

~Miss Me, But Let Me Go~

*When I come to the end of the road,
And the sun had 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 each and everyone of us 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 of heart,
Go to the friends we know.
And bury your sorrow in doing good deeds,
Miss me ~ but let me go.*

Acknowledgement

The family members of Clarence W. Mason would like to express sincere appreciation during this time of sorrow. We are grateful that he touched so many lives and thankful for all of your expressions of love and support. Your many loving acts of kindness extended will never be forgotten. A very special thank you to Ms. Bell and family.

Floral Bearers
Family & Friends

Pall Bearers
Family & Friends



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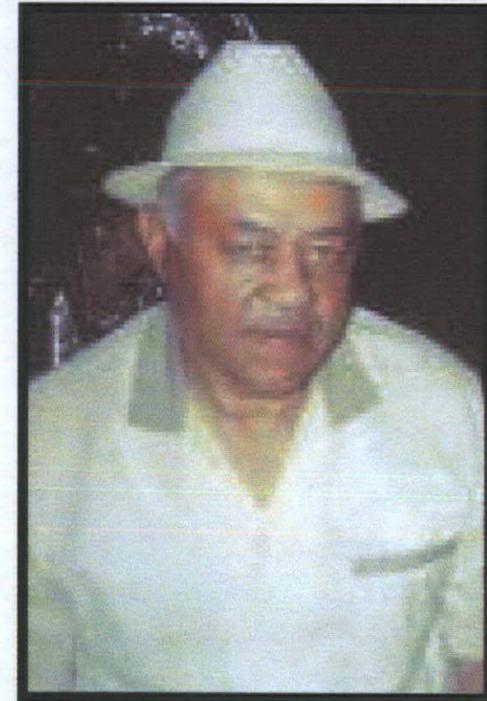
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**A Celebration of the Life
of
Clarence Willie Mason**

Sunrise
May 10, 1925

Sunset
August 1, 2008



*"I have fought a good fight; I have finished my course, I have kept the faith.
(2 Timothy 4:7)*

Visitation ~ 2:00 pm ~ 3:00 PM
Saturday, August 16, 2008
3:00 PM

Lambert Chapel Baptist Church
510 Lambert Church Road
Siler City, North Carolina 27344

Pastor, Reverend William Harrington, Officiating

Order of Service

Saturday, August 16, 2008 - 3:00 pm
Lambert Chapel Church Road
Siler City, Chapel Hill, NC
Pastor, Reverend William Harrington, officiating



Musical Prelude

Processional Clergy and Family

Hymn of Worship

Scripture Reading *H&P 5*
Old Testament *John 14:27*
New Testament

Prayer of Comfort

Selection

Remarks.....(please limit to two minutes, please)

Acknowledgments/Resolutions

Obituary

Selection

Eulogy *John 14:27*
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Clergy, Family & Friends



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Lambert Chapel Cemetery
Siler City, North Carolina

Obituary



A wonderful spirit entered our lives on May 10, 1925. Clarence Willie Mason was born to the late Cora Mason Goldston Register and Clemont Paige in Siler City, North Carolina. He was proud to have a strong father figure in Reverend Henderson Edward Goldston. He was called to rest on August 1, 2008.

Clarence was reared and nurtured in a loving Christian family, where he attended and graduated from the public schools in the city of his birth. He later served in the Navy and received an honorable discharge after four rewarding years of armed service experience, both state and abroad.

Clarence began his journey with Christ as a member of Lambert Chapel Baptist Church in Siler City, North Carolina at an early age. Upon arriving in Newark, New Jersey, he became a member of Bethany Baptist Church and later, Metropolitan Baptist Church where he was a faithful member until his passing. He was a resident of Newark for sixty years.

Affectionately known as "Jute" to many family members, Clarence's legacy undeniably will be his servant's heart for his family and community and passion for helping others. He will be remembered for his magnificent personality and humorous nature as he frequently came up with clever sayings that made people laugh.

Clarence was employed at Shay Chevrolet of Hackensack, New Jersey for over thirty-five years. There he was a loyal and well-respected employee before his retirement.

Clarence was preceded in death by his parents, brothers, John and Henry Goldston and his wife, Mildred Graham Mason, and two grandsons, Leo S. Lane and Diffie G. Lane. He leaves to cherish his memory; one sister, Omega Paige Foxx; one daughter, Linda Siler; grand-daughter, LaShonda L. Smith of Siler City, NC; seven great-grandchildren and eleven great-great-grandchildren; several close cousins, Chris Paige, Bennie Paige and Flossie Mason all of Siler City, North Carolina; Also left to treasure his memories, his sister-in-law, Hilda Davis Goldston of Orange, New Jersey, a cousin and friend, Eugene Goldston of Newark, New Jersey, special nephews, Larry Goldston of Newark, New Jersey and George "Butch" Goldston of Philadelphia, PA; two loving nieces, Maria and Cora Goldston of Philadelphia, PA and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, beloved relatives, church, neighborhood and family and many friends.

"Clarence will be missed by his buddies and friends at the park in Newark"

