grandchildren, Felicia, Terrence, Dedrick, Brandy, Darius, Ashley, Jonathan and Danielle; one great granddaughter, Ashley; two god-daughters, Marya Alston and Lisa Lassiter, brothers, Garland (Catherine), Johnnie (Clatie), and Dean (Mary Lou), all of Pittsboro, NC; two aunts and one uncle; a devoted mother-in-law, Ethel Johnson; a devoted friend, Charles Spinks and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.



He made the home a happy place
He added such special joy to life...
He was the husband/dad in our hearts
And our trusted friend.

You always knew how much we loved you. You were everything a family could ask for We are thankful for the happy times That we shared with you.

We understand why, You did not take the time to say good-bye Because you did not want to see us cry.

> We Love You, Barb, Roger, Kay and Howard

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Eastern Star

Honorary Floral Bearers

Nieces

Pallbearers

Masons

Honorary Pallbearers

Stewards

Acknowledgment

The Green family would like to extend our greatest appreciation for all your thoughtfulness and kindness. We have lost someone very dear to us, but it comforts us to know of all your prayers, cards, kind words of comfort, visits, and concerns for us. We will forever hold your kindness in our hearts. May God Bless You!

The family would like to acknowledge the following faithful persons: Clara Glover, Grace McLaughlin and Brenda Burnette and others.

Special Thanks to Glovers Grove A.M.E. Zion Church and First Missionary Baptist Church for rendering music for the service today. Homegoing Services For Ar. Lake Waldo Green 1932 2000



Wednesday, February 2, 2000 2:00 P.M. Evans Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church Siler City, North Carolina Rev. Ridie Headen, Pastor-Officiating

Order Of Service

Prelude

Processional

Hymn

"My Faith Looks Up To Thee"

Scripture

Old Testament - Dr. E.J. Alston New Testament - Rev. William Vanderburg

Prayer Of Comfort

Rev. Mattie Walden

Solo

Mrs. Belinda McCoy

Expressions

John Scott (family) Clara Glover (neighborhood) Russell Blackwell (employer) Rev. Billy Siler (minister)

Acknowledgments

Mrs. Marion Emerson

Obituary

(Read Silently)

Soft Music

Solo

Master Truman Comer

Eulogy

Rev. Ridie Headen

Selection

Choir

Parting View

Recessional

Interment - Church Cemetery

"Papa Lake, Grand-Daddy, Grandpa"

We watched you for so many years; Continuing to bless others even as you Struggled with your own difficulties, Now you are at peace... So Rest Grandpa, Rest

Through all your quiet suffering
You never complained,
And managed to remain the same;
Caring, Loving, Sharing and Giving
It was time...
So Rest Papa Lake, Rest

Being a mighty man of God with strong faith,
Never giving up when most would have,
But you pressed forward and now
You've won the victory
So Rest Grand-Daddy, Rest

The Grandchildren

Thoughts of you will forever linger on,
As the days pass by and time goes on.
The memories we have of you will never fade away
But we know in our hearts
That you are truly in a better place.
We will remember the times of laughter
And jokes that filled the room.
No matter what the occasion,
We knew something hilarious would come soon.
We love you Uncle Lake
And we always will
For we know that God is taking care of you.
And it is certainly true
That you are truly in a better place
Smiling down on us and us smiling up at YOU.

Grace, Michelle, Tracie and Antoine

Obituary

"The Road Of Life"
I expect to pass through this world but once,
Any good therefore that I can do,
Or any kindness that I can show to any fellowman,
Let me do it now,
For I shall not pass this way again.

God had a plan for my husband, our daddy, granddaddy, brother, uncle and friend, *Lake Waldo Green*. He quietly closed his eyes on Saturday, January 29, 2000. Sixtyseven years ago, February 9, 1932 the late Johnnie and Beatrice Green were blessed with the birth of a handsome baby boy.

Lake was a 1951 graduate of Horton High School in Pittsboro, NC. He joined Glovers Grove A.M.E. Zion Church at an early age where he was a very devoted and active member. He later moved his membership to Evans Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church where he sang in the Male Chorus, Mixed Chorus and served on the Steward Board until his health no longer permitted. He was an active member of the Light of the World Lodge 711 F. & A.M.

Lake retired from Sears in 1992 but he continued to serve his community by volunteering for Meals on Wheels provided by JOCCA.

He was united in marriage to Barbara Johnson and to this union three children were born. He was a great provider for his family and others in need.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Willie (Margie) of Pittsboro, NC.

Those who have shared the joys, abundant blessings and sorrows of life with him and have survived to reminisce on the beautiful memories are his wife of 45 years, Barbara Green; two sons, Rodger Green, Greensboro, NC, Howard Green (Shelia), Liberty, NC, and one daughter, Karen Scott (John), Richmond, VA; eight