*

### ***Funeral Service***

*Monday, May 21, 2007*

*1:00 p.m.*

*First Baptist Church  
200 West Walnut Street  
Danville, Kentucky*

*Elder John Settles  
Elder Barry Bowman  
Officiating*

~ Her Life Story ~

Sharrona Norrita Ford was born July 30, 1973 in Danville, Kentucky. She was the daughter of Marilyn and James McPherson. She departed this life on Tuesday, May 15, 2007 at the age of 33, at the University Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington, Kentucky. She is preceded in death by her grandparents William & Jeanetta Segar.

Sharrona was a devoted and loving mother to her sons, spending time with them, encouraging them to get their education and most of all telling them about the Lord. She loved her parents and siblings, also enjoyed listening to music, admiring cars, and using her cell phone. Sharrona's bright smile, wonderful personality and her laughter, all of these qualities made her the beautiful person she was.

She graduated from Danville High School in 1991 and was a member of Stoney Point Predestinarian Baptist Church in Danville, Kentucky, where she was the past president of the choir. She was a former employee of the Boyle County Sheriff's Department, Urban League, and Baywest.

She leaves to cherish her memory, two sons, Trae Grey and Tryston Ford, both of Danville, Kentucky; her parents, Marilyn & James McPherson, Danville, Kentucky; brother Shaunta Ford, Danville, Kentucky; two uncles, James (Kelly) Segar, Louisville, Kentucky and William (Glenna) Segar, Berea, Kentucky; a aunt Anna Elizabeth Smith, Harrodsburg, Kentucky; grandparents William & Kathy Hill, Lancaster, Kentucky; her extended family Ben & Linda Kinley & Sons, Danville, Kentucky; two sisters and three brothers and a host of other relatives and friends.



~ Order of Service ~

Elder John Settles, Officiating

- Processional.....Soft Music
- Selection.....Choir
- Scripture.....Clergy
- Prayer.....Clergy
- Solo.....
- Special Poem.....Sis. Porsche Dunn
- Acknowledgements, Resolutions, Telegrams, etc.....
- Obituary.....Read In Silence
- Remarks.....Visiting Ministers
- Selection.....Choir
- Words of Comfort.....Elder Barry Bowman
- Recessional..... A Change is Gonna Come

**Interment**



Hilldale Cemetery  
Danville, Kentucky

**Active Pallbearers**

- Jordon Guest
- Joel Warner
- Mario Berry
- Brian Gooch
- Brian Miller
- Kelvin Turner, Jr.

**Honorary Pallbearers**

Brothers



PALLBEARERS

Anthony Ford  
Chris Ford  
Chester Ford  
Kevin Ford  
Cecil Ford Jr.  
Frauncia Ford  
Ben Kinley  
Kurtis Dawson

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Kermit Justic  
Coleman Singleton  
Otis Ford  
Lonnie Johnson  
Steve Ford

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Family would like to express their appreciation for all acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during their bereavement.

Arrangements by  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky

IN LOVING MEMORY

of

Thomas Franklin Ford  
1948 - 1993



Funeral Services

Monday, June 28, 1993

1:00 P.M.

First Baptist Church  
Second and Walnut Streets  
Danville, Ky.

Rev. James L. Buckner  
Officiating  
Assisted by Rev. Richard Hill

OBITUARY

Thomas (Butter) Franklin Ford departed this life Wednesday, June 23, 1993 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington, Kentucky.

He was born June 10, 1948 to the late Chester Ford and Lucille Ford, in Boyle County, Kentucky. He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church and employed by Caldwell Stone for 17 years.

He leaves to cherish his memory a wife, Necie Ford, Danville, Ky; one daughter, Thomasina Ford, Nicholasville, Ky; one son, Tony Lewis, Harrodsburg, Ky; three step-daughters, Kathy Mekitric, LaWanda Barnett, both of Danville, Ky; and Lisa Barnett of Fort Wayne, Indiana; one step-son, Curtis Barnett, Danville, Ky; four sisters, Geraldine (Larry) Harris, Wiston Salem, North Carolina; Linda (Ben) Kinley, Brenda Ford, Camille (Gary) Dawson, all of Danville, Ky; one brother Jerry (Sydia) Ford, Harrodsburg, Ky; five Aunts, five Uncles, two great-Aunts, one great-Uncle, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Peacefully sleeping, resting at last  
The world's weary troubles and trails are past,  
In silence he suffered,  
In patience his burdens he bore,  
Till our Lord called him home to suffer no more.

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Solo.....Thomas Smith

Prayer

Scripture

Solo.....Jerry Andrews

Acknowledgements, Resolutions.....Malvenia Kinley

Obituary.....Read in silence

Remarks.....Visiting Ministers

Solo.....Ben Kinley

Eulogy.....Rev. James Buckner

Recessional

Interment  
Hilddale Cemetery

Dinner will be served for friends and relatives after the service at Bethel Baptist Church, Cowan St.

### **Active Pallbearers**

Bro. Kevin Ford  
Bro. Cecil Ford, Jr.  
Bro. Larry Ford  
Bro. Lawrence Ford, Jr.  
Bro. James Ford  
Bro. Walter Troxler

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Bro. Paul Turner  
Bro. Frank Walker  
Bro. Coleman Singleton  
Bro. Scott Preston  
Bro. Wayne Murphy  
Bro. George Wilhite  
Bro. Tony Griffin  
Bro. Sam Turner

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

The family of Walter (Flick) Ford, wishes to acknowledge with grateful appreciation, all prayers, support and condolences extended, during the time of our bereavement.

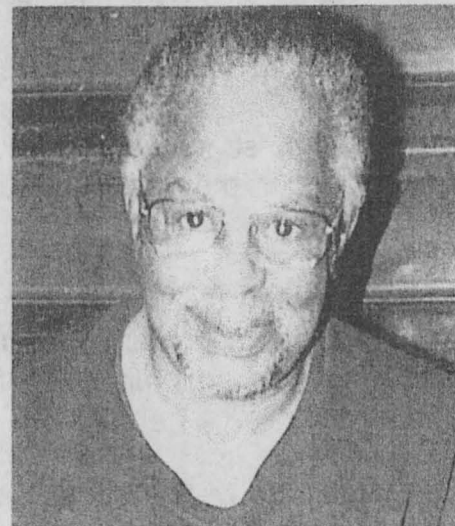
We especially want to thank Rev. Chenault, Heritage Hospice, and the staff members of Danville Center for Health & Rehabilitation, First Baptist Danville and Bethel Baptist Church. May God continue to Bless you.

The Family

### **Arrangements Entrusted To:**

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

## IN LOVING MEMORY of **WALTER LEE "FLICK" FORD**



**1942 -2003**

### **FUNERAL SERVICE**

Friday, October 24, 2003  
1:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church  
200 W. Walnut Street  
Danville, Kentucky

Rev. David Chenault, Officiating  
Rev. Ronald Burns, Pastor of Bethel Baptist  
Rev. Richard Hill, Pastor

~ THE OBITUARY ~

On the morning of October 21, 2003 at 5:00 a.m. at the Danville Center for Health and Rehabilitation, God called **Walter (Flick) Ford**, from labor to reward. He was born May 14, 1942 to the late John and Audrey Ford.

He confessed his hope in Christ at an early age and united at Bethel Baptist Church under the pastor of Rev. James L. Buckner.

Flick was a loving and devoted brother, uncle and friend. He loved to entertain his family and friends, telling jokes and listening to music. He was an employee of the city of Danville for seventeen years.

He was preceded in death by his sisters' Ruby, Lucille, Geraldine and Eunice and brothers' Chester, Luther, Lawrence and Gerald.

He leaves to cherish his memory, a sister Mrs. Opal (James) Johnson; two brothers Cecil Ford and Otis Ford, all of Danville, KY; two special friends Andrea "Panda" Martin, Danville, KY and Mae Smalley, Lexington, KY, they were his hearts; a special care giver Vonda Ford, Danville, KY; and a host of nephews, nieces, great & great- great nephews and nieces, and friends.

*He did not weep  
He did not mourn,  
Or cry.  
He only laid and  
Closed his eyes.  
And could not say good- bye  
Niece  
Vonda*

~ ORDER OF SERVICE ~

Musical Prelude.....  
 Processional.....  
 Selection.....Male Chorus  
 Scripture.....Clergy  
 Prayer.....Clergy  
 Selection.....Male Chorus  
 Acknowledgments, Cards, Letters, etc.....  
 Obituary.....(Read Silently).....Soft Music  
 Remarks.....Visiting Ministers  
 Solo.....  
 Eulogy.....Rev. David Chenault  
 Recessional.....

**INTERMENT**



Hilldale Cemetery  
 Danville, Kentucky

\*Family & friends will be served dinner following the interment at Bethel Baptist Church Cowan Street, Danville, KY\*

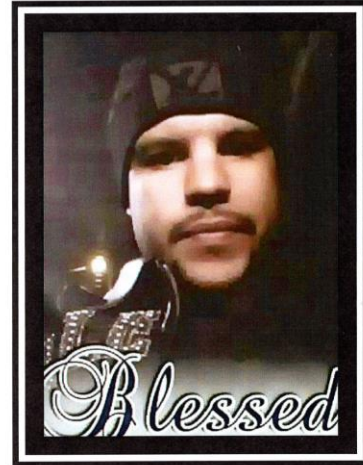
## OBITUARY

Shea O'Neal Ford Grubbs, age 31, Harrodsburg, passed away at 6:05 pm on Wednesday, May 29, 2019 in Lexington. Born June 16, 1987 in Danville, he was the son of Craig Ford of Harrodsburg and Cathy (Grubbs) Rogers of Hustonville. He attended Harrodsburg High School, was an employee of the Hampton Inn in Lexington, liked to fish, enjoyed being with his family and friends. Shea accepted Christ at an early age and was a Christian who loved the Lord.

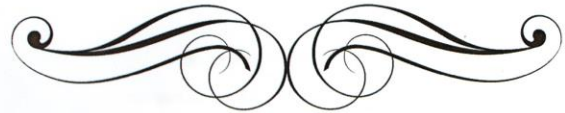
Survivors other than his parents include: his paternal grandmother, Diane Ford (John T.) Mayes, Harrodsburg; paternal grandfather, Gary Ford, Danville; paternal great grandmother Rosetta Ford, Danville; three sisters Whitney Ford and Krichelle Ford both of Lexington, and Tiffany Harlan of Danville; five brothers Christopher Harlan of Danville, Kobe Ford, Darion Ford, Demetri Ford and Johnny Bowman all of Harrodsburg and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.



## “AS WE REMEMBER” Shea Ford Grubbs



06/16/1987 - 05/29/2019  
31 Years - 11 Months - 14 Days



*In Memoriam*

**DR. WILLIAM PERRY FOREE**

**1932 - 1988**



**Thursday, February 4, 1988  
11:00 A.M.**

**GREATER BETHEL TEMPLE CHURCH  
834 South Third Street  
Louisville, Kentucky 40203**

# *Obituary*

DR. WILLIAM PERRY FOREE, the son of Jesse and Etta Gullian Foree, was born February 2, 1932 in New Castle, Kentucky. He attended grade school in New Castle and high school at Lincoln Institute, Lincoln Ridge, Kentucky. He attended Kentucky State University, Southern Baptist Seminary and Simmons Bible College where he graduated in 1959. He served in the United States Army from October 26, 1953 to October 25, 1955.

On October 17, 1953, he was united in Holy Matrimony to the late Roberta Thomas Foree. To this union two daughters were born, Gwendolyn Nadine and Paula Denise.

He was baptized in the name of Jesus and filled with the Holy Ghost in 1957 under the late Bishop David T. Schultz.

After serving faithfully in his home church for a number of years, he was called to the ministry and was placed in a church to pastor by the late Bishop Shultz.

He pastored Bethel Star Apostolic Church in Lebanon, Kentucky for nine years. In 1971, a vacancy occurred in the Pentecostal Assembly Church in Fort Worth, Texas, and he was called to pastor there.

In May of 1973, he was called home to assume the pastorship of his home church due to the death of Bishop David T. Shultz.

He served many years as Chairman of the First Apostolic Council of Kentucky and Middle Tennessee and was currently the Vice Chairman. He was on the Board of Directors at Aeon Bible College, Indianapolis, Indiana, operated by the Pentecostal Assembly of the World and was currently serving as the Vice Chairman.

He believed and stood on the Word of God and was a dynamic preacher, teacher and loving pastor. Many souls were saved under his ministry.

He served on the Scholarship Committee of the University of Louisville and many civic and community organizations.

On July 27, 1985, he was united in Holy Matrimony to Bobbie A. Talley from Nashville, Tennessee.

Dr. William P. Foree departed this earthly life on January 30, 1988 at the age of fifty-five years old. He leaves to cherish his memories, his loving and devoted wife, Bobbie; two daughters, Gwendolyn N. Calhoun and Paula D. Richardson of Louisville, Kentucky; two step-sons, Donnie R. Talley, Ft. Hood, Texas and Theron Talley, Jr. of Nashville, Tennessee; five step-daughters, Alice Sutton, Bernice Stevenson and Brenda Scott of Nashville, Tennessee, Loretta Battle, Old Hickory, Tennessee and Carolyn Carter, Madison, Tennessee; father, Jesse L. Foree of New Castle, Kentucky; one sister, Lula M. Wagoner of Louisville, Kentucky; three brothers, Donald H. and Jack C. Foree of Louisville, Kentucky and David L. Foree of Cleveland, Ohio; thirty-one grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; six sons-in-law; the entire Greater Bethel Temple Church family and other saints and friends.

Humbly submitted by the Family

*"Then came the word of the Lord unto Jeremiah saying,*

*Behold, I am the Lord, the God of all flesh; is there anything too hard for me?*

Jeremiah 32:26-27

To my Husband, Pastor and Friend,

We shared our lives with each other for two years, six months and three days. You saw to it that each day was filled with meaningful experiences. I never knew that there was a person like you, until our lives began to melt together as one. You were one of God's special, special men. A star shining bright in a dark world.

I shall never, never forget the precious times that God allowed us to share, and I thank Him. Memories of our lives together will always be with me, you shall never be forgotten.

Love Always,  
Your Wife, Bobbie



**DR. CARL W. STEWART, MASTER OF CEREMONIES**  
**Pastor, Emmanuel Temple, Los Angeles, California**

- Processional..... Musical Prelude
- Favorite Scripture..... Dist. Elder Alfonzo Scott  
Lively Stone Apostolic Church, St. Louis Missouri
- Prayer ..... Elder Henry Jones  
First Assistant Pastor of Greater Bethel Temple,  
Louisville, Kentucky
- Scripture..... Minister Sherman Williams  
Second Assistant Pastor  
of Greater Bethel Temple, Louisville, Kentucky
- Selection ..... Greater Bethel Temple Combined Choir  
"When I See Jesus"
- Representative of Local Ministers. . . . *Ed. Cochran*  
Bishop Robert L. Little  
Bishop of the Pentecostal Churches  
of the Apostolic Faith, Louisville, Kentucky
- Remarks ..... Dr. Melvin Boyd  
Chairman of the First Apostolic Council  
of Kentucky and Tennessee, Nashville, Tennessee
- Solo.... "My Soul's Been Anchored" .... Minister Fred Connor  
Acting Pastor of Bethel Temple No. 3, Louisville, Kentucky
- Acknowledgements ..... Sister Jacqueline Johnson  
Louisville, Kentucky
- Selection ..... Greater Bethel Temple Combined Choir  
"Don't Wait Till The Battle Is Over, Shout Now"
- Representative of the Ministers. . . . Dist. Elder Elzy Thomas  
Christ Temple, Ashland, Kentucky
- Solo ..... "To God Be The Glory" ..... Sister Julia Burton
- Representative of National  
and International Ministries ..... *Johnson*  
Bishop Paul Bowers  
Assistant Presiding Bishop of the Pentecostal Assembly  
of the World, Cincinnati, Ohio
- Obituary..... Dr. Melvin Boyd, Nashville, Tennessee
- Eulogy..... Bishop Morris E. Golder  
Pastor of Grace Apostolic Church; Diocesan of the  
First Apostolic Council of Kentucky and Middle Tennessee;  
Bishop of the Eleventh Episcopal District of Pentecostal  
Assembly of the World, Indianapolis, Indiana
- Benediction
- Recessional..... "When The Saints Go Marching In"
- Interment..... Eastern Cemetery

13:34

## *Pallbearers*

### **Greater Bethel Temple Deacons**

**Clarence Jones  
Albert Beasley  
Cornell Starks**

**Monroe Walker  
Donald Hill  
Elder David Baker**

## *Flowerbearers*

**Members of the Church Choirs**

**Memorial Contributions May Be Made To The  
"GREATER BETHEL TEMPLE BUILDING FUND"**

## *Acknowledgement*

**The Family gratefully acknowledges all expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness extended to it during this time of bereavement.**



*Arrangements by*  
**G. C. WILLIAMS MORTUARY**

Home.

April 15-08

## FUNERALS

### Carnell Foye

Carnell Foye, 61, died Thursday in Danville.

He was a former employee of Centre College.

Survivors include a son, Christopher Lancaster of Clarksville, Tenn.; a companion, Brenda Foye of Danville; four brothers; two sisters; two grandchildren; and other relatives.

The funeral will be 1 p.m. Friday at Smith-Jackson Funeral Home.

Visitation will be after 11 a.m. Friday.

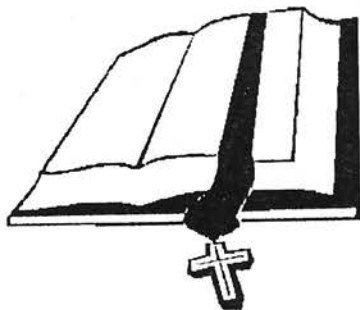
### ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Willie Pat Fitzgerald  
William Sager  
Raymond Houston, Jr.  
Everett Daugherty  
June Christy  
Willie Allen

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family wishes to express their sincere appreciation, for all acts of kindness shown to them, during their time of bereavement.

The Family



Arrangements Entrusted To  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

## In Loving Memory of **EVA FRANKLIN**

August 8, 1905 - January 17, 1999



*God saw the road was getting rough  
The hills were hard to climb.  
He sealed her lips and closed her eyes  
And sent her home to rest.*

*So now I can finally rest  
knowing I have done my best  
It matter not how dark the day  
God was there to show me the way.*

### Funeral Service

1:00 P.M.

Thursday, January 21, 1999  
Smith-Jackson Chapel  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

Dr. Thomas Farmer  
Officiating

## OBITUARY

Eva Franklin, 93, was called to her eternal rest on Sunday, January 17th, 1999 at Charleston Health Care Center in Danville, KY, after a long illness.

She was born on August 8, 1905 in Flemingsburg, KY to the late Frank and Mary Chitterson. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert Franklin.

She was a retired nurse's aid and a member of the Presbyterian Church of Danville, KY.

Survivors include a sister, Elizabeth Fowler of Brooklyn, NY; a foster son, Ted Adams of Lexington, KY; five nieces, Clara Smith of Danville, KY, Mary Meaux of Lexington, KY, Joan Benefield of Queensvillage, NY, Mary Mayes of Nashville, TN and Lanell Fowler of Brooklyn, NY; two nephews, James Simpson of Danville, KY and William Chitterson, Cincinnati, OH; and a host of other relatives and friends.

*Reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer.  
And God in turn will comfort you and hold you near  
and never, never, be afraid to die  
for she is waiting for us in the sky!*

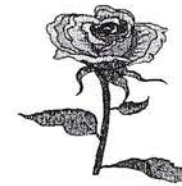
The Family



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Musical Prelude.....  
Call to Worship.....  
Prayer.....  
Scripture.....Old Testament  
Selection.....Amazing Grace  
Scripture.....New Testament  
Solo.....  
Prayer.....Dr. Thomas Farmer  
Benediction.....

**Interment**  
Hilldale Cemetery  
Danville, Kentucky



### The Twenty-Third Psalm

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside the still waters.  
He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the  
paths of righteousness for His name's sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the  
shadow of death, I will fear no evil:  
for thou art with me; thy rod and  
thy staff they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the  
presence of mine enemies:  
thou anointest my head with oil;  
my cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow  
me all the days of my life:  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

### IN MEMORY OF RONNIE GENE "Corky" FRANKLIN

**DATE OF BIRTH**  
February 25, 1956

**DATE OF DEATH**  
February 25, 1983

**TIME AND PLACE OF SERVICES**  
2:00 P.M., Monday, February 28, 1983  
Stith Funeral Home

**MINISTER**  
Rev. Hamp Wooten

**BURIAL**  
Bellevue Cemetery

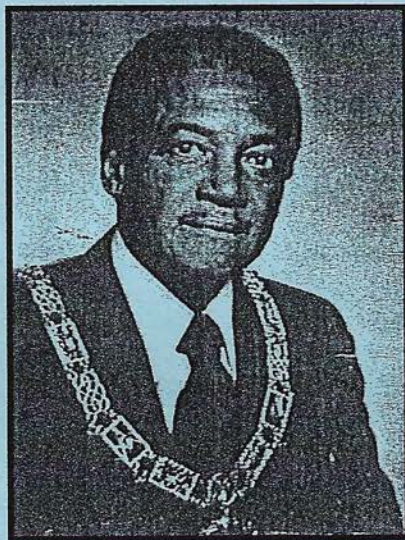
**ARRANGEMENTS BY**  
Stith Funeral Home  
Danville, Ky.

Homegoing Celebration

For

John W. Freeman

*December 9, 1913 ~ February 20, 2004*



One O'clock p. m.

Thursday

February 26, 2004

St. Paul A. M. E. Church

Richmond, Kentucky

Rev. Jermaine Wilson

Pastor

## Obituary

John W. Freeman, son of the late Benjamin and Ida Cunningham Freeman, was born December 9, 1913 in Bourbon Co., Ky. He accepted Christ at an early age and became a faithful member of the Little Rock Christian Church in Bourbon Co. where he served as Church Treasurer, Deacon and Elder until failing health prevented him from attending services. He also attended St. Paul A. M. E. Church where he was always willing to help out when needed.

John earned his Bachelor of Science degree at Kentucky State University in Frankfort and did graduate work at the University of Illinois, University of Kentucky, Morehead State University and Eastern Kentucky University.

He taught school, coached football and basketball in the Richmond City School System for over 40 years before retiring in 1979.

John was very civic minded and was involved with numerous organizations including: City Improvement & Human Relations, Instructor with The Madison County Civil Defense Program, Adult Education Program and The Boy Scouts, and he served as a member of the Richmond City Parks and Recreation Board for several years. In 1974, he was commissioned a Kentucky Colonel.

John was a member and past Master of Ashler Lodge #49 F&AM; District Deputy of the Northeastern District F&AM of Ky; Secretary of Rankins Chapter #27 Royal Arch Masons of Richmond, Ky; Member and Past Commander in Chief of Blue Grass Consistory #46. In 1962, he was named Mason of the Year and in 1982 was named The Grand Master for the State of Kentucky.

He leaves to cherish his memory a daughter, Diana Letcher of Richmond, Ky; a son, Edward Freeman of Simi Valley, California; a sister, Maggie (James) Calloway of Lexington, Ky; and grandchildren, Donna Allen of Columbia, S. C., Tony Rose, Richmond, Ky, and Courtney and Eric Freeman of Simi Valley, California; also, four great-grandchildren, five nieces, four nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends, including his former wife and mother of his children, Mrs. Ernestine Freeman of Richmond, Ky. John was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers and his wife Margaret Mackey Freeman.

*In tears we saw you sinking,  
And saw you fade away  
Our hearts were truly broken:  
We wanted you to stay.  
But when we saw you sleeping,  
So peaceful and free of pain  
How could we will you back with us,  
To go through that again?  
A golden heart stopped beating,  
Two busy hands at rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He always takes the best.*

*The Family*



## Order of Service

Processional

Selection.....Choir

Scripture.....Minister

Prayer.....Minister

Solo.....Jeroline Cantrell

Acknowledgements

Resolutions

Solo.....Rev. Jermaine Wilson

Silent Reading of the Obituary.....Soft Music

Remarks.....(2 minutes please).....Visiting Ministers

Solo.....Bro. Virgil Gardner

Eulogy.....Rev. Alvin Farris

Recessional



**Interment**

Madison County Memorial Gardens

## Active Pallbearers

Charles Hawkins  
Emmit Igo  
Eugene Estelle

James F. Calloway  
Joseph Calloway  
William David Hughley

## Honorary Pallbearers

Elder and Deacons of Little Rock Christian Church, Bourbon Co., KY

Brothers of Ashler Lodge #49 F&AM Richmond, KY



Paul Ferrell  
Robert Morton, Sr.,

Willie Joe Covington  
Albert Brooks

## Acknowledgements

At this very difficult time, we are most thankful to the Lord for friends and family who interrupted their schedules to pay their respects to our dearly beloved. Your prayers, calls, visits, flowers, cards, and other expressions of sympathy have consoled and sustained us during our time of bereavement. May God richly bless and keep each of you.

*The family of John W. Freeman*

## Arrangements Entrusted To:

O. L. Hughes & Sons Mortuary  
322 East Third Street  
Lexington, Kentucky  
(859) 233-7112

Dinner will be served for family at the Church following burial.

In Loving Memory  
of  
Cora Frye



ACTIVE PALLBEARERS

Sam Beasley  
William Beasley  
Authur Lewis Dunn  
Mack Dunn  
Marion Williams  
Clayton Able

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

James H. Burdett  
Pete Williams  
Oscar Harris  
Arch Faulkner  
Johnny Pigg  
Charles Johnson  
Charles Harvy

May 11, 1903 — July 4, 1994

Funeral Service  
Friday, July 8, 1994  
2:30 p.m.

Pleasant Valley Baptist Church  
Boones Creek  
Pastor Bob Brown, Officiating

Arrangements  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky

ORDER OF SERVICE

OBITUARY

Mrs. Cora Frye, the daughter of the late Will and Mamie Able, was born in Garrard County, Kentucky. She departed this life July 4, 1994 at 7:57 a.m. at the James B. Haggin Memorial Hospital in Harrodsburg, Kentucky after a long illness.

She leaves to mourn her passing; two daughters, Ruth Jackson and Willie Tarrance; two sisters, Emma Johnson and Priscilla Beasley; and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

The Family

*"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures, he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul; he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever."*  
(Psalm 23)

- Processional
- Scripture
- Prayer
- Special Music
- Acknowledgements
- Resolutions
- Special Music
- Obituary ..... Read In Silence
- Remarks ..... Visiting Ministers
- Special Music
- Eulogy ..... Pastor Bob Brown

Burial  
Lancaster Cemetery

**PALLBEARERS**

Everett B. Smith  
Joseph J. Frye  
Ernest G. Meads

Antoine Frye

Charles E. Smith  
Thomas D. Young  
Cedric Thomas

**Acknowledgment**

The family acknowledges with grateful thanks and appreciation the many kind deeds extended during their times of bereavement.

Interment  
Black Bridge Cemetery

Arrangement by  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky 40422

**IN LOVING MEMORY**  
OF  
**MS. CORINE FRYE**

**1914-1995**



Funeral Services  
Thursday December 14, 1995  
1:00 P.M.

Macedonia Baptist Church  
Black Bridge, Kentucky

The Reverend Doyle Warren  
Pastor

## -OBITUARY-

Jesus said; "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Corine Frye, the daughter of the late Harrison and Mamie Booker Frye, was born in Jessamine County on February 4, 1914 and departed this life December 9, 1995 at the Royal Manor Nursing Home.

At an early age, she confessed her hope in Christ.

She leaves to cherish her memory one son, George Lee (Huss) Spillman, Nicholasville, Ky; five grandchildren Lesa Spillman and George Lee Spillman Jr. Lexington, Ky, Marion Russell, Kevin Miller and Michael Lee Huff, Nicholasville, Ky; one great grandchild Shalanda Russell, Nicholasville, Ky; five nieces Willie D. Railey, Mamie Prentice, Mary C. Roberts and Iva C. Snodgrass, Nicholasville, Ky, Sylvia Frye, Richmond, IN, Ms. Rose Meads, Louisville, Ky; eight nephews Everett B. Smith, Nicholasville, Ky, Charles E. Smith, Richard A. Meade, Joseph J. Frye, all of Lexington, Jamar H. Frye, Denver Co., Ernest G. Meads, Louisville, Ky, Jonathan W. Frye, Kenneth I. Frye both of Richmond, IN; fifteen great nieces, twenty-two great nephews, a host of great great and great great great nieces and nephews; a special cousin Helen Stewart and a host of other relatives and friends.

"God saw the road was getting rough,  
The hills were hard to climb,  
He sealed her lips, and closed her eyes,  
and took her home to rest.  
We loved her, but God loved her best".

The Family

## Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Choir

Scripture 23rd Psalm

Rev. V.C. Edwards

Prayer

Solo

Mrs. Ella McGraw

Acknowledgment

Resolution

Obituary (Read Silently) Soft Music

Remarks

Solo Precious Lord Mrs. Wanda Segar

Sermon Rev. Doyle Warren

Recessional

**PALLBEARERS**

Madison Tarrance  
Bentley Mays  
Oscar Harris  
Roy Neal  
James Lynn  
John G. Frye

**ARRANGEMENTS BY**

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky

In Loving Memory  
of



**Mrs. Ellen H. Frye**  
1893 - 1979

December 18, 1979  
1:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church  
Danville, Ky.

Rev. Richard Hill  
Officiating

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Ellen H. Frye, widow of the late Richard Frye, was born November 18; the daughter of Mahalia A. and William Harlan, Sr. She departed this life Friday, December 14, 1979 at 1:30 p.m., at the Mid Center Hospital (Somerset, Ky). At an early age, she accepted Christ as her personal Savior. She was a member of First Baptist Church (Danville, Ky.) for 75 years. She was always happy to be in the house of the Lord. She held membership in the Sr. Choir and the Woman's Improvement Club, and was a teacher of the Woman's Bible Missionary Society Class. She was also a member of the Busy Sunshine Club. She enjoyed writing and reciting poetry on special occasions and church programs.

Mrs. Frye was a spiritual worshipper, and not ashamed to witness for her Master. She was very faithful in attendance, until the hand of affliction was laid upon her, several months ago.

Born in a family of six children; one sister and four brothers (all deceased). She is survived by one nephew, George Lee Harlan of Danville, two nieces, Mrs. Admira Moody of Lexington, Ky., and Mrs. Ida Whiting of Cincinnati, Ohio, three great nieces, Mrs. Almer B. Williams of Lexington, Ky., Mrs. Wanda Tarrance and Mrs. Patricia Jones of Danville, three great nephews, George Gass and Herman Gass of Lexington, Ky. William D. Harlan of Columbus, and one sister-in-law, Mrs. Lucille Harlan of Danville.



*God has not promised  
Skies always blue  
Flower strewn pathways  
All our lives through  
God has not promised  
Sun without rain  
Joy without sorrow  
Peace without pain.  
But God has promised  
Strength for the day  
Rest for the labor  
Light for the day  
Grace for the trials  
Help from above.  
Unfailing sympathy  
Undying love.*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

|                                                     |                                       |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Processional                                        |                                       |
| Song .....                                          | Senior Choir                          |
| Scripture                                           |                                       |
| Prayer                                              |                                       |
| Selection .....                                     | Senior Choir                          |
|                                                     | <i>Ready</i>                          |
| Acknowledgements of cards, telegrams, letters, etc. |                                       |
| Obituary .....                                      | Read Silently                         |
|                                                     | <i>(Soft Music)</i>                   |
| Solo .....                                          | Mrs. Saralyn Harris                   |
|                                                     | <i>Nothing Shall Disturb My Faith</i> |
| Remarks .....                                       | Ministers                             |
| Eulogy .....                                        | Rev. Hill                             |
| Recessional                                         |                                       |
| Interment .....                                     | Hilldale Cemetery                     |



Pallbearers  
Archie Faulkner  
Kelvin Turner  
Wilbur Dunn  
Earnest Dunn  
Ricky Kavanaugh  
Jeff Guest

Honorary Pallbearers

James Singleton  
Sidney Stephens  
Herbert Harris  
Eugene Harlan

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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Arrangements by  
**Smith-Jackson Funeral Home**  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory*  
of



*George W. Frye*  
*February 22, 1927 - May 24, 1995*

Funeral Services  
Saturday, May 27, 1995  
1:00 p.m.

Wilson Chapel A.M.E. Church  
Parksville, Kentucky

Rev. Ralph Smith  
Officiating

On Wednesday, May 24, 1995, God in his infinite wisdom called George (G.W.) Washington Frye from earth's sorrow to heaven's reward.

He was born February 22, 1927 in Boyle County, Kentucky to the late Hubert and Mattie Dee Andrews Frye. He was predeceased by one sister. He was a faithful member of Wilson Chapel A.M.E. Church, Parksville where he served as a Steward and Trustee. He was a veteran of the Korean War.

To cherish his memories his wife Mary Frye; one son, Robert Wayne Frye, Danville, Kentucky; two daughters, Valerie Jean Frye, Danville, Kentucky and Janice Carol Leavell (Cedric) of Lancaster, Kentucky; six grandchildren, two aunts, Edna Sawyers, Indianapolis, Indiana and Mattie Andrews, Louisville, Kentucky; one uncle, James Frye, Danville, Kentucky; two sisters-in-law, Emma Peeks, Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mattie Young Covington, Kentucky; a host of cousins, relatives and friends.

In tears we saw you sinking,  
And saw you fade away.  
Our hearts were truly broken,  
We wanted you to stay.  
But when we saw you sleeping,  
So peaceful, free of pain,  
How could we wish you back with  
Us to go thru' that again.  
A golden heart stopped beating.  
Two busy hands at rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us,  
He always takes the best.  
The Family

We will miss you Grand-daddy.  
We sure did hate to see you go.  
We loved you but God loved you best.  
So sleep on and take your rest.  
Grandchildren

Prelude

Processional

Song

Prayer

Scripture ..... John 14

Song

Acknowledge and Resolutions

Obituary ..... Read in silence

Remarks ..... Visiting Ministers  
2 minutes please

Song

Eulogy ..... Rev. Ralph Smith

Recessional

Interment  
Parksville Cemetery

**Special Thank You**

to

***Dr. Dan Moran  
McDowell Place staff  
Heritage Hospice  
Care Tenders  
Rita Bates***

***Special Friends:***

***Preston Johnson  
Martha Grigsby  
Smith Jackson Funeral Home staff***

***Pall Bearers:***

***Deacons & Trustees  
of First Baptist Church***

*In Loving Memory  
of  
Helen Fisher Frye*



*Sunrise: June 24, 1918  
Sunset: November 26, 2014*

***Funeral Service  
First Baptist Church  
2nd & Walnut St.  
Danville Kentucky 40422  
Dr. Darrick Briscoe, Pastor***

~The Obituary~

June 24, 1918 - November 26, 2014

**Helen Fisher Frye** was the widow of John Goodwin Frye and the daughter of the late George and Lettie Moran Fisher. She was preceded in death by her twin brother Matthew and seven other brothers and sisters. Mrs. Frye or Miss Fisher as she was affectionately known attended Bate School and graduated in 1938 as Valedictorian of her class. She was a very active student playing basketball and involved in other school activities. She went on to pursue further educational endeavors including graduating from Kentucky State College (University) and receiving Masters Degrees from Indiana University and the University of Kentucky. She was also the first African-American to take a class at Centre College in the 1960s.

Mrs. Frye returned home after graduating college and taught in the Lincoln and Casey County Schools before being hired at Bate for close to 40 years. She started out as a P.E. teacher, 6th grade teacher and finally as librarian of the old Bate school and beginning librarian at the new Bate Middle School before retiring.

Mrs Frye wore other hats besides those in education. She has been active in First Baptist Church for more than 80 years. She was a Sunday School teacher, Superintendent of Sunday School, Missionary leader, church treasurer, Girl's Scout leader and mentor to a lot of people. She was also a Civil Rights Activist back when it was very dangerous during the 60's and 70's. She reorganized the NAACP and included young people being involved in sit-ins and the movement towards integration in Danville and the state of Kentucky. She and Mr. John were instrumental in helping establish the Willis Russell Historical Society. Mrs. Frye was also a member of the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.

Mrs. Frye married John Frye when she was 57 years old and they shared more than 25 years until his death about 6 years ago at the ripe young age of 104 years. Both loved to drive and would take off and go anywhere they wanted, especially Evenston, Illinois where his son and daughter lived. They would also attend all of the social functions at Centre College and enjoyed being a part of the Brass Band Festival.

Her goals were to help the Negro better himself and herself for the betterment of the community.

***“God saw you were getting weary and He did what He does best.  
He came and stood beside you and whispered come and rest.”***

She is survived by a great niece, Ann Conyers, great great nephew, Adrian Conyers, stepson John Frye and several step grand and great grandchildren, several cousins and care givers Diane Smith and Bobby Trumbo.

Special thanks to Dr. Moran, McDowell Place staff, Heritage Hospice, Care Tenders and special friends Preston Johnson and Martha Grigsby.

~Order of Service~

11 -12 Visitation

12:00 Service

Processional Song.....What a Fellowship

Prayer

Scripture.....23rd Psalm

Solo.....Mrs. Linda Tillman

Reading of Obituary.....Soft Music

Resolutions

Ministers Remarks.....2 minutes

Song.....Rev. Donald McCowan

Eulogy.....Dr. Darrick Briscoe

Recessional ..... Hilldale Cemetery

**ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Oscar Harris  
Buford Smith  
Eugene Harlan  
J.W. Raines  
Albert Hawkins  
Charles Harvey

**HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Gentry Akins  
Edward Coyle  
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Leonard Bates

Arrangements by  
**Smith-Jackson Funeral Home**  
Danville, Kentucky

*In Loving Memory*  
*of*  
**Mr. Isaac Frye, Jr.**



**1903 - 1991**

**First Baptist Church**  
**Danville, Kentucky**

**Thursday, April 4, 1991**  
**1:00 P.M.**

**Rev. Richard Hill**  
**Officiating**

## OBITUARY

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The youthful and gray,  
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Wishing God could have spared you many  
Many more years;  
To those who did not know you  
You're just someone of the past,  
To those who loved and lost you  
Your memories will always last.*

*Gone, but not forgotten. . . . Rest in Peace*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Selection . . . . . Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Selection . . . . . Choir

Acknowledgements

Obituary (read in silence) soft music

Remarks . . . . . Rev. Robert Brown

Solo

Eulogy . . . . . Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional

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Processional

Selection . . . . . Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Selection . . . . . Choir

Acknowledgements

Obituary (read in silence) soft music

Remarks . . . . . Rev. Robert Brown

Solo

Eulogy . . . . . Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional



**HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Men's Bible Class  
of First Baptist Church

**CASKET BEARERS**

William B. Davis  
Fred Richards  
Les Saunders  
Gene Kinley  
Albert Harris  
Allie Gray

*In Loving Memory  
of*



**James Edward Frye**  
**1907 - 1983**

**First Baptist Church  
Second and Walnut Street  
Danville, Kentucky**

**Monday, January 24, 1983  
1:00 P.M.**

**Rev. Richard Hill  
Officiating**

## OBITUARY

James Edward (Tump) Frye was born February 27, 1907 in Danville, Kentucky. He was the son of the late Dr. John H. and Florence Goodwin Frye.

He passed from Earth's sorrow to Heaven's reward, on Thursday, January 20, 1983 at Ephraim McDowell Hospital, Danville, Kentucky after a short illness.

He was united in marriage to Jessie Jackson. At an early age he accepted Christ and united with First Baptist Church, Danville. He devoted many hours of service to the church serving as chairman of the Trustee Board for 12 years and a faithful member of the Men's Bible Class.

He attended Simmons University of Louisville, Kentucky where he was past president of the Alumni. He was a member of the Urban Renewal Board and Danville-Boyle County Family Service Board. He also served on the Trustee Board of Ephraim McDowell Hospital.

He was employed with the United States Government in Evanston, Illinois and upon his retirement was employed with Mammoth Insurance.

He leaves to mourn his passing a loving and devoted wife, Mrs. Jessie Frye; one daughter, Mrs. Johnetta Cobb of Evanston, Illinois; one granddaughter, Ms. Robin Cobb of Atlanta, Georgia; one grandson, Tump Cobb of Evanston, Illinois; one brother, John G. Frye of Danville, Kentucky; a niece, Dr. Florence Winfield of Evanston, Illinois; a nephew, John G. Frye II of Evanston, Illinois; and a host of other relatives and friends.

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The Family

## ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL

SELECTION ..... Choir

SCRIPTURE

PRAYER

SELECTION ..... Choir

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS of Cards, Telegrams,  
Letters, etc. .... Mrs. Marzie Durr

OBITUARY (Soft Music) ..... Read in Silence

SELECTION ..... Choir

REMARKS ..... Visiting Ministers

EULOGY ..... Rev. Richard Hill

RECESSIONAL

Pallbearers

Kevin Turner  
Orlando Guest  
Berrac Strobe  
Chris Smith  
Chris Patten  
Ronnie Beasley  
Raymond Houston

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family acknowledges with grateful appreciation the kindness of friends and neighbors and all expressions of sympathy extended to them during this time of bereavement.

Arrangements by  
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Danville, Kentucky

In Loving Memory  
Of



James Frye

May 22, 1915 - December 3, 2007

Funeral Services

Friday, December 7, 2007

11:00 a.m.

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home

Rev. James McPherson  
Officiating

## The Obituary

**James Frye** departed his life on Monday, December 3, 2007 at the Ephraim Regional Medical Center in Danville, Kentucky.

He was born on May 22, 1915 in Parksville, KY, to the late Fred and Anna Carpenter Frye. He was preceded in death by four sisters; Corrine, Irene, Eve Mae and Beulah, five brothers; Hubert, Robert, Joe, George, and Stanley. He was also preceded in death by five nieces Jeanetta Segar, Mildred Turner, Charlotte Baker, Geraldine Shannon, Shirley Bracken, and one nephew George Frye. He was a member of Wilson Chapel AME Church.

He leaves to cherish his memory, two nieces; Helen Guest, Danville, Ky., Glenna Brand; Lasing, Mich., two nephews; William Tucker, Washington, DC and Roscoe Tucker, Lexington, Ky., nine great nieces and nine great nephews and a host of great-great and great-great-great nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

*The suffering is over-the pain is gone  
Sleepless nights are passed  
God granted you a sweet relief  
With him, peace at last  
The Family*

## Order of Service

Prelude

Song

Prayer

Scripture

Acknowledgement and Resolutions

Silent Reading of the Obituary

Remarks

Solo

Rev. Ronald McCowan

Eulogy

Rev. James McPherson

Recessional

Interment  
Hilldale Cemetery  
Danville, Kentucky

## *"The Master Called"*

*I'm sorry I had to leave you  
My loved one oh so dear  
But you see the Master called me.  
His voice was very clear!  
I had made my reservation  
A Heaven bound ticket for one.  
And I knew that He would call me.  
When he felt my work was done.  
I know that your hearts are heavy  
Because I have gone away.  
But when the Master called me,  
I knew that I could not stay  
Yes I'm sorry I had to leave you  
My loved ones, oh so dear  
But you see, the Master called me,  
And now I'm resting here  
Yes I've crossed on over to glory  
And to you all I say  
Just stay in the hands of Jesus  
And we'll meet again someday.*

### **Acknowledgment**

*The family of John G. Frye would like to thank everyone for their expression of sympathy and acts of kindness. Special thanks to Hospice, Dr. Moran for their medical and professional care. May God continue to bless you.*

*The Family of John G. Frye*



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[www.smith-jackson.com](http://www.smith-jackson.com)

## *In Loving Memory of John Goodwin Frye*



*Sunrise: March 6, 1905  
Sunset: February 8, 2009*

### **Funeral Service**

*Friday, February 13, 2009  
11:00 A.M.*

*First Baptist Church  
200 W. Walnut Street  
Danville, Kentucky*

*Bro. Ronald P. McCowan, Pastor  
Officiating*

~The Obituary ~

**John Goodwin Frye**, 103, son of the late Dr. John Henry Frye and Florence Goodwin Frye, was born in Danville Kentucky and passed away in Danville on Sunday, February 8, 2009. He attended Simmons University after which he moved to Chicago where, after forty-nine years of labor, he retired as a supervisor from Chicago Central Post Office.

Upon retiring he returned to his native Danville where he established a hobby of raising rare fowls and small animals.

He was predeceased by his parents, his wife, Margie, his daughter, Dr. Florence Frye Winfield, his brother, James "Tump" Frye, his granddaughter, Donna Terry, and daughter-in-law Cornelia Frye.

He was active in several organization in Danville-Kiwanis, Senior Citizens. He was an active member of First Baptist Church Danville, serving as a Deacon, just as he had in Chicago.

He is survived by his devoted wife, Helen Fisher Frye; a son, John Goodwin Frye Jr.; three grandchildren, John Henry Frye, Margaret Frye Ransom (Conyers), Michael Winfield (Gilda); one son-in-law, Arnold Winfield and a niece, Robin Bryant (Chuck), other relatives and friends.

~ Order of Service ~

Musical Prelude..... Soft Music  
 Processional.....Soft Music  
 Selection.....Choir  
 Scripture.....Clergy  
 Prayer.....Clergy

Reflections from the family

John G. Frye, Jr., Son

Solo..... Jared Frye, Great Grandson

Resolutions, Acknowledgment of Cards, Letters, etc.....

Poetry .....Bro. Robert Trumbo

Remarks.....(2 minutes please).....Visiting Ministers

Solo.....Sis. Linda Tillman

Eulogy..... Bro. Ronald P. McCowan

Recessional.....Soft Music

Interment.....Hilldale Cemetery  
Danville, Kentucky

**Active Pallbearers**

Bro. Ennis Tillman

Bro. James Atkins

Bro. Leon Smith

Bro. Preston Johnson

Bro. Joey Griffin

Bro. Theodore Fields

**Honorary Pallbearers**

Kiwanis Club Member

William Richardson

Alonza McGuire

Lanny Lockett

**CASKET BEARERS**

Ben Brown

Jurdon Lee

Bentley Lee

Clark Walker

Clide Simpson

John Turner

**SMITH FUNERAL HOME**

**In Memoriam**

**Mrs. Mattie Andrews Frye**

September 9, 1905

February 21, 1972

St. James A. M. E. Church

Parksville, Kentucky

1:00 P. M.

Friday, February 25, 1972

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Mattie Andrews Frye daughter of the late Henry and Bettie Andrews was born September 9 1905 in Parksville Ky. She departed this life on Monday morning February 21 1972 at 6:30 A. M. in Ephraim McDowell Hospital after an illness of one day.

She was married to the late Hubert Frye deceased since 1953, and to this union two children were born, one of whom preceded her in death.

Early in life, she united with St. James A. M. E. Church, Parksville, where she was a faithful and devoted member. She maintained a sincere interest in every phase of church, always willing to serve wherever she was needed. She was Secretary of the Trustee Board, Treasurer of the Missionary Society, President of the Women's Club, Member of the Stewardess Board, and Superintendent of the Sunday School for a number of years.

The love and respect that she had for her family, especially her grandchildren, was exemplified in the care she gave them, always doing whatever she could that would add to their comfort and happiness.

She leaves to mourn her passing 1 son, Mr. G. W. Frye, Parksville, 1 sister, Mrs. Joe Sawyer, Indianapolis, Ind.; 4 brothers, Harrison Andrews, Indianapolis, Ind., Marshall Andrews, Frankfort, Ky., Stewart Andrews, Louisville, Ky., and Charlie Andrews, Danville, Ky., 3 grandchildren, 1 uncle, John Marshall, Parksville, 5 nieces, 3 nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

*There are many things in life,  
That we cannot understand,  
But we must trust God's Judgement,  
And be guided by His Hand.  
And so in faith we must believe,  
That Mercy is still on the throne,  
Though our hearts are filled with sorrow,  
We know God's will must be done.*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Hymn ..... Amazing Grace

Prayer

Scripture

Song

Acknowledgements - Resolutions

Song

Obituary ..... Read Silently

Solo ..... Precious Lord  
Rev. Thomas Kennedy

Remarks ..... Visiting Ministers

Song

Eulogy ..... Rev. E. B. Scott

Recessional



**CASKET-BEARERS**

Mr. Oscar Harris  
Mr. Chester Wilhite  
Mr. Bentley Mays  
Mr. Roy Neale  
Mr. George Lofton  
Mr. James Johnson

**ARRANGEMENTS BY**  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky

Obsequies of

**Mrs. Suella Doneghy Frye**



1889

1979

November 10, 1979  
1:30 P.M.

First Baptist Church  
Second and Walnut Streets  
Danville, Kentucky  
Rev. Richard Hill, Pastor

## FAMILY OBITUARY

Mrs. Suella Doneghy Frye, daughter of Thomas and Susan Whar-  
ton Doneghy, was born in Danville, Kentucky, March 10, 1889; she  
departed this life on November 8, 1979 in her native Danville.

At a very early age she professed a hope in Christ, joined First  
Baptist Church under the pastorate of Rev. J. E. Wood; and was a  
faithful and loyal member.

She was a graduate of Bate High School and State University,  
Louisville.

In 1912 she was united in holy marriage to the late James Edward  
Frye, Sr., and for fifty-nine years lived in Evanston, Illinois. There,  
also, she was a dedicated Christian worker and deaconess of Second  
Baptist Church.

She is survived by one sister, Miss Georgia Doneghy, with whom  
she has made her home for the past six years; one great-nephew, Mr.  
Richard Cooper of Chicago; two nieces, Mrs. Bernice Cherry and  
Mrs. Mary L. Sain, of Evanston, Illinois; four nephews, Dr. Jacob  
Frye and Mr. Harvey Frye of Evanston, Illinois, Mr. John G. Frye  
and Mr. J. "Tump" Frye of Danville; several cousins and other  
relatives.

*Servant of God well done  
Rest from thy loved employ  
The battles fought, the victory won  
Enter thy Master's joy.*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude

Processional

Song .....Choir

Song .....Choir

Scripture

Prayer

Song .....Choir

Song .....Choir

Acknowledgements ..... Mrs. Margie Durr

Family Obituary ..... Read Silently

Solo ..... Mrs. Sarolyn Harris  
*"I Am Satisfied with Jesus"*

Remarks

The Eulogy ..... Rev. Richard Hill

Recessional

## **23<sup>rd</sup> Psalm**

*The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;  
He leadeth me beside the still waters.*

*He restoreth my soul;*

*He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness  
for his name sake.*

*Yea, though I walk through the valley  
of the shadow of death,*

*I will fear no evil, for thou art with me;*

*Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.*

*Thou preparest a table before me  
in the presence of mine enemies;*

*Thou anointest my head with oil;  
my cup runneth over.*

*Surely, goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life; and I will dwell  
in house of the Lord forever.*

Amen.

### ***Acknowledgement***

The family of William "Bill" Frye, wish to thank everyone for all expressions of kindness, shown to them during their bereavement.

**Arrangements Entrusted To:**  
Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky

## *In Loving Memory* of **William "Bill" Frye**



1911 – 2008

### ***Funeral Service***

1:00 p.m

*Smith-Jackson Funeral Chapel*

*446 Bate Street  
Danville, Kentucky*

*Rev. David Chenault  
Officiating*

~ OBITUARY ~

William "Bill" Frye, age 96 was called to his eternal rest on Sunday, February 17, 2008.

He was born November 20, 1911 and was the nephew of the late Jane Dawson and Nick Hayden.

Bill relocated to Danville around 1940 from Michigan. He was formally employed at the Kentucky State Hospital and Centre College during his life in Danville.

He was a humble gentlemen and would often speak of how the world around him has changed during his lifetime.

Bill will be remembered by his caregivers Paul and Gloria Lewis, Danville, KY; a special friend Mayme Davis, Danville, KY; and a host of other friends.

*A precious one from us has gone  
A voice we loved is still  
A place is vacant in our home  
Which never can be filled.*

~ORDER OF SERVICE~

- Prelude.....Soft Music
- Processional.....Soft Music
- Solo.....
- Prayer.....Clergy
- Scripture.....Clergy
- Acknowledgements, Resolutions, Letters, Etc....
- Obituary.....(Read In Silence).....Soft Music
- Solo.....
- Remarks.....Visiting Ministers
- Words of Comfort.....Rev. David Chenault
- Recessional.....

**INTERMENT**

Hilldale Cemetery  
Danville, Kentucky

**Active Pallbearers**

|                      |                 |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| Leonard "Nick" Bates | Alonza McGuire  |
| June Christy         | Norman Jenkins  |
| Raymond Houston, Jr. | James Daugherty |

**Honorary Pallbearers**

Garland Dismeaux

**ACTIVE PALLBEARERS**

Everett Smith  
Charles Smith  
James Frye  
Joseph Frye  
George Spillman  
George Baker

**HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Employees of Jessamine County Bus Garage

**ARRANGEMENTS BY**

Smith-Jackson Funeral Home  
Danville, Kentucky

**IN LOVING MEMORY**

*of*



**William Clarence Frye**  
**Sept. 13, 1919 - Dec. 19, 1987**

**Services**  
**12:00 NOON**

**Bethel Methodist Church**  
**Nicholasville, Kentucky**

**The Rev. N.L. Passmore**  
**Officiating**

**Interment**  
**Camp Nelson National Cemetery**

## OBITUARY

William Clarence Frye, 235 East Walnut Street, Nicholasville, Kentucky died Saturday, December 19, 1987 at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, Lexington, Kentucky. He was a native of Jessamine County, son of the late Harrison and Mamie Booker Frye, member of the Ebenezer A.M.E. Church, Central Lodge #91 F & A.M., Fairest Chapter #104 O.E.S., P.H.A., and The Golden Harps. He was an employee of the Jessamine County School Board for over 30 years. First as a bus driver and a mechanic at the time of his death.

Survivors are two daughters, Ms. Rose Meads, Louisville, Kentucky and Mrs. Joyce Watkins, Lexington, Kentucky; two sons Ernest Meads, Louisville, Kentucky and Richard Meads, Lexington, Kentucky; 2 granddaughters; 3 grandsons; one sister, Ms. Corine Frye, Nicholasville, Kentucky; two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Sharon Meads, Louisville, Kentucky and Mrs. Diane Meads, Lexington, Kentucky; one son-in-law Delbert Watkins, Lexington, Kentucky.

Five nieces, Mrs. Willie D. Railey, Mrs. Mary C. Roberts and Ms. Iva Clayborn, Nicholasville, Kentucky; Ms. Mamie Prentice, Wilmore, Kentucky and Ms. Sylvia Frye, Richmond, Indiana; seven nephews, Everett Smith, Jessamine County; Charles Smith, Lexington, Kentucky; George Spillman, Nicholasville, Kentucky; James Frye, Camp Nelson, Kentucky; Joseph Frye, Lexington, Kentucky; Kenneth and Jonathan Frye, Richmond, Indiana; 15 great nieces; 22 great nephews and a host of great-great-nieces and nephews; and other relatives and friends.

*A precious one from us is gone  
A voice we loved is stilled  
A place is vacant in our home  
Which never can be filled*

*The Family*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

- Processional .....(*The Last Mile Of The Way*)
- Selection (*I'll Fly Away*) ..... Choir
- Scripture .....Rev. Michael Harris
- Prayer .....Rev. Mary R. White
- Acknowledgement of Cards, Telegrams,  
Letters, Etc. ....Mrs. Mattie Mitchell
- Solo (*He Lives*) .....Mrs. Anita Harris
- Words Of Tribute .....Visiting Ministers
- Obituary (*Soft Music*) ..... Read Silently
- Resolution .....Mrs. Mattie Mitchell
- Melody Of Songs ..... Golden Harps  
(*I've Done Crossed The Separated Line*)  
(*Can't Nobody Do Me Like Jesus*)
- Eulogy .....Rev. N.L. Passmore
- Recessional ..... (*Get Right Church And Let's Go Home*)
- Interment ..... Camp Nelson National Cemetery

**A**  
**CELEBRATION**  
**of Life Service**  
*Honoring The Life of*



*Yvonne (Katie) Dunn Frye*

**Sunrise**

June 2, 1957

**Sunset**

July 2, 2017

**Service**

Saturday, July 8, 2017

Visitation 11 AM – 1 PM Funeral at 1 PM

120 Paulding St. • Lancaster, KY

Pastor: David McPherson • Associate: Lic Patrick Alcorn

*“A funeral is not a day in a lifetime, it is a lifetime in a day.”*

*“God’s finger touched her and she slept.”*

*Our loved one has been entrusted to the care of*

**Spurlin Funeral Home**

1782 Lexington Rd. • Lancaster, KY

# Order of Service

Pastor Barry Bowman ..... Officiating  
St. Paul Predestinarian Baptist Church  
Processional..... Music Prelude  
Scripture..... Rev. James McPherson  
Stoney Point Baptist Church, Danville, KY  
Prayer..... Rev. David McPherson  
Pastor of First Baptist Church, Lancaster, KY  
Song ..... The Davis Sisters  
Resolutions, Acknowledgements  
Song ..... The Davis Sisters  
Remarks  
Song ..... The Kennedy's  
Eulogy..... Rev. Michael McPherson  
Sweet Leaf Primitive Baptist Church, Louisville, KY  
Recessional..... Peace In The Valley

## Acknowledgements

When it seemed that our loss was too great to bear;  
We looked up and our friends were there.  
With flowers and words, written and spoken.  
With faces smiling and hearts open,  
You comforted us and shared our grief.  
God will Bless you and keep you granting all relief  
Our gratitude cannot be adequately expressed with mere words,  
but they are the best that we have to offer in saying.  
Thank you for lifting the clouds and letting the sunshine through.  
She really loved you all and you loved her back.  
We all will miss her.

**Ushers:** William Hocker, David Williams, Ella B. Kavanaugh, Martha J. Warren

### *The Twenty-Third Psalm*

*The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside the still waters.  
He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the  
paths of righteousness for His name' sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of  
the shadow of death, I will fear no evil:  
for thou art with me; Thy rod and  
thy staff, they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence  
of mine enemies; thou anointest my head  
with oil; my cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life, and I will  
dwell in the House of the Lord forever.*



# Obituary

Yvonne "Katie" Dunn Frye, 60, went home to be with her heavenly father on July 2, 2017. As she so often spoke, God is my keeper and my provider. She was born on June 2, 1957 to the late Edwin Spillman and Sula Dunn in Lancaster, KY. Katie joined St. Paul Predestinarian Baptist Church in Lancaster, KY at an early age under the Pastor Rev. JT Ballew.

Katie married Robert Frye and had two children. She graduated from GCHS in 1976, where she played basketball. She worked at American Greeting Card Co. in Danville for a number of years, and Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, KY for approximately 20 years, until her death.

Katie lived her life to the fullest, and was a bingo junkie. Katie attended First Baptist Church in Lancaster, KY with her siblings for the past few years until her death.

Katie's memory will be cherished by; two daughters, Bridget Frye of Danville, and Ashley Frye of Danville, ; two sisters, Ann Leavell of Lancaster, Sheila Alcorn (Charles) of Stanford; two brothers, Robert (Diana) Ray and Darrell Spillman both of Lancaster; three grandchildren, Nautika McPherson, MaCee Logan and Raelynn Evans all of Danville; one brother-in-law James Black of Lancaster. Katie was preceded in death by Louie Dunn, Calvin Dunn, and Sarona Black. She leaves behind a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, special friends; Debra McPherson, Melissa Crafton, Benita Custard, Fannie Shultz, Penny Logan, Justin Johnson, and Charles Richardson.

Funeral services will be 1:00 PM Saturday, July 8, 2017 at First Baptist Church in Lancaster. Visitation will be 11:00 AM until service time at the Church.

Burial will be in Duncantown Cemetery in Lancaster, KY.

Active pallbearers are Robert Ray, Darius Hale, Charles Jones, Wilbur Dunn, Tony Hood, Antonio McPherson, Robert Keys, Michael Brewster, DaMontez Wilkerson, Terry Dunn, Deshawn McCormick, Damon Norris, Deon McPherson and Adrian Black.

Honorary pallbearers are Charles L. Johnson, James Black, Charles Richardson, Russell Kavanaugh, Mark Metcalf, Gwen Newcomb, Ann Hughley, Cabal Merritt, Jamaine Norris, David Roberts, Melody Soard, Gillis Dismeaux, Rodney Dunn, Ernest Dunn, Robert Frye, Jason Rawlings, Becky Robinson, Christine Flannery, William Doty Jr., Gene Gooch and Kevin Napier.

Flower girls will be Deborah McPherson, Benita Custard, Fannie Schultz, Melody Soard, Melissa Crafton, Penny Logan, and Gwen Williams.

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## May I Go Now?

*May I go now?*

*Do you think the time is right?*

*May I say goodbye to pain, falled days and endless night.*

*I lived my life and done my best, an example I tried to be.*

*So can I take the step beyond and set my spirit free?*

*I didn't want to go first.*

*I fought with all my might but something*

*seem to draw me in now to a warm and lovely light.*

*I want to go. I really do.*

*It's difficult to stay, but I will try as best I can*

*to live just one more day, to give you time to care for me,*

*to share your love and tears:*

*I know you are sad and afraid because I see your tears.*

*I will not be far I promise that, and hope you'll always know that my spirit*

*will be close to you where ever you my go.*

*Thank you so for loving me. You know I love you too.*

*That's why it's hard to say goodbye and end this life with you.*

*So hold me now just one more time and let me hear you say*

*because you care so much for me you'll let me go today.*

## Active Pallbearers

|                   |                    |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| Robert Ray        | Michael Brewster   |
| Darius Hale       | DaMontez Wilkerson |
| Charles Jones     | Terry Dunn         |
| Wilbur Dunn       | Deshaun McCormick  |
| Tony Hood         | Damon Norris       |
| Antonio McPherson | Deon McPherson     |
| Robert Keys       | Adrain Black       |

## Honorary Pallbearers

|                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| Charles L. Johnson | Gillis Dismeaux    |
| James Black        | Rodney Dunn        |
| Charles Richardson | Robert Frye        |
| Russell Kavanaugh  | Jason Rawlings     |
| Mark Metcalf       | Becky Robinson     |
| Gwen Newcomb       | Christine Flannery |
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| Cabal Merritt      | Gene Gooch         |
| Jamaine Norris     | Kevin Napier       |
| David Roberts      | Christine Flynn    |
| Melody Soard       |                    |

## Flower Girls

|                   |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| Deborah McPherson | Melissa Crafton |
| Benita Custard    | Penny Logan     |
| Fannie Schultz    | Gwen Williams   |
| Melody Soard      |                 |





## THE ESSENCE OF MOTHER

*Mother, what would I do without you?  
 You are the depth of human love.  
 In the dark of night I pray  
 And thank the Lord above  
 For sending:*

A mother who was always there for me,  
 A mother who was kind and sweet as could be.  
 A mother who shared my hurts and pains,  
 A mother who seldom ever complained.  
 A mother who knew what I was going through,  
 A mother who was faithful, steadfast and true.  
 A mother who wanted me to always succeed,  
 A mother who gave advice that I needed.  
 A mother who was worthy to be called that name,  
 A mother whose countenance was always the same.  
 A mother who cherished her children with pride,  
 A mother with an abundance of love deep inside.  
 A mother who did everything for her child that she could,  
 A mother who made my life virtuous and good.  
 A mother who was gracious, reliable and divine,  
 A mother who I am truly proud to call mine.

*You are the best Mother in this universe  
 And we'll love each other for better or worse.*

*From - CORTRELL, BRENDA & GRANDCHILDREN*

### *Acknowledgment*

The Family of the late Mrs. Mary E. Funderburk wishes to express their sincere appreciation for all of the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown to them during the homegoing of their beloved one. A more formal acknowledgment will be sent at a later date.

*May God Bless Each of You Always!*

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## HOMEGOING CELEBRATION

*Mrs. Mary E. Funderburk*

Sunrise: March 2, 1932 ~ Sunset: August 30, 2006



*Thursday, September 7, 2006*

Family Visitation: 10:00 a.m. ~ Service: 11:00 a.m.

ALDERSGATE  
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
 4069 Eastwood Lane  
 Warrensville Heights, Ohio 44122

*Dr. Julius C. Trimble, Officiating*

SENIOR PASTOR

~ *Order of Service* ~

Organ Prelude . . . . . Iona Smith  
Processional . . . . . The Cortege  
Family Visitation . . . . . 10:00 a.m. ~ 11:00 a.m.  
Scripture Readings . . . . . Pulpit  
    Old Testament Selection . . . . . Psalm 23  
    New Testament Selection . . . . . St. John 14:1-6  
Prayer of Comfort . . . . . Pulpit  
Musical Selection . . . . . Aldersgate Choir

*Acknowledgment of Condolences & Resolutions*

Evelyn Goodson

The Obituary . . . . . (*Organ Interlude*) . . Please Read Silently  
Musical Selection . . . . . Musician  
The Eulogy . . . . . Dr. Julius C. Trimble  
    Senior Pastor, Aldersgate United Methodist Church  
Closing Prayer. . . . . Pulpit  
Recessional . . . . . Organ Postlude

*Interment*

*Cleveland Memorial Gardens  
4324 S. Green Road  
Highland Hills, Ohio*

*Pall Bearers*

*Walter Mack Funderburk   Cortrell D. Funderburk   David Hart  
Ernest Ayers   Johnny D. Woodford   Chris Moore*

*Flower Attendants*

*Family and Friends*

*Repast*

*Immediately following the interment, family and friends  
will return to Aldersgate for a luncheon  
in the Van Horn Hall*

ALL DRIVERS IN PROCESSION:  
PLEASE TURN HEADLIGHTS ON FOR SAFETY



IN LOVING MEMORY

*Mrs. Mary E. Funderburk*

1932 - 2006

MRS. MARY ELIZABETH FUNDERBURK was born on March 2, 1932 in Danville, Kentucky and was raised by the late Jesse and Lillian Doneghy.

Mary received her formal education in her hometown and graduated from Bates High School.

Mary later relocated to Cleveland, Ohio where she met and, on May 28, 1960, was married to Walter Funderburk. This union was blessed with one child, a son, Cortrell Funderburk. She was a loyal and devoted wife and mother.

Mary was a member of Aldersgate United Methodist Church for a number of years. She was employed by Holiday Inn and was loved and respected by many.

Mary was called home on August 30, 2006 after a long battle with health issues. Her husband, Walter Funderburk, and a stepson, W. C. Funderburk, preceded her in death.

She leaves behind to cherish her loving memory: her son, Cortrell Funderburk, and daughter-in-law, Brenda Funderburk; three grandchildren, Cherie, Cortrell D., and Bryant D. Funderburk; a longtime aide and companion, Bernadine Foster; best friends, Ethel Agus and Beverly Magic; stepchildren, Walter M., Betty, Beula, and Donald Funderburk; cherished cousins, Joyce Emerson and Family; and a host of other relatives and treasured friends in Ohio and Danville, Kentucky.

LOVINGLY SUBMITTED,

*The Family*

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## His Journey Just Begun

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### A MEMORY AWAY

I'm no longer by your side,  
But there is no need to weep,  
I've left sweet recollections  
I'm hoping you will keep.

Now it's time to journey on,  
So let your faith be strong,  
For I am in a better place...  
I'm home where I belong.

Eternal joy and memories  
Stay in our hearts forever,  
Strengthening our special bond  
That parting can not sever.

And if times of loneliness  
Bring sorrow and dismay,  
Don't despair, for I am there...  
Just a Memory Away

Author Unknown



### THE BROKEN CHAIN



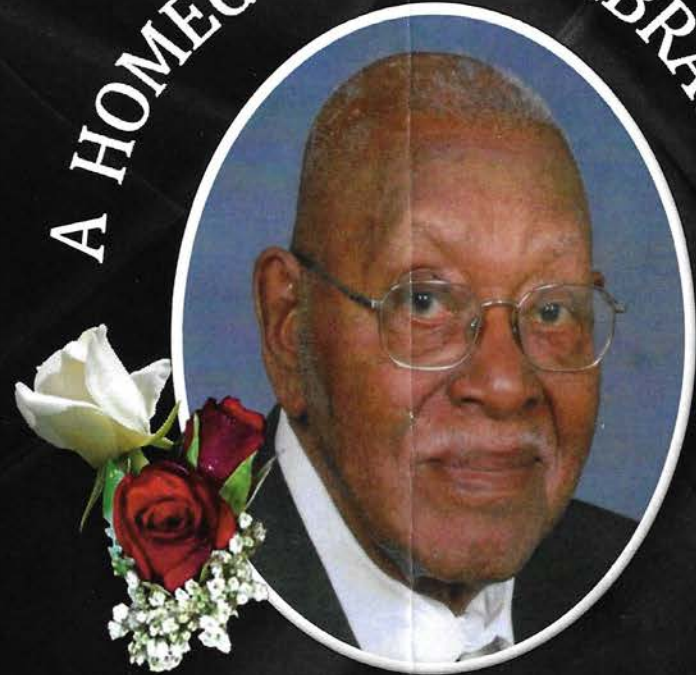
### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The family of the late Clyde H. Furman would like to express our sincere appreciation and thanks for the phone calls, visits, food, flowers, texts and all acts of kindness shown to us during the sickness and passing of our beloved daddy, granddad and great-granddad. Special appreciation to Pastor Yocum, our church family and friends. May God continue to bless each and every one.

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## A HOME GOING CELEBRATION



1924

Clyde Henry  
Furman

2021

**FUNERAL SERVICE**  
FRIDAY - NOVEMBER 5, 2021 - 1:00 PM

Carey and Son Funeral Home  
216 E. Main Street - Springfield, Kentucky

Rev. Jeffrey Yocum, Pastor  
First Baptist Church  
310 W. Main Street - Perryville, Kentucky



## **-IN BETWEEN THE DASH-**

June 19, 1924 - November 1, 2021

### **CLYDE H. FURMAN**

**D**eacon Clyde Henry Furman was born June 19, 1924 to Clarence Oliver and Mary Ethel Clark Furman in Marion County, Kentucky.

He departed this life on Monday, November 1, 2021 at his residence in Springfield, Kentucky. Clyde was preceded in death by his wife, Ruby Agnes Logan Furman (December 15, 1971), son-in-law, Frank D. Jones (January 10, 2015), sister, Naomi Furman and four brothers, Clarence Oliver Furman, Jr., James Charles Furman, George C. Furman and Thomas Ray Furman.

Clyde was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church of Perryville, where he was as a Deacon serving for over 60 years, a member of the senior choir under the direction of Sis. Amelia Burton and lead his favor song "I Am So Grateful", member of the Brotherhood Club, and Brotherhood Choir; served as church treasurer, attended Sunday School regularly and assisted wherever he could. He was an Army Veteran of World War II, a member of the American Legion Post #121 in Bardstown, Kentucky a retired employee of the General Electric Company and a retired farmer.

He loved his daughter, grandchildren and family. Clyde adored the grandchildren especially the great grandchildren and enjoyed their visits. He loved to laugh and joke with everyone.

Clyde is survived by his loving and devoted daughter, Ruby Evelyn Jones of Springfield, Kentucky; two grandchildren, Evelyn Janee' Jones (Justin Maddox) and Stewart Franklin Jones, Springfield, Ky and five great grandchildren, Jaleah Jones, Jazzlyn Maddox, Jaelyn Maddox, Ka'dren Jones and Zaden Jones and one sister, Delcenia Mickens of Louisville, KY; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

## **ORDER OF SERVICE**

- Musical Prelude.....
- Processional.....Soft Music
- Solo.....Sis. Crystal Yocum
- Scripture.....Clergy
- Prayer.....Clergy
- Resolutions / Acknowledgements.....
- Tribute.....Bro. Bobby Burton
- Obituary..... (Read in Silence).....Soft Music
- Solo.....Sis. Crystal Yocum
- Eulogy.....Pastor Jeffrey Yocum
- Recessional.....



### **Interment**

Bethlehem Cemetery - Springfield, Kentucky  
Military Rites - Marion County Veterans Honor Guard

### **Pallbearers**

Stewart Jones, Justin Maddox, Jordan Hurst  
Gene Thompson, George Thompson, Johnny Thompson

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Brotherhood of First Baptist Perryville

## *Pallbearers*

Marion Clark, Sr.  
Morris Clark  
Steven Clark  
Muriel Houston

Joseph McMillian  
Jesse Savage, Jr.  
James Derkins  
Herbert Houston

Hildred Clark

## *Acknowledgement*

Perhaps you sang a lovely song, Or sat quietly in a chair.  
Perhaps you sent some beautiful flowers, If so, we saw them there.  
Perhaps you sent or spoke some kind words, As any friend would say.  
Perhaps you were not there at all, Just thought of us that day.  
Perhaps you prepared some tasty food, Or may have furnished a car.  
Perhaps you rendered a service unseen, Near at hand or from afar.  
Whatever you did to console our heart.  
We Thank you so much whatever the part.

The Family



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## *In Memoriam*

*Charles Edward Fykes*  
1917 - 1990



*Thursday, June 28, 1990*  
1:00 p.m.

*A.D. Dorter & Sons Funeral Home*  
1300 West Chestnut Street  
Louisville, Kentucky

# Obituary

When I must leave you  
for a little while  
Please go on bravely  
with a gailant smile  
And for my sake  
And in my name  
Live on and do  
All things the same.  
Spend not your life  
in empty days  
But fill each waking hour  
in useful ways.  
Reach out your hand  
in comfort and in cheer  
And I in turn will comfort you  
and hold you near.

Thus it was for **Charles Edward Fykes**, who was called to meet his Maker on Monday, June 25, 1990, at 1:30 a.m. It had been with much joy that he came into the world on January 8, 1917, in Louisville, KY, to the happy home of the late Charles and Lula B. Fykes. He was reared in the neighborhood known as South Louisville, where he attended the Public Schools. He graduated from Central High School and Kentucky State College, now a University.

He professed a hope in Christ at an early age and joined the "N" Street Baptist Church. In later years, he attended the Central Baptist Church with his family.

He was united in holy matrimony to the former Amanda McDherson on May 17th, 1945 and to this union was born a daughter, Ann Fykes.

He worked for the Medical Depot for some years, after which he went to work for the U.S. Government Postal Service, as a mail clerk, until he retired.

Charles was a quiet and loveable person who cherished his family and friends. To cherish his memory he leaves a devoted wife, Amanda Fykes; a loving daughter, Ann Fykes; 4 sisters, Lydia B. Harris, Verna M. Johnson, Certrude J. Wimbrey and Barbara D. Wells; 3 brothers Wilbur H. Fykes, Abram S. Fykes and Arnold H. Fykes of Shelbyville, IN; 4 Sisters-in-Law and 2 Brothers-in-Law and a host of other relatives and friends.

A light from our house is gone  
A voice we love is stilled  
A place is vacant in our home  
Which never can be filled.

The Family

# Order Of Service

Processional

Scripture.....Rev. William McDaniel

Prayer

Selection.....Sr. Choir of Central Baptist Church

Acknowledgements.....Sis. Wilma Young

Obituary.....Please Read Silently

Remarks.....Visiting Ministers

Solo.....Mrs. Linda Johnson

Eulogy.....Rev. Charles Young  
Pastor of Central Baptist Church

Closing Prayer

Recessional

Interment.....Louisville Cemetery