

Our father was a loving husband and a devoted father whom was a soft-spoken and humble man. He would do what you asked whether he felt his best or not, things such as emptying the trash and mowing the yard for the family and neighbors.

He was always willing to help everyone that he could. A lot of people would call him to carry them to different places. He enjoyed his family, especially the grand and great-grandchildren. He loved to pick them up and take them to games. He would fix up old bikes, toys, and pump up basketballs just for them. What a joy they brought him. He would have this special smile when they came around. He was a special father to Travis, Tera, Tiffany and Tracy who lost their own father when they were younger. Everyone around called him the junk-man because he would always bring something back for anyone he thought could use it. We love him for the special things he did for the family. He enjoyed coming to church, clapping his hands and praising the Lord. We were so glad to see him come. God Bless!!

My Papa

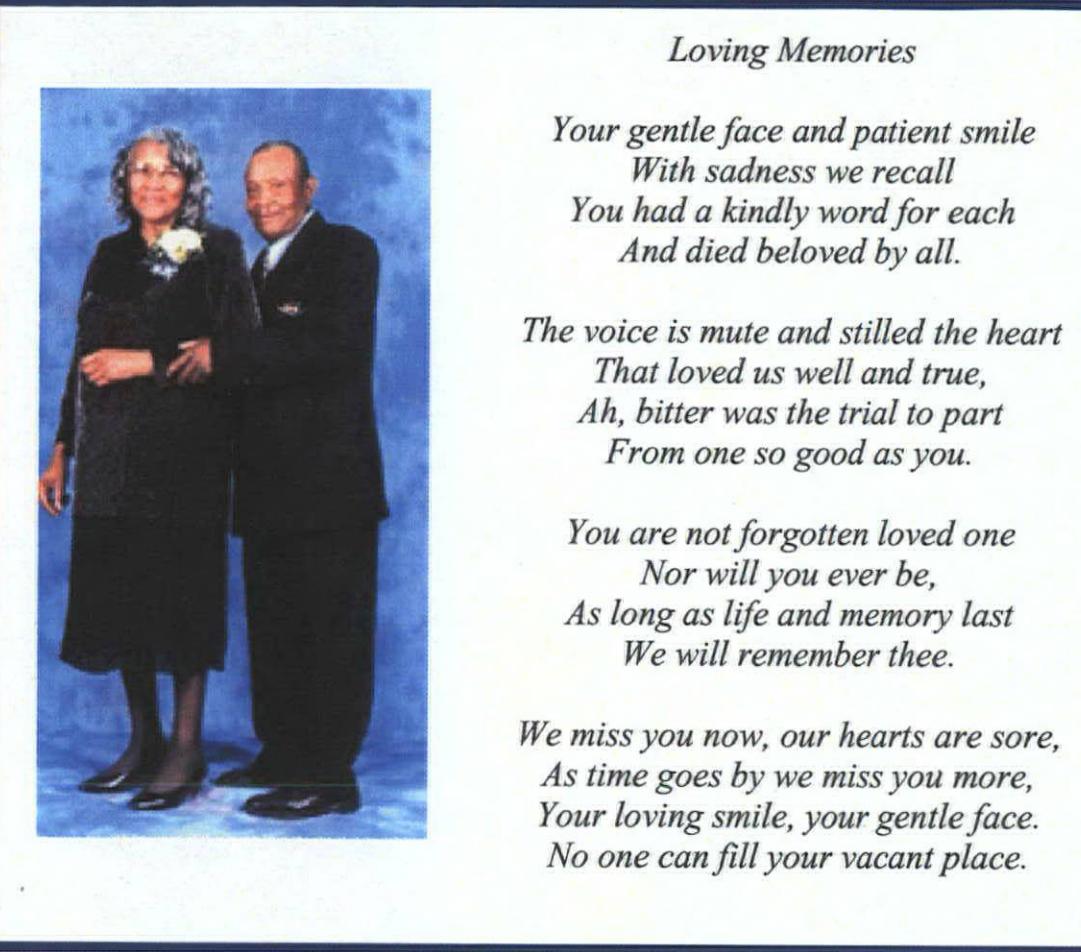
My papa has gone to Heaven last week. But all of you should know his heart was kinda weak. We will remember him forever and ever until we meet him again in Heaven.

Calen
age 10

I love you papa. I'm so sad that you passed away. You were so nice to me.

Love,
Shaylen
age 7

Popall
Hey I'm sery you died and I love you. You was one of are best Popall. I love you the best. You are the vere best. Popall I wish he was stel aliv. I will be vere happy. This is me, my nam is Jalen Burnett.
age 6



Loving Memories

Your gentle face and patient smile
With sadness we recall
You had a kindly word for each
And died beloved by all.

The voice is mute and stilled the heart
That loved us well and true,
Ah, bitter was the trial to part
From one so good as you.

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

We miss you now, our hearts are sore,
As time goes by we miss you more,
Your loving smile, your gentle face.
No one can fill your vacant place.

Floral Bearers
Nieces

Pallbearers
Nephews

Acknowledgment

With sincere appreciation, we wish to thank our many friends for their expressions of kindness during our bereavement for our loved one. May God Bless Each of you.

The McIver Family

A Special Thanks to everyone that helped during the illness of our loved one. And a very special thanks to Dwaine Marsh and Allison McIver for really being by his side to assist in any way they could.

Services Entrusted To
Knotts & Son Funeral Home
1501 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
Siler City, NC 27344
(919) 742 - 4602

Home Going Celebration

For
Mr. Philmore McIver

Sunrise
February 21, 1926



Sunset
August 10, 2003

Friday, August 15, 2003
3:00 pm

Mt. Calvary Holiness Church
Siler City, North Carolina

Elder Sharon Belks, Officiating
Bishop Emmanuel Holland, Eulogy

ORDER OF SERVICE

Processional

Song

Scripture

Old Testament
New Testament

Prayer

Remarks

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Song

Eulogy *Phil / ch / v*

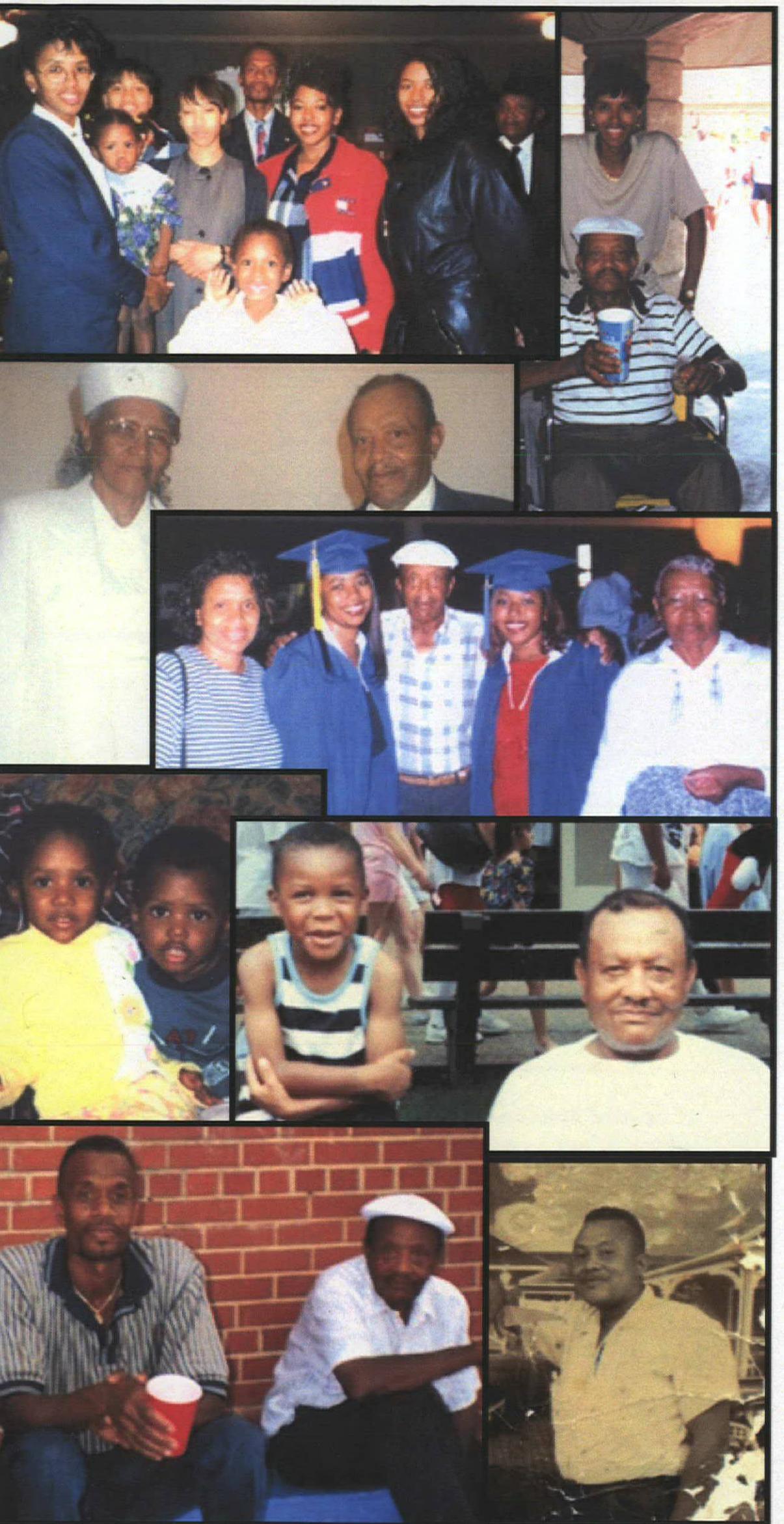
Selection

Viewing

Recessional

Interment

Thomas Marsh Memorial Cemetery
Centennial AME Zion Church



Obituary

Mr. Philmore McIver, the son of the late John and Mary Hooker McIver was born February 21, 1926 in Lee County. He departed this life peacefully on August 10, 2003 at Chatham Hospital in Siler City, NC. in the presence of his loving family.

He attended Lee County School and was a Navy veteran of World War II where he received honor medals (American, Victory War II, Asiatic Pacific, Philippine Liberation). He was a former member of American Legion Post # 101 in Bear Creek, NC. He attended West Fall Baptist Church in Sanford at an early age. Later, he attended Mt. Calvary Holy Church where he accepted the Lord. He was employed with Siler City Mills and later employed with Collins and Aikmans as a security guard.

He leaves to cherish his memories: his loving and devoted wife of 54 years, Elder Cora Lee McIver; one son, Glen Douglas McIver (Annie Jean); one daughter, Philmer Jean Brooks, both of Bear Creek, NC; six grandchildren, Tracy Burnett (Tracy) of Graham, NC, Melanie McIver of Sanford, NC, Tera and Tiffany Brooks of Greensboro, NC, Allison McIver and Travis Brooks both of Bear Creek, NC; three great grandchildren (whom he cherished dearly) Calen, Shaylen, and Jalen Burnett of Graham, NC; two sisters, Marguerite Phillips and Claretta McMillan both of Sanford, NC; one brother, James McIver (Ernestine) of Sanford, NC; sisters-in-law, Hazel Marsh, Mary Belle Marsh, Hattie Marsh, Geraldine Marsh; brothers-in-law; Lincoln Marsh and Lewis Marsh; a special friend Ralph Foxx, and a host of nieces, nephews, relative and friends. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Isabelle Moffitt and Mary Alice McLean; two brothers, Joe McIver and John McIver, and son-in-law, James Brooks.

