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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The FAMILY wishes to thank their many friends for every act of kindness and sympathy shown during their berevement.

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MRS. FLOSSIE FARROW RIVERS
1904 - 1981

MOREHEAD BAPTIST CHURCH
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1981
1:00 P. M.

REV. B. A. MACK, OFFICIATING

O B I T U A R Y

FLOSSIE FARROW RIVERS, the daughter of the late Gilbert and Emma Farrow, was born March 15, 1904 in Durham, N.C.

She departed her life Monday, June 15 at Duke Hospital.

She was married to the late Lee Rivers.

She was a loving and devoted mother, sister, grandmother and great-grandmother who was cheerful, truthful and earnest with everyone at all times.

She was a member of the Morehead Baptist Church and an active member of the N.C. Council of Senior Citizens as well as the Durham Council.

Survivors include; one daughter, Mrs. Julia P. Hinton of Durham; one son, Mr. Cornell Rivers of Durham; one sister, Mrs. Christine Gunter of Durham; three grandchildren, Mr. Deryl E. Hinton of Englewood, N.J.; Mrs. Eleanor H. Haytt of Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. Reginald E. Hinton of Durham: and two great grandchildren Daphne C. Haytt of Atlanta, Ga. and Reginald E. Hinton Jr. of Durham and other relatives and friends.

O R D E R O F S E R V I C E

Rev. B. A. Mack, Presiding

PRELUDE		Mr. Howard Hill
PROCESSIONAL		
HYMN	"What a Friend We Have In Jesus"	Choir
SCRIPTURE	Psalm 90	Rev. Vernon Thompson
PRAYER OF COMFORT		Rev. Vernon Thompson
HYMN	"Come Ye This Consolate" #228	Choir
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND RESOLUTIONS		Mrs. J. B. McLester
SELECTIONS		Mr. Howard Hill
EULOGY		Rev. B.A. Mack
RECESSIONAL		Choir

INTERMENT

BEECHWOOD CEMETERY

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Memorial Services

FOR

Lawrence C. Rivers

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1985

1:00 P.M.

Saint Paul A. M. E. Church

West Edenton and Harrington Streets
Raleigh, North Carolina

OBITUARY

Lawrence C. Rivers, son of the late Annie Rivers Sanders, was born and reared in Sumter, South Carolina. He attended the local schools of Sumter and later matriculated and graduated from Hampton University with a degree in Printing.

Lawrence, or "Heavy" as he was affectionately called, moved to the Raleigh area and became affiliated with the Saint Paul A.M.E. Church where he served as a trustee for a number of years. He was married to Blanche Lee Allen, who joined her husband in membership at Saint Paul. Lawrence was an active member of his church until his health deteriorated.

He began his employment as a printer at Allen University, Columbia, S. C., then moved to Wilmington. He later held positions in Raleigh with "The Carolinian" newspaper, and Irving-Swain Press, Inc., and taught printing at the Governor Morehead School.

Other memberships included the Hampton Alumni Association and the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

He is survived by his widow, Blanche A. Rivers, several cousins and a host of friendss.

POEM

God saw the load was getting heavy,
So, He gently closed his weary eyes
The hills were hard to climb.
And whispered, "Peace be thine".

The Family

ORDER OF SERVICE

PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN ..... "When Peace, Like A River"

PRAYER ..... Rev. Howard Cunningham

HYMN ..... "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee"

SCRIPTURE ..... Rev. Marion Robinson

TRIBUTE

HYMN ..... "Precious Lord"

EULOGY ..... Rev. G. L. Edmond

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT ..... Carolina Biblical Gardens

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family gratefully acknowledges with sincere appreciation the many acts and expressions of kindness and sympathy extended during this period.

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Nephews and Friends

~ Floral Bearers ~

Nieces and Friends

~ Acknowledgement ~

With grateful hearts, the Roberts Family wishes to thank each of you for every act of kindness, floral tributes, prayers, cards and support shown during the illness and passing of our love one. May God continue to richly bless each of you.

~ In Memoriam ~

If you never lost a love one
who is very dear to you,
The one you love so very much
and miss him like we do.

If you have never had this feeling,
then I pray you never do,
For when Jesus takes your loved one,
He takes a part of you.

Though his smile is gone forever,
and his hands we cannot touch,
Still we have so many memories
of the one we loved so much;

His memory is our keepsake
with which we shall never part,
God has him in His keeping,
we have him in our hearts,

The Family

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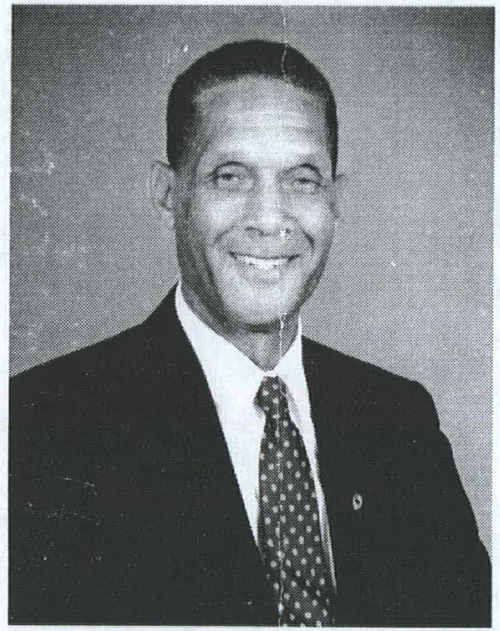
Mr. John Devitt Roberts

~ Sunrise ~
October 5, 1926

~ Sunset ~
March 31, 2002



Thursday, April 4, 2002
2:00 P.M.

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church
Stagville Road
Bahama, North Carolina

The Reverend James Smith, Pastor
Officiating Minister

~ *The Order of Service* ~

PRELUDE ..... *Ms. Bonnie Brown, Musician*

PROCESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

HYMN ..... *The Choir*
"Solid Rock"

SCRIPTURES ..... *Father John Sharpe*
St. Mark's Angelican Church
Durham, North Carolina
Old Testament
New Testament

PRAYER AND REMARKS ..... *The Reverend Charles White*

HYMN ..... *The Choir*
"Because He Lives"

REMARKS FROM FAMILY ..... *Ms. Tonya Roberts*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS
AND RESOLUTIONS ..... *Ms. Donna Watson*

OBITUARY ..... *Please Read Silently*

SOLO ..... *Mr. Leonard Meekins*
"Through It All"

EULOGY ..... *The Reverend James Smith*

HYMN ..... *The Choir*

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF ..... *The Funeral Director*

RECESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

POSTLUDE ..... *Ms. Bonnie Brown, Musician*

~ Interment ~

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church Cemetery
Stagville Road
Bahama, North Carolina

~ *The Obituary* ~

Mr. John Devitt Roberts, son of the late John Tillett Roberts and the late Alice Parker Roberts, was born in Durham, North Carolina on October 5, 1926. He departed this life on March 31, 2002.

"John D" as he was called by many, graduated from Little River High School in 1944. He was a faithful employee of Grand Union, Inc. for 31 years before his retirement.

John was united in Holy Matrimony to Mary Elizabeth McCrae on July 23, 1949 and they were blessed with 52 years together.

John was a kind, generous, loving and dedicated husband, father, father-in-law, grandfather, brother and uncle. He was very proud of his wife "Lizzie" and his seven children and always wanted the best in life for his family.

Rejoicing in his memory, but mourning his loss are his wife, Mary Elizabeth of the home and four duaghters, Sandra J. Roberts of Greensboro, North Carolina, Paulette Roberts of Portsmouth, Virginia, Sharon R. Poindexter (Rodney) and Janice Roberts, both of Durham, North Carolina; three sons, James Carlton Roberts (Denise), Ricky Roberts (Tonya) and Kenneth Roberts (Brenda), all of Durham, North Carolina; grandchildren, Rod, Jacolby, Shantora, Rashad, Ashley, Eric and Andre; four sisters, Joyce Bernice Lyon, Alease R. Watson, Ruth R. Poole and Laura B. Hedspeth; one brother, Alfonza Waddell Roberts of Durham, North Carolina; one sister-in-law, Ruby Wade of Baltimore, Maryland; several nieces and nephews and a host of other loving relatives and dear friends. He was preceded in death by one son, John Larry Roberts.

On Easter Sunday morning, the Lord called John from labor to reward. Although we will miss him so very deeply, we realize it was God's plan to release his spirit from this earthly body and lift him to a level that is free from pain.

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RIVERS — Funeral service for Mrs. Theodora McClain Rivers, 120 Chalmers St. will be held Friday Friday at 1:00 p.m. at Union Baptist Church, Rev. Kenneth Hammond, officiating. Burial will follow in Beechwood Cemetery. Family will receive friends tonight from 7:00 - 8:00 at Union Baptist Church, 904 E. Roxboro St.

Theodora Rivers

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Friends of the Family

~ Honorary Pallbearers ~

James E. Shepard Sertoma Club
Durham Chapter, WSSU Alumni Association
WSSU Class of 1946

~ Floral Bearers ~

The Ebenezer Missionary Society

~ Honorary Floral Bearers ~

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~ Acknowledgement ~

Your thoughtfulness, prayers and concern have been a blessing. Words are inadequate to express our gratitude for the many acts of kindness and compassionate gestures shown during our time of bereavement. May God continue to shower each of you with His love and blessings.

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~ May The Work I've Done Speak For Me ~

May the teaching we've done speak for us
May the young lives we've touched speak for us
When we are resting in the shade
Remembering the difference we've made
May the lives we've touched speak for us.

May the students we have taught speak for us
May their conduct and high standards speak for us
When they go about their everyday living
Of sharing, loving, teaching, and giving
May the work we've done speak for us.

May the programs, operettas and carnivals speak for us
May the PTA and home visitations speak for us When we are watching the young minds grow.....
The height of their achievements we'll never know
May the love, patience and care speak for us.

May the harmony of school and community speak for us
May the home, school and church speak for us
When we have done the best we can do
There will be someone to criticize you
May the work we've done speak for us.

Chorus: The work we've done, it seems so small.
Sometimes it seems like, seems like nothing at all.
But when we stand before our God
We want Him to say "well done"
May the work we've done speak for us.

.....Charlie T. Roach

Celebrating the Life and Work
of

Mr. Charlie Thomas Roach, Sr.

~ Sunrise ~ *March 23, 1923*
~ Sunset ~ *October 14, 2001*

"For I am ready to be offered, and the time of my depqrture is at hand. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith."
II Timothy 4: 6-7

Thursday, October 18, 2001
12:00 P.M.

Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Church
2200 South Alston Avenue
Durham, North Carolina 27707

The Reverend Dr. Cornelius E. Battle, Pastor
Officiating Minister

~ The Order of Service ~

PRELUDE ..... *The Musician*

PROCESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

HYMN OF PRAISE ..... *The Ebenezer Church Choir*

SCRIPTURES ..... *Minister*
Old Testament
New Testament

PRAYER OF COMFORT ..... *Minister*

HYMN OF CONSOLATION ..... *The Ebenezer Church Choir*
"Precious Lord"

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS
AND RESOLUTIONS ..... *Appointee*

TRIBUTES: *(Please Limit To Two (2) Minutes)*
James E. Shepard Sertoma Club ..... *Mr. Carl Hodges*
WSSU Class of 1946 ..... *Mrs. Mamie Alston*
Church and Community ..... *Deacon J. D. Williams*

OBITUARY ..... *Please Read Silenty*

HYMN OF PREPARATION ..... *The Ebenezer Church Choir*
"May The Work I've Done Speak For Me"

EULOGY ..... *The Reverend Dr. Cornelius E. Battle*

HYMN OF ASSURANCE ..... *The Ebenezer Church Choir*
"He'll Understand And Say Well Done"

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF ..... *The Funeral Director*

RECESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

POSTLUDE ..... *The Musician*

~ Interment ~

Eden Garden Cemetery
Eden, North Carolina

~ The Obituary ~

The infinite wisdom of God is never to be questioned. The most serious and important thing in the universe is the way a life is lived. The object of Jesus Christ's death was that there could be life eternal with God.

Charlie Thomas Roach, Sr. son of the late Dell P. Roach and Willie Anna Carter Roach, was born March 23, 1923 in Reidsville, Rockingham County, NC. He slipped silently and quickly through the portals of eternity on Sunday morning, October 14, 2001 at Durham Regional Medical Center.

Charlie attended the Rockingham County Public Schools where he proved himself to be an excellent student at Wentworth Elementary and Douglas High Schools. In 1942, he entered Winston-Salem State University, (formerly called Winston-Salem Teachers College), graduating in 1948 after taking two years off for service in the United States Army during World War II

He was married to the late Dorcinia Poole, and to this union one son was born.

Charlie was an active member of Ebenezer Baptist Church and a life member of the James E. Shepard Sertoma Club. He joined the Sertoma Club in 1985 and over the years he recruited four outstanding members and sold more than $1,600 in car raffle tickets and $18,000 in fruitcakes to support the community projects. He was honored as the 1994-95 "Educator of the Year" by the Sertoma Club. He was a recipient of many honors and awards.

He was a loyal supporter of the Durham Chapter of the WSSU Alumni Association and the WSSU National Alumni Association. One of Charlie's past time passions was writing poetry. He has written more than 500 poems, many of them given as gifts or published in various print media.

He was an avid gardener, using his farming expertise in cultivating some 20 varieties of vegetables that he shared with more than 100 families yearly for free!

Charlie leaves to cherish fond memories, a devoted friend Aletha Rease of Durham, NC; son, Charlie T. Roach, Jr. of Charlotte, NC; twin sisters, Odella Covington and Odessa Bullitt, both of Reidsville, NC; two brothers, Irvin Roach and Samuel E. Roach, Sr., both of Reidsville, NC, several nieces, nephews, cousins, other loving relatives and many, many dear friends.

~ Accomplishments ~

During his life, Charlie has had many significant accomplishments, distinguishing himself as a "first" in several endeavors. Several follow:

- *Outstanding in football in college;*
- *Played baseball with North Carolina A&T since "T.C." did not have a team;*
- *Summers played baseball with the Black semi-pro teams of the state;*
- *Charlie played for the Asheville Blues, Greensboro Redbirds and Goshen Redwings and the Durham Eagles and Rams;*
- *1952 joined a white minor league team when the New Bern Bears of the Coastal Plain League hired him;*
- *Recognized and honored on numerous occasions as one of the dwindling survivors of the Negro Baseball League era ;*
- *Taught in the Durham Public Schools for 37 years;*
- *Pursued further studies at the University of North Carolina Greensboro and North Carolina Central University;*
- *Taught at W.G. Pearson and Fayetteville Street Elementary Schools;*
- *Assistant principal at Durham High School and served in that capacity until he retired in 1985;*
- *A Golden Glove boxing contender with 15 KO's, 5 TKO's;*
- *Cub Scout Master for 17 years during teaching career;*
- *Safety Patrol and trainer for city and county schools Boys and Girls. Safety Patrol for 18 years.*
- *The patrol won first place each year in the Safety Patrol Annual Parade in Washington, DC;*
- *Recipient of the Terry Sanford Award as Outstanding Educator for the 9th District in NC;*
- *A teacher in Okinawa, Japan where he was Commissioner of Football and NEA Treasurer on Okinawa, Japan, Taiwan and Guam; softball coach for Naha, Okinawa;*
- *First African-American male to teach in a foreign country from NC;*
- *The foreman over 15 workers at Proctor-Gamble Soap Factory in Baltimore, MD;*
- *Played 1st base with the Willie Mays' All-Star Team on the Eastern Coast;*
- *Played 3rd base against Jackie Robinson All Stars;*
- *Played on Dick Grout's All-Star Team.....Duke University and Pittsburgh Pirates National League;*
- *First African-American professional baseball player for the North Carolina Coastal League, the New Bern Bears;*
- *Listed in the Baseball Hall of Congress in Kansas City as the "No. 1, 3rd Baseman" in NC in 1951;*
- *First man of color as salesman of Major Magazines in NC.*

FLORAL BEARERS

Ladies, Morehead Avenue Baptist Church

PALLBEARERS

Men, Morehead Avenue Baptist Church

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The FAMILY gratefully acknowledges and deeply appreciates the many acts of kindness shown during the illness and homegoing of Mr. Luther Roberts. May God Bless You!

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In Memoriam

Mr. Luther Roberts

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Morehead Avenue Baptist Church

Durham, North Carolina

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Wednesday, April 29, 1981

2:00 P.M.

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The Reverend B. A. Mack, Pastor, Officiating

Obituary

MR. LUTHER ROBERTS, son of the late William and Henrietta Roberts, was born February 17, 1910 in Durham, N. C. and departed this life April 24, 1981, following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Roberts was educated in the Durham City Schools. He was employed at the Duke University Apartments for many years.

He was a devout member of the Gethsemane Baptist Church for a number of years. Due to his disability, he found it more convenient to attend the Morehead Avenue Baptist Church.

Survivors: sister, Mrs. Edna Bronson of Durham, N. C.; six brothers, William Roberts, James Roberts, Odell Roberts, John W. Roberts and Haywood Roberts, all of Durham, N. C. and Emerson Roberts of Kinston, N. C.; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends, including Mrs. Mary Frances Holt, a niece of Boston Massachusetts.

Although the curtain falls at last
Is that a cause to grieve?
The future's fairer than the past
If only we believe.
And trust in God's Eternal care —
So when the Master calls,
Let's say that Life is still more fair
Although the curtain falls.

— The Family

Poets I chapt 8th Verse

Order Of Service

PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN . . . . . The Choir

SCRIPTURE

PRAYER

HYMN . . . . . The Choir

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS - RESOLUTIONS

SELECTION

EULOGY "Luther Roberts Was a Witness" . . . . . The Reverend B. A. Mack

RECESSIONAL

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Interment
Glennview Memorial Park
Apex Highway
Durham, N. C.

Drivers in the procession, please turn on your headlights for safety.

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Funeral Home, ...

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ROBERTS

Barbara Ann Moore Roberts was first born on Nov. 5, 1933, and was reborn to a new life on April 12, 2000. Barbara retired from Durham Housing Authority in October of 1993, after 25 years of service.

Barbara was a member of Union Baptist Church, where she taught Sunday school and was a young adult missionary leader. She was also a member of the Thrifty Savings Club.

ROBERTS

Barbara was well-known and loved throughout the Durham community. She always had warm, welcoming arms and a godly word for whoever needed it. Her ministry was one of "Big Mama" for everyone she met, always keeping her door open to receive them.

Barbara was one of seven children. She was preceded in death by two brothers, James and Donald Moore, and her great-nephew, Joshua Mckoy. Barbara was united in holy matrimony to Alfonza Roberts in 1954, and to this union three daughters were born.

Barbara leaves to cherish her memory, three daughters, Cheryle J. Roberts, of Durham, Debra E. Roberts, and Sandre'a S. Roberts, of the home; her mother, Beatrice E. Holeman, of Durham; two sisters, Margaret "Judy" Holeman and Ruth McDonald, both of Durham; two brothers, Larry E. Holeman, of Washington, D.C., and William "Cabbage" Edwards, of Durham; three sisters-in-law, Shirley Moore, of New Jersey,, Earline Moore, of Durham, and Sheila Holeman, of Maryland; along with a host of nephews, nieces, friends, and "children" that she inherited through her ministry.

The family would like to give special thanks to Cora Smith and Winifred Deigh and all of the nursing staff of Interim, Sheila and Della Mangum from Superb Nursing, Dr. J. Jones and staff of Triangle Heart Association, and Dr. Juan Alva and nurse Debbie Hilliard.

Funeral services will be Monday, April 17, 2000, at 2 p.m. at Union Baptist Church, with the Rev. Kenneth R. Hammond officiating. Interment will follow in Glennview Memorial Park. The family will receive friends one hour before the service at Union Baptist Church and all other times at the home, 2922 Wedgedale Dr. Services are entrusted to and provided by Ellis D. Jones & Sons Funeral Directors.

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Honorary Pallbearers

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Floral Bearers

Members of the Hillside Class of 1972
The Hazel B. Plummer Sunday School Class

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Acknowledgments

The McAuley Family sincerely thanks all of our dear friends and relatives for the many acts of kindness extended during our hours of great sorrow.

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IN MEMORIAM

Sgt. Gail McAuley Roberts

1954 — 1986

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West Durham Baptist Church
1901 Athens Street
Durham, North Carolina

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Saturday, January 3, 1987
One O'Clock in the Afternoon

Dr. Harold J. Cobb, Sr., Officiating

Obituary

GAIL ELIZABETH McAULEY ROBERTS, the daughter of Wanzie L. and Ernestine Gunn McAuley, was born on September 24, 1954 in Durham, North Carolina. She departed this life on Christmas Day 1986 in Honduras.

She attended the Durham City Schools, graduating from Hillside High School in 1972. Always active, Gail was a member of the Hillside High Marching and Symphonic Bands, Editor of the Hillside Chronicle, a member of the Afro-American Society and Concerned Students.

She worked at several area companies after her high school graduation including Burroughs Wellcome, Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Hillcrest Convalescent Home and Data Services, Inc.

She matriculated at the University of North Carolina, where she was an active member of the campus thespians.

After first joining the Army Reserves, Gail decided in 1983 to join the U.S. Army. She was assigned in December 1986 to the Task Force Bravo Unit at Palmerolo Air Base in Honduras after receiving training at Fort Gordon, Georgia. This was her second temporary assignment in Honduras. Her permanent duty station was Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

Gail was a member of West Durham Baptist Church while growing up in Durham. She participated in the Tot Choir and the Sunshine Band.

Surviving are a son, Christopher Squire; a daughter, Tiffany Cherie; her parents, Wanzie L. McAuley and Ernestine G. McAuley of Durham; one sister, Ms. Linda C. McAuley of Jersey City, New Jersey; four brothers, Mr. Wanzie A. McAuley of Oak Ridge, Tenn., Mr. Tyrone L. McAuley of Durham, Mr. Michael E. McAuley of Durham and Mr. Timothy W. McAuley of Durham; her paternal grandfather, Mr. Emuel McAuley of Sanford, N.C., and a number of other relatives and friends.

Gail was a source of inspiration to us all. Her love of family, her integrity and sincerity will be remembered by all who held her dear.

"Nothing should be more highly prized than the value of each day."

Memorial Tribute

ORGAN PRELUDE ..... Leon Cole

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN — *Blessed Assurance* ..... Combined Choir

SCRIPTURE ..... Chaplain

PRAYER

REMARKS ..... SSG. Kelvin McDonald

HYMN — *How Great Thou Art*

POEM — "Footprints" ..... Betty Copeland

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... Mrs. Helen Jones

OBITUARY (Silent Reflections - Music *Precious Lord*)

SOLO ..... Frenchie Wiggins
He Looked Beyond My Fault

EULOGY ..... Dr. Harold J. Cobb

RECESSIONAL HYMN ..... *My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me*

Interment
Beechwood Cemetery
Durham, N.C.

DRIVERS IN THE PROCESSION, PLEASE TURN ON HEADLIGHTS FOR SAFETY.

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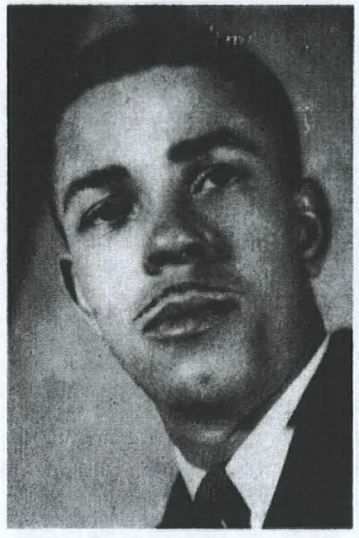

MR. JOHNNIE TILLETT ROBERTS, SR.

1910 — 1966

Mount Vernon Baptist Church

DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA

Sunday, January 16, 1966

12:15 P.M.

THE REVEREND E. T. BROWNE, *Minister*

OBITUARY

MR. JOHNNIE TILLETT ROBERTS, SR., was born September 26, 1910 in Durham County, North Carolina. He was one of eleven children of the late Willie Vester Roberts and Mrs. Sarah J. Turrentine Roberts. He departed this life January 13, 1966 at Durham, North Carolina.

He was educated in the Durham County elementary and high schools. He was trained for his profession at the Bull City Barber College. At the time of his death he was employed at the Carolina Barber Shop.

His marriage to Miss Ollie Mack of Durham County, North Carolina occurred in August, 1937. To this union four children were born of whom all survive.

During World War II he saw service with the United States Army, serving in the European and Pacific theatres.

He joined the Mount Vernon Baptist Church on January 15, 1950 and remained a member until death. He was a member of the Male Chorus.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ollie M. Roberts; two daughters, Mrs. Carolyn R. Gill and Miss Norma Ruth Roberts, of Durham, North Carolina; two sons, Johnnie Tillett Roberts, Jr. and Alfred Roberts, of Durham, North Carolina; one grandchild, Kimberly Anne Gill, of Durham, North Carolina; four sisters, Mrs. Mamie Gentry, of Portsmouth, Ohio, Mrs. Grayce Williams, of Gary, Indiana, Mrs. Carolyn Cates and Mrs. Annie Gilmore, of Durham, North Carolina; two brothers, Garland Roberts, of New York and Claude L. Roberts, of Durham County, North Carolina; several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN ..... MALE CHORUS

SCRIPTURE — PSALM 91:1-8

PRAYER

HYMN ..... MALE CHORUS

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

ZONE LEADER

HYMN ..... MALE CHORUS

EULOGY—*"Life As A Tale Told"* ..... PASTOR BROWNE

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT — GLENNVIEW MEMORIAL PARK
MILITARY RITES

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MARVIN O. ROBERTS

Marvin O. Roberts, 1006 S. Alston Avenue, passed suddenly Monday morning. He has lived in Durham since boyhood.

He was proprietor of Mears Cleaners, 3031 Fayetteville Street. For many years he was a member of Mount Vernon Baptist Church where he served as a deacon and the church clerk, a member of the T. L. Rowland Bible Class, and a member and counselor of the male chorus.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 3:30 p.m. at Mount Vernon Baptist Church with the Reverend J. W. Barnes, formerly of Durham, officiating. Interment will be in Glennview Memorial Park.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Betty Hick Roberts, his mother, Mrs Rosa Hayes, Mullen, South Carolina; a sister, Miss Myrtle Roberts of New York City; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Eddye Hicks Fogle of Durham and a host of relatives and friends.

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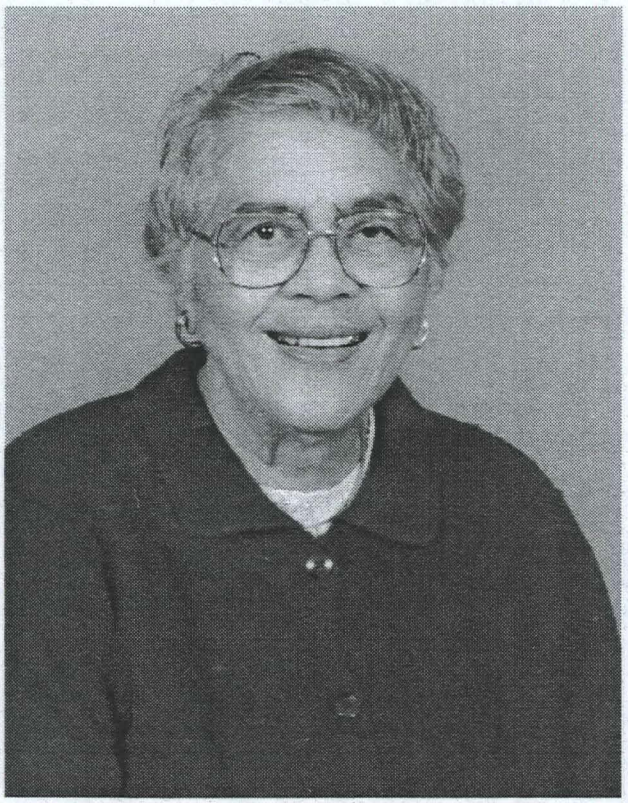
Service of Celebration
for

Mrs. Ollie Mae Mack Roberts

~ Sunrise ~ *March 19, 1914*

~ Sunset ~ *August 6, 2001*



Thursday, August 9, 2001
1:00 P.M.

Mount Vernon Baptist Church
1007 South Roxboro Street
Durham, North Carolina 27707

The Reverend Dr. Percy L. High, Pastor
The Reverend Dr. W. E. Daye
Officiating Minister

~ *The Order of Service* ~

PRELUDE ..... *The Musician*

HYMN OF PRAISE ..... *The Senior Choir*

SCRIPTURES ..... *The Reverend Jarvis Johnson, Pastor*
Cain's Chapel Baptist Church
Hillsborough, North Carolina
Old Testament
New Testament

PRAYER OF COMFORT ..... *The Reverend Jarvis Johnson*

HYMN OF CONSOLATION ..... *The Senior Choir*

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ..... *Mrs. Elaine Jones*

OBITUARY ..... *Please Read Silently*

SPECIAL TRIBUTE ..... *The Family*

SOLO ..... *Mr. Roosevelt Lipscomb*

EULOGY ..... *The Reverend Dr. William E. Daye, Pastor*
Peace Missionary Baptist Church
Durham, North Carolina

HYMN OF ASSURANCE ..... *The Senior Choir*

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF ..... *The Funeral Director*

RECESSIONAL ..... *Musical Interlude*

POSTLUDE ..... *The Musician*

~ Death Came Quietly ~

Death came quietly, and gave me gentle sleep,
To those that I leave behind, please don't you weep;
The good Lord giveth, and at times, He takes away,
Nothing on His earth, is forever.....

Rejoice now and celebrate, the life He gave to me,
All things that happen, are surely meant to be.
When I was alive, you were all so dear,
If you just remember the good times,
You'll feel that I am near.

It's times like these, that weigh heavy on the heart,
Put a smile on your face, and make a brand new start.
Family and friends I loved, please don't you weep,
Death came quietly, and gave me gentle sleep.

The Family

~ *The Obituary* ~

Mrs. Ollie Mae Mack Roberts was born on March 19, 1914 in Durham County, NC to the late Mr. John Wesley Mack, Sr. and the late Mrs. Grace Wilson Mack. She was the third of thirteen children born to this union. She departed this life peacefully at her residence on August 6, 2001.

Mrs. Roberts was married to the late Johnnie Tillett Roberts, Sr. To this union four children were born: Johnnie, Jr., Alfred , Carolyn and Norma.

Mrs. Roberts was educated in the former Durham County and City School Systems. She graduated from Hillside High School in the Class of 1934. She later attended Sewing and Design Trade School in Washington DC. As a result of this training, she owned and operated The Roberts' Alteration Shop and served her family and the Durham community as a seamstress for fifty-five years. She also formerly taught sewing classes at Durham Technical Institute's Cooperative Extension Programs. Mrs. Roberts was a member of Mount Vernon Baptist Church. She was a member of the Kingdom Seekers Bible Class and also served in other capacities when needed. She still maintained her affiliation with Cain's Chapel Baptist Church, Hillsborough, NC where she received her early religious principles and doctrines.

Mrs. Roberts was also a member of the Oakmont Circle Community Club and a former member of the Durham Tailor's Association.

Mrs. Roberts possessed the qualities of strength and dedication. She set an example for her children and others to follow. Although we grieve her passing, she has taught us to keep our faith in God, work hard and face life's challenges. She shared her talents with people from all walks of life. Mrs. Roberts brought smiles to the faces of many brides and other women as she helped them to visualize their dreams.

Mrs. Roberts was preceded by two of her children, Johnnie Roberts, Jr. and Norma Roberts Lipscomb. Bereft at her passing are one son, Dr. Alfred Mack Roberts, Virginia Beach, VA; one daughter, Carolyn Roberts Gill and son-in-law, Emmett L. Gill, Sr., Durham, NC; two brothers, Claude Mack, Bahama, NC and Russell V. Mack, Hillsborough, NC; five sisters, Ruth Mack Pridgen (James) and Louise Mack Long (Clyde), Durham, NC, Luna Mack Justice (Owen), Pearl Mack Holman and Juanita Mack Shaw (Willie), Hillsborough, NC; two grandsons Reginald B. Lipscomb (Cynthia), Durham, NC, Emmett L. Gill, Jr., Silver Spring, MD; two granddaughters, Kimberly A. Gill-Morris, Chester VA and Carla R. Lipscomb, Durham, NC; three great-granddaughters, Omri and Jewel Morris, Chester, VA and Simone Johnson, Silver Spring, MD; many nieces, nephews, cousins, other loving relatives and dear friends. She also leaves to cherish her memory a special and devoted friend, Loretha B. Parker and a special and devoted cousin, Leora D. Jones.

~ Honorary Pallbearers ~

Men
of
Mount Vernon Baptist Church

~ Honorary Floral Bearers ~

Kingdom Seekers Bible Class
of
Mount Vernon Baptist Church
Neighbors of the Oakmont Circle Community Family

~ Acknowledgement ~

Let us rejoice and be exceedingly glad for the pleasure of our loved one's time with us and the relationship we shared. We pray that she rests in the arms of Jesus for evermore.

The Family

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and
Friends

Floral Bearers

Hillside High School Class of 1969
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Friends

Acknowledgment

The family expresses with their deepest appreciation and sincerest gratitude the many acts of love, kindness and sympathy extended to them during the illness and passing of their loved one. It will always be remembered that you too cared and shared. May God continue to richly bless each of you.

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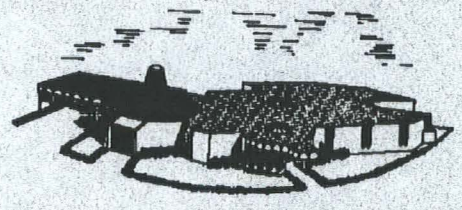

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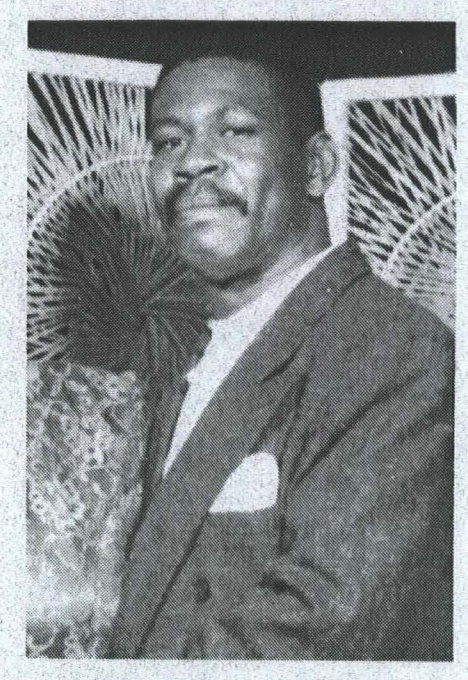
In Loving Memory
of

MR. WELDON LEE ROBERTS, JR.

"POPCORN"

(August 8, 1951 - June 7, 1993)



Saturday, June 12, 1993
2:00 P.M.

Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.
Memorial Chapels and Gardens
306 South Roxboro Street
Durham, North Carolina 27702

The Reverend Luther Stevens
Officiating

The Order of Service

PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

SOLO ..... *Mr. Oren Marsh*

SCRIPTURE ..... *The Reverend Arlene Chavis*

PRAYER ..... *The Reverend Arlene Chavis*

SOLO ..... *Mr. Oren Marsh*

REMARKS

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS
AND OBITUARY ..... *Ms. Sheila Madison*

SOLO ..... *Mr. Oren Marsh*

EULOGY ..... *The Reverend Luther Stevens*

RECESSIONAL

POSTLUDE

Interment

Glennview Memorial Park
2515 Apex Highway
Durham, North Carolina 27707

DRIVERS IN THE PROCESSION, PLEASE TURN ON YOUR HEADLIGHTS FOR SAFETY.

The Obituary

Mr. Weldon Lee "Popcorn" Roberts, Jr., the son of the late Mrs. Lottie Roberts Suitt and Mr. Weldon Lee Roberts, Sr., was born on August 8, 1951 in Durham, North Carolina. He passed into eternal rest on Monday, June 7, 1993 at the Greenery Rehabilitation Center, Durham, North Carolina, after a lengthy illness.

He received his education in the Durham City Public School System and graduated from Hillside High School in 1969. He was a veteran of the United States Army. He had a "**Love For Baseball**" which took him through the years of playing and coaching games.

He joined the Northside Baptist Church, Durham, North Carolina at an early age.

He leaves to cherish his memory and mourn his loss, his father and stepmother, Mr. Weldon Lee Roberts, Sr. and Mrs. Beatrice Roberts of Brooklyn, New York; his stepfather, Mr. Thomas Suitt of the home; his grandmother, Mrs. Elsie Roberts of Atlanta, Georgia; two sisters, Ms. Veronica Roberts and Ms. Elsie Roberts, both of Durham, North Carolina; two brothers, Mr. Anthony Roberts and Mr. Linwood Roberts, both of Durham, North Carolina; one stepbrother, Mr. Wayne Suitt of Texas; one sister-in-law, Mrs. Linda Roberts of Durham, North Carolina; a goddaughter, whom he cherished, Ms. Lavella Blue of Durham, North Carolina; several aunts, uncles; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins; a very close friend, Ms. Peggy Best of Durham, North Carolina and the Hillside High School Class of 1969.

In Memoriam

God saw that he was getting tired,
And a cure was not to be;
So He put His arms around him,
And whispered, "Come with Me."
With tearful eyes we watched him suffer,
And saw him fade away;
Although we loved him dearly,
We could not make him stay.
A golden heart stopped beating,
Working hands were laid to rest;
God broke our hearts to prove to us,
He only takes the best.

The Family

If I had the world to give
I'd give it yes,and more
To hear your voice,and see your smile,
And greet you at the door.

I,d like to think that when life is done
Wherever heaven may be
That you will be standing at the door
Up there to welcome me.

No one knows my longing
No one sees me weep
I shed my tears with an aching heart
While others are asleep.

You are not forgotten
Nor will you ever be
For as long as life and memories last
We will always remember thee.

God knows how much we miss you
He knows how much we've cried
If our love could have saved you
You never would have died.

Behind is life and its longing
It's trials,it's troubles,its sorrow
Beyond is the Infinite Morning
A day without a tomorrow.

And so,I say farewell dear "Popcorn"
The maze has been treaded
This is the ending of strife.
Say not that death should be dreaded
'Tis but the beginning of life.

Your BROTHERS & SISTERS

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4/23/2002

ROBINSON

Mr. Daniel Richard Robinson, 88, of 2608 Fayetteville St., died Friday, April 19, at WakeMed.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday at White Rock Baptist Church, 3400Fayetteville St., Rev. Thelma Battle & Dr. Percy L. High officiating. Family visitation, 30 minutes prior to service. Burial, Beechwood Cemetery. Viewing, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. today at Fisher Funeral Parlor.

Survivors include Deborah R. Evans (Darryl) of Stone Mountain, GA, Grady L. Riddle of the home, Patricia A. Moore of Garner, NC and William E. Riddle (Doris Jeanne) of Orlando, FL; numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren; sister, Mable R. Brown of Durham. Email condolences to fisherfp@hotmail.com.

4/24/2002

ROBINSON

Funeral services for Daniel Richard Robinson, 88, of 2608 Fayetteville St., will be held at 11 a.m. today at White Rock Baptist Church, 3400 Fayetteville St. Family visitation, 30 minutes prior to service. Burial, Beechwood Cemetery. Arrangements by Fisher Funeral Parlor. Email condolences to fisherfp@hotmail.com.

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Funeral service in Durham

ROBINSON 5/21/99

Ernest Pinckney Robinson of Durham, North Carolina, died on May 20, 1999. "Pinckney," the son of the late Robert C. and Ernestine P. Robinson, was born on September 21, 1928.

Mr. Robinson graduated from North Carolina A&T College in 1948. Subsequently, he served on active duty with the U.S. Army for five years. Between 1953 and 1960, he worked in the Durham, NC school system as a teacher, assistant principal and principal at Merrick Moore Union School in Durham, NC. Mr. Robinson served as a systems analyst with the Internal Revenue Service and the Department of Housing and Urban Development in Washington, DC. until he retired in 1979 and moved back to Durham. In 1990, Mr. Robinson retired from the U.S. Army Reserve as a Colonel with 36 years of service.

As a retiree, Mr. Robinson ran Robinson Rentals, Inc., which provided needed housing to many N.C. Central students, and served as President of Sam Dillard Brands. Mr. Robinson was a faithful member of St. Joseph A.M.E. Church in Durham, NC. and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

Mr. Robinson's wife, Margie Johnson Robinson, died in April 1996. He leaves to mourn two daughters from his prior marriage to Lillian Perry Robinson Cannon, Audrey Robinson Sanders of Durham, North Carolina, and Valerie Robinson Dinkins of Herndon, Virginia; five grandchildren, Freager and Lance Sanders of Durham, NC., and Justin, David, and Michael Dinkins of Herndon, Virginia; a son-in-law, Benjamin Dinkins of Herndon, Virginia; three sisters, Gwendolyn Atkinson of Charlotte, NC., Genevieve Brown of Charlotte, NC., and Marcell Beason of Washington, NC., and brothers-in-law, Calvin Brown and William Beason; the grandchildren of his late wife; and a host of other relatives and friends.

The funeral service will be conducted Sunday, May 23, 1999, at 2:00 p.m. at St. Joseph's AME Church, Rev. Philip R. Cousin, Jr. officiating. Burial will follow in Beechwood Cemetery. The family will receive friends Saturday from 7 to 8 p.m. at Burthey Funeral Chapel and at other times at 201 W. Alton St.

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E.C. Robinson's son
Asheville

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Chapel Hill.

1/30/04

ROBINSON

DURHAM - Ms. Phyllis Alexandria Robinson, 34, resident of Durham, N.C, died Sunday, January 25, 2004, in Fresno, California. Phyllis was born in Durham, N.C. on October 28, 1969. She graduated from Northern High School in 1988. After graduation, she worked as a manager at Hardee's Restaurant on Duke Steet. Phyllis later attended Durham Tech Community College where she majored in physical therapy. Phyllis had her own cleaning business of which she had many reputable clients who loved her special charm, her wit, her special smile, and her personal care that she gave each client.

Phyllis leaves to cherish her memories, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robinson; her siblings, Tony Robinson, Kathy Rockemore (Jimmy), Jackie Robinson, Stanley Robinson (Cheri) , Patty Denny (Mark) and a half brother, Emmanuel Dunegan.

The family will receive friends on Friday, January 30, 2004, from 7 to 9 p.m. at Greater Emmanuel Pentecostal Temple where Phyllis was a loyal and faithful member. The church's address is: 2722 E. Main Street, Durham, NC. The pastor is Bishop Marion E. Wright, Sr.

Funeral services will be held at the church Saturday, January 31, 2004, at 1 p.m. Arrangements have been entrusted to - Holloway Funeral Home.

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ROBINSON

A portrait of a husband, daddy, grand-daddy and great-grand-daddy, enjoying the love and support of his family, Anthony Clay Robinson, Sr., was born in Orangeburg, South Carolina, to the late Otis Robinson and Anna Jones Robinson. He was the eleventh and youngest child of this union.

He leaves a strong legacy on the West End of Durham, where he helped many of the boys as their baseball coach and mentor. "Mr. Anthony" as he was affectionately called by his kids, was instrumental in many of the youths maturity to adulthood. There were many people who would quote his wit and wisdom and still sought his advice and counseling.

He was a member of St. Mark AME Zion Church for over 50 years. He served on the Steward Board until his health declined. He was also a member of the I.H. Marsh Club.

On June 16, 1945, he was united in Holy Matrimony to Willena Smith and this union was blessed with four children.

He was preceded in death by three children, Ella Mae Trice Lee, Anthony Clay Robinson, Jr. and Christopher Robinson.

He leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife and constant supporter, Willena; two sons, Jackie Robinson (Carolyn) and Willannon (Poochie) Robinson, both of Durham, North Carolina; nine grandchildren, Birhanie of Columbus, Ohio, Anthony and Christopher, both of Durham, North Carolina, and Arlana of Fayetteville, North Carolina, Clee A. Lee, Jr. (Net) of Lawton, Oklahoma, Cassandra Lee (Nat) of Fayetteville, North Carolina, Anthony Wayne Lee of Miami, Florida, David Lee and Beverly Lee, both of Durham, North Carolina; seventeen great-grandchildren; one son-in-law, Clee A. Lee, Sr. (Joyce) of Durham, North Carolina; one daughter-in-law, Devone Robinson of Fayetteville, North Carolina; numerous nieces, nephews and cousins; and a host of other loving relatives and dear friends.

The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at 2 in St. Mark AME Zion Church by the Rev. Avery Brown. Burial will be in Beechwood Cemetery. The family will receive visitors from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. toay at Scarborough & Hargett Memorial Chapel.

- Pallbearers -

Larry Johnson
Terry Johnson
Gary Becton
Lamont Parham
Marco Parham
Anthony Bumpass

- Fioral Bearers -

Members of Fisher Memorial
United Holiness Church

Acknowledgements

The family gratefully acknowledges and deeply appreciates the many acts of kindness extended during this hour of bereavement. May God continue to richly bless you.

Services Entrusted to

Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.
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306 S. Roxboro Street
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Interment

WoodLawn Memorial Park
2107 Liberty Street
Durham, NC 27703

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Home Going Celebration
In Loving Memory Of

Wade Warren Robinson

October 10, 1925 – June 8, 2002

June 14, 2002
2:00PM

Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.
306 S. Roxboro Street
Durham, North Carolina 27701

Officiating Minister
Pastor James Lilly

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

OPENING WORDS .....

SONG ..... Wayne Williams

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Bishop Isaiah Coleman

SCRIPTURES
Old Testament - Psalm 90 .....Bishop Elroy Lewis
New Testament - Phillipians 4:4-8 .....Evangelist
Annette Timberlake

SONG ..... Michelle Butler

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND
CONDOLENCES.....Veronica Watford

EULOGY ..... Pastor James Lilly

SONG.....Candy Pitts

MORTICIAN'S BRIEF.....The Funeral Director

RECESSIONAL .....Musical Interlude

Drivers in the procession, please turn on your bright headlights and flashers for safety.

Wade W. Robinson, son of the late Virgil Lee and Gladys Logan Robinson of Spartanburg, South Carolina, departed this life suddenly at his residence on Saturday June 8,2002.

He attended the public schools of Spartanburg, South Carolina and was a graduate of Carver High School. He attended Allen University of Columbia, South Carolina, graduated from Banneker Radio Institute, Inc. in Durham NC, and he was a World War II Veteran, where he was an Automotive Mechanic Specialist, Tech 5.

Wade received the Asiatic Pacific Theater Medal, World War II Victory Ribbo and a Honorable Discharge on November 8, 1946 from Fort Mead in Marylanc He was a former member of Stephen Grove AME Zion Church in Una, South Carolina. After moving to Durham, NC he joined Fisher Memorial United Holiness Church where he served as a Sunday School teacher for the Nannie Jones Bible Class. He united in Holy matrimony to Rosa Lee Edwards of Snov Hill, NC in 1948.

He leaves to cherish his memories a loving wife, Rosa Lee, 11 children , Jacqueline Tucker of Hampton, VA, Wade E. Robinson, Gladys Robinson Moore of NYC, Crystal Robinson, Garry Robinson, Felicia Robinson, Chinetha Robinson, Arlindo Curtis Robinson, Michelle Robinson, Virgil Lee Robinson IV, Toynetta Butler (Dwight), a niece and nephew, Jocelyn an Thomas Webster of Spartanburg, SC whom he raised, 1 sister, Alene Robinson Lewis of Buffalo, NY, 3 sisters-in-law, 1 brother-in-law, 22 grand children, 21 great grand children and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other loving relatives and friends.

Today I embrace the sun. Today it's rays reached me,
touched my eyes and opened it to a glorious day.
Today it came feeling my whole being with its light.
It quickened my spirit bringing expectations that I did not
know of before. Today I put on the robe of light which
absorbs and reflects all the colors of life.
And darkness will be no more, today I embrace the SON.

Chinetha Robinson

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FLORAL BEARERS

Friends of the Family

PALL BEARERS

Friends of the Family

He brought me up also out of a horrible pit
out of the miry clay
and sit my feet upon a rock
and established my going.
Psalm 40:1-2

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The family wishes to sincerely thank their many friends and relatives for their many expressions of love, concern, and above all, prayers, during this time of bereavement.

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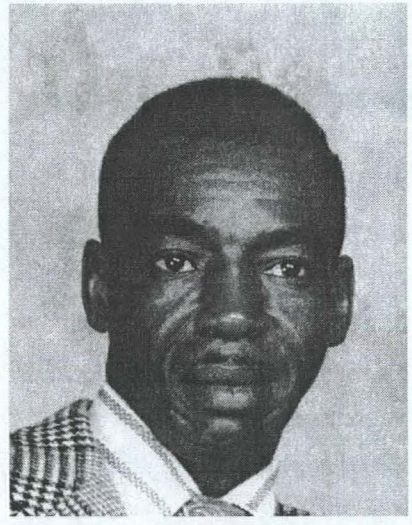
IN MEMORY OF

Mr. Willie Robinson, Jr.



August 31, 1923 - October 23, 1999

Wednesday, October 27, 1999
2:00pm

Holloway Funeral Home Chapel
2502 Highway 55
Durham, NC 27713

Obituary

Willie Robinson, Jr., the son of the late Willie Robinson, Sr. and Ida Bethea Robinson was born in Durham, NC on August 31, 1923. He was a graduate of Hillside High School.

Willie was raised in the Union Mission Holiness Church, where he accepted Christ in his life at an early age. He spent most of his adult life in Chicago, Illinois until his mother's health declined. He returned to Durham in 1980. He was a faithful son and brother.

After returning to Durham, he established himself as a first class carpenter.

He leaves to cherish his memory and mourn, his only sister, Doretha Robinson Napoleon and one brother-in-law, James Franklin Napoleon of Bennettsville, SC; one uncle, Anthony (Willena) Robinson of Durham, NC; and a special God sent friend, Vernon (Charlotte) Wilson of Durham, NC ; and a host of cousins and friends.

I waited patiently for the Lord;
and he inclined unto me
and heard my cry.

Order of Service

Background Music

Processional

Selection.....Evangelist Yolanda Mitchell Johnson

Scripture

Old Testament.....(Psalm 27:1-7)
New Testament.....(John 14:1-7)

Acknowledgments and Remarks.....Doris Baldwin

Obituary (Please read silently)

Selection.....Vernon Wilson

Words of Assurance.....Overseer D. M. Burnette
Pastor of Monroe Christian Church
Durham, NC

Mortician's Brief

Recessional

Interment
Glennview Memorial Park
Durham, NC 27713